

Year 5 – Ash Class

Autumn 1 - 2025



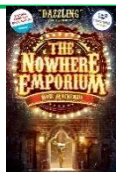
MATHEMATICS



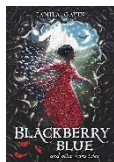
In maths, the children will be focussing on understanding place value up to 1,000,000 and using written methods for addition and subtraction with more than four digits. They will also be solving multi-step addition and subtraction problems.

ENGLISH

The children will be developing their writing by practising lots of sentence work. They will be reading 'The Nowhere Emporium' by Ross MacKenzie and basing their writing on this novel.



During Guided Reading, the children will be reading and answering comprehension questions about 'Blackberry Blue' by Jamila Gavin.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Who is Jesus?

This half-term, we will be looking at our own personal worldviews and whether or not they are influenced by a religion. We will be incorporating the following disciplines into our lessons: Theology, Philosophy, Human and Social Sciences and History.

Our first unit will be focussing on the enquiry question: *Who is Jesus?* The core concept is *belonging and believing* and we will be concentrating on Christian, Jewish, Muslim and non-religious worldviews during this topic.



SCIENCE

Earth and Space

The children will be looking at the position of the Earth in our Solar System, researching facts about the eight planets, observing the effect that the Moon has on our planet, its movement and why it appears to change shape. They will be learning why we have day and night and identifying scientific evidence.



PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Dodgeball and Football

The children will be learning dodgeball with Coach Jess and football skills with Mrs O'Donovan.



MUSIC

Sing-up

The children will learn a well-known sea shanty and will perform their song at the end of the unit.



HISTORY

The Vikings

In History, we will be learning all about the Vikings. The children will be able to understand the impact they have had on Britain.



LATIN

Past Continuous Tense

Apply knowledge of Latin past continuous verb endings in translating words and sentences.

PSHE

Being Me In My World

In PSHE, the children will be learning how to make others feel welcome, how to make our school community a better place, considering everyone's right to learn, caring about other people's feelings and how to work well with others.



COMPUTING

Computing Systems and Networks: Systems and Searching

In this unit, the children will be experimenting with search engines and understanding how they select results.



ART

Drawing and Sketchbooks

The children will be exploring Typography and drawing over maps to make mark-making more visually powerful. They will then create their own 3D visual maps.

