Gospel Values

The Gospel Values are at the heart of all we do and inspire our work

Humility, seeing life as a gift
Compassion, empathy
Kindness, gentleness
Justice, working for a fairer world
Forgiveness, reconciliation
Integrity, do what you say
Peace, committed to peace-making, non-violence
Courage, standing up for truth

RE Epiphany - Kindness and Humility

We will learn about the Epiphany, the gifts we can give, relating to the Gospel Values and how we can show our year group Gospel Value - Kindness.

Revelation Justice and Peace

We will learn about Revelation and how God is revealed in the world around us and in our lives and actions. Characteristics Of Effective Learning
At St Mary's we want our children to be the best
they can be, we encourage a love of learning through
our Characteristics:

Go for it Gorilla: I will have a go
Editing Elephant: I can edit and improve my work
Creative Chameleon: I have my own ideas
Concentrating Crocodile: I join in and concentrate
Persevering Parrot: I keep trying
Proud Peacock: I am proud of what I do

<u>Literacy</u> In phonics sessions we will be continuing to learn and become more confident in sounding the RWI set 2 and 3 sounds and use them in our writing.

We will be focusing on improving our handwriting with regular handwriting sessions, practicing letter formation and becoming more consistent in starting and finishing letters in the right place.

Eliot Midnight Superhero & Superworm - Integrity, Courage, Empathy and Justice. We will be reading this exciting adventure story. Then, we will use Talk4Writing to learn, map and write the story by following the story map. We will learn how to use exciting adjectives to describe in our story, the suffixes -er and -est and the prefix -un in our writing as well as applying an exclamation mark. We will then write our own thrilling version of Eliot Midnight Superhero and after this a new comic strip adventure for Superworm!

Maths We will continue to examine the value of numbers using concrete apparatus in class - beads, multilink, dienes, ten frames, part/whole frames, number lines & numicon. We will continue to count in ones towards 100. We will learn to count forwards or backwards, finding one more, one less of a given number, most and least. We will be practicing writing numbers and check we are consistently forming the numbers 0-9 correctly. We will be learning to write numbers in words to 10 and then 20. We will be counting on from ten using a ten frame and part/whole frame, we will be finding number bonds to 20 and counting in, 2s., 5s and 10s. We will use + - & = in number sentences, adding and subtracting numbers to 20 and beyond using dienes, a Singapore Bar, a part/whole frame and dienes and a number line to count forwards and backwards. We will learn to recognise and show number fact families, e.g. 4 + 2 = 6, 6 - 2 = 4

Science - Justice, Humility, Peace

In Science we will be learning about the human body. We will be learn about the 5 senses and how we use them in our daily lives. We will be linking our science observations to our topic by learning about and labelling worms. We will research how worms are superheroes for soil health.

Art + DT - Integrity & Courage

In DT will be making a wormery out of recycled materials. and will design a superhero healthy meal.

<u>PSHE - Compassion, Forgiveness, Kindness, Peace & Integrity</u> In PSHE we will be learning about diversity, friendship and kindness in anti-bullying week.

We will discuss who we think the real superheroes in society are. We shall continue to use our kindness tree to recognise acts of kindness - our Gospel Value.

History - Integrity, Courage

We will be learning about Queen Victoria and finding out about life in Victorian times. We will be looking at objects from the 1800s and comparing them to similar modern day items.

Superheroes Who are the real superheroes?



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Geography - Peace

We will be learning about the UK and the countries that make up the UK, identifying the characteristics of the countries and labelling maps to show the different countries and their capital cities.

PE - Courage. Compassion, Kindness & Integrity

Gymnastics/Dance

Balance and coordination

Team skills

Synchronising movement

<u>Music - Courage & Integrity</u>

We will be exploring six different styles of music; Blues, Baroque, Latin, Bhangra, Folk and Funk in our new music scheme - In the Groove. We will be responding to rhythms and playing tuned and untuned instruments. We will also be learning to sing the camp song - Herman

the Worm acapella by following a simple rhythm.

ICT - Courage & Integrity

We will be learning what algorithms are, to create and debug simple programs and to understand that simple instructions need to be followed in a particular way.

Forest School - Justice, Humility, Peace

We will be using our super senses to explore the environment around us. We will be learning about the importance of worms for soil health. We will explore our environment to find and observe worms and other bugs.

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