

English:

The stunning WW2 novel, about evacuated children and spies, 'Letters From The Lighthouse' is both our Class Reader and the stimulus for our writing this half-term.

Dairy Writing

*Identifying key structural and language features required for writing a diary.

*Researching historical information about the evacuation of children from London during WW2.

*Planning, drafting, writing and editing of a diary entry from the viewpoint of a character from the text.

Letter Writing:

*Identification and rehearsal of structural/language features required.

*Focus on persuasive language which will strengthen the viewpoint and 'voice' of the writer.

*Planning, drafting, writing and editing a letter in response to a chosen event from the text.

Science:

Picasso Class will be developing their learning about **Light** by;

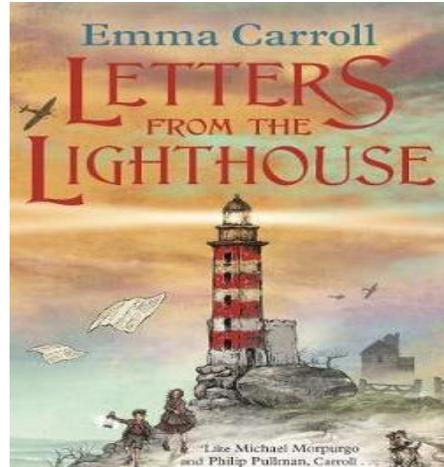
*Recognising that light appears to travel in straight lines.

*Using the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain that objects are seen because they give out or reflect light into the eye.

* Explaining that we see things because light travels from light sources to our eyes or from light sources to objects and then to our eyes.

* Investigating the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain why shadows have the same shape as the objects that cast them.

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RE:

The Old Testament:

Picasso Class will be participating 'actively' in their learning this half term through a highly engaging 'Walk through the Bible.'

We will be exploring the Old Testament chronologically all the way from Creation, following the Patriarchs, Moses, Joshua, Judges, Kings and all the way through to the prophets and how God's people are awaiting their Saviour.

Computing:

Continuation with achieving Accreditation of Competence in E-Safety (Gold).

Maths:

Algebra:

*Use simple formulae.

*Generate and describe linear number sequences.

*Express missing number problems algebraically.

*Find pairs of numbers that satisfy an equation with two unknowns.

*Enumerate possibilities of combinations of two variables.

Measurement: Converting Units:

*Solve problems involving the calculation and conversion of units of measure, using decimal notation up to three decimal places where appropriate.

*Use, read, write and convert between standard units, converting measurements of length, mass, volume and time from a smaller unit of measure to a larger unit, and vice versa, using decimal notation to up to 3 decimal places.

*Convert between miles and kilometres.

Statistics:

*Illustrate and name parts of circles, including radius, diameter and circumference and know that the diameter is twice the radius.

*Interpret and construct pie charts and line graphs and use these to solve problems.

*Calculate the mean as an average.

PE:

Monday - Swimming

Wednesday - Picasso class will be developing skills needed to play hockey.

French:

Picasso Class will be learning about the French alphabet and using a French dictionary to locate words. They will also use *c'est* to describe objects.