

English

Fiction : Media Unit—'Alma' - mystery and suspense
Friend or Foe by M Morpurgo

Non-Fiction: Newspaper report, historical encyclopaedia
Articles

Poetry: On the Move by M Rosen— poems about war and migration

SPAG:

Active and passive voice

Formal and informal register

Subordinate clauses

Modal verbs

Present and past progressive tense

Present and past perfect tense

Complex sentences, subordinate ,embedded and relative clause

RE

U2.3 What do religions say to us when life gets hard?

What do some people think happens to our body and soul after we have died?

Do some people believe that you come back to life as a different thing? What is reincarnation?

Do Christians go to heaven if they do things wrong?

What do people, who do not believe in God, think happens when we die?

What do I believe happens when people die?

Geography

North America

- Climate zones of the world
- Data analysis
- Is climate the same in different parts of North American continent?
- Physical features of North America
- Human features of North America
- Impact of tourism

Maths

Multiplication and Division

- Factors and multiples
- Decimals and percentages
- Finding a percentage of a number
- Equivalent fractions, common denominator
- Adding and subtracting fractions, decimals
- Multiplying and dividing fractions, decimals
- Problems involving fractions and mixed numbers
- Statistics

Science

Electricity

- What is a circuit?
- What does a symbol mean?
- Investigating the brightness of a bulb
- How does voltage affect the volume of a buzzer?
- How can volume/ brightness be changed? (Investigation)

Art: Drawing, Form & Print

Print and Activism: Faith Ringgold (USA,NY) Luba Lukova (USA, NY), Kate Deciccio (USA, Oakland)

- Use art as a way to express their opinions, using their skills to speak for sectors of society.
- Use print because it allows them to duplicate and distribute their message.
- A carefully chosen image can be a powerful way to communicate as it is direct and crosses boundaries of language.
- through art as activism we can come together.



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Computing

Online Safety

Find similarities and differences between in-person and cyberbullying.

Identify good strategies to deal with cyberbullying.

Identify secure websites

Unit: Film-Making using iMovie

Write a script

Research and sources

Filming

Interviewing

Editing

Publishing

PSHE

Dreams and goals

Learning strengths and goals for myself

Success criteria for my own goals
Can I talk about problems in the world?

Working with other people to help make the world a better place.
Ways in which people can work together to make our world a better place.

What do I / others like and admire about me?

How to accept praise?

PE

Gymnastics: Creating Sequences

- Creativity, movement and balance
- In what ways can you use apparatus?
- Movement flow and sequences
- Design and create own sequences in any order

Invasion Games: Hockey

- Possession, dribble and pass (long and short)
- Rules of the game
- Fluidity in attacks
- Suitable shooting opportunities
- Defence methods and tactics
- Attacking tactics
- Regain possession if lose the ball

French

Around Town

Recall 10 key places in a town in French with their respective definite articles/ determiners. • Follow 5 different directional instructions in French. • Ask where a place is in French and respond with a description of relative distance (nearby/far away) in French. • Use prepositions to give the precise location of a key place around town in relation to another in French.

Music

WORLD WAR II COMPOSITION

No wars will Stop Us Singing—what is the message of this song?

World Peace Day Anthem

Music as protest

How can music document history?

Bombing of Dresden: Dmitry Shostakovich String Quartet N8

Instruments and mood

How can music boost morale?