Mathematics

We will be moving our mathematics skills forward further into the year 4 curriculum. In Year 4, numbers often step up to four digits meaning we will be focussing on learning about the place value of four digit numbers. We will be learning about ordering, comparing and rounding four digit numbers so we can use them in other chosen calculation methods.

D&T/Art

As artists we will be learning about Margaret

Godfrey and her volcanic art. We will be discussing
some of her techniques and practicing using
different mediums. Towards the end of the term
we will be designing, creating and erupting our own
model volcances.

Religious Education

In RE we be starting off by

Christians. We will also be

learning about Buddhism

looking at how the

creation story affects

as our focus religion.

Science

In science we will be learning \about states of matter up until half term. We will be learning about solids, liquids and gas.

We will be looking at particles and how matter can change states. We will also look at different reactions of materials.

PSHE

In PSHE we will be focussing on perseverance and practicing how to go for our goals. We will be learning about growth mindset and how we can better ourselves as learners.

Literacy:

We are beginning our term by linking our RE to our Literacy. We will be looking at the creation story and thinking about places in the natural and man-made world which make us wonder. We will then come up with our own descriptions for some of the earths most exciting places. Next, we will be learning about volcanoes and describing a volcanic eruption. We will also look at the events of Pompeii and write newspaper and information reports about the tragedy.

Where in the world

Chestnut class
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This term has a heavy geography focus. We will be learning about volcanoes, their structure and the ring of fire, as well as studying some existing volcanoes which have erupted past and present.

Geography

History

We are having a geography focus this term. However we will be using our volcano knowledge to study the tragedy in Pompeii.

P.E.

In P.E we will be practising our hockey skills and building up to a hockey game.

In ICT we will begin by creating some volcanic digital art in the style of Margaret Godfrey. Then we will begin learning about using different multimedia.

LC.T

Music

Music lessons will continue with Mrs Lawrence.

French

French lessons will continue with Madame Sturm.