



ST ANNE'S RC PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL

Autumn 1 Newsletter

Year Five



English

This term, our class text is *Impossible Creatures* by Katherine Rundell. Inspired by the magical world in the story, we will be writing non-chronological reports about mythical creatures, exploring their appearance, habitat, powers, and unique characteristics.

Mathematics

This term we will be learning about place value, addition, and multiplication. We will explore numbers up to at least 1,000,000, understand the value of each digit, and practise rounding and comparing large numbers. We will also use formal written methods to add and multiply numbers.

RE

This term we will be exploring the branch *Creation and Covenant*. We will learn about the Creation story in Genesis and how it shows that the world is a gift from God, made with love and care. We will also explore what it means to be made in the image of God, how we can care for creation, and how Catholic teaching calls us to treat all people with dignity.

History

This term, we will be learning about the Vikings and their impact on Britain. We will explore who they were, how they lived, and why they were such skilled warriors and sailors. We'll also discover Viking myths, gods, and what everyday life was like in a Viking village.

Science

We will be learning about Forces such as friction, gravity and air resistance.

PE

This half term we will focus on Dance and swimming.

French

We will be recapping previous learning taught in year 4. Such as numbers to 50, greetings and birthdays.

Music

We will be exploring melody and harmony.

PSHE/ RSE

Being me in my world: Who am I and how do I fit?

Computing

We will be learning about Computer systems and networks.

Art / DT

We will be sewing mythical creatures in textiles.