

In English we are exploring a range of traditional tales and specifically retelling Cinderella and St George and the Dragon. We will be reading books about inspiring scientists and astronauts who were involved in the space race. We will also be teaching poetry related to space.

As Mathematicians we are continuing to learn about numbers to 100. We will be using our knowledge of counting in 2s, 5s and 10s to begin to learn multiplication facts.
Term 6 will include learning on shape, space and measure which incorporates time.

In Design and Technology, we will be creating a royal tea party making sandwiches and snacks.

As athletes we will be learning about games and athletics. We will be swimming in Term 5 and looking forward to our sports week in Term 6 which includes sports day. In RHE we will learn about health and fitness in our unit on

As Scientists this term we are learning about plants and seasonal changes.

Term 5 will be planting seeds and investigating plants in our school grounds.

Term 6 will be about seasonal changes where we will study how we can look after our world to limit environmental changes.

Year 1 'Royalty and Rockets' Terms 5 and 6



Highlights of the term:

- Year 1 Church Worship
- Making a congratulatory card for King Charles III
- Creating food for a royal tea party
- Visit to Herstmonceux Science Centre with a workshop on space exploration

As historians we will be learning all about the royal family, the coronation and other ceremonies. We will learn about the family tree and succession, celebrating the coronation of King Charles III in May.

Term 6 will focus on significant individuals in history and their contribution. We will be learning about Major Tim Peak and other famous astronauts who have contributed to space research.

In Religious education this term we are looking at Christianity again.
Term 5 will be learning about the Creation story – asking “*What do Christians do to say thank you?*”
In Term 6 we will learn how Jews and Christians care for the world.

As musicians this term we will be rehearsing songs and hymns for our Church performance. We will be using Garage Band on ipads to record our compositions.
In Term 6 we will be using percussion instruments to create compositions based on space.

In computing we are continuing to learn about making music with technology in a block called “We are rhythmic”. We will be working on a composition for the Coronation.
In Term 6 we return to coding using Discovery Espresso and learning how to create games.

Supporting your child at home.

- Create a King’s charter – imagine that they are the King and list ideas about how to rule the United Kingdom and the Commonwealth. In Term 6 we would like them to design and create a space craft out of recycled modelling materials.
- Continue to practise number bonds to 20 and then to 100
- Count in 2s, 5s, 10s
- Reading for a minimum of 4x a week