

PREP - AUTUMN TERM 2018

SCIENCE - INVESTIGATORS

- Creating experiments
- Making accurate observations and measurements
- Planning a fair test
- Gathering evidence

ENGLISH

Preparation for 11+ Exams

- Story writing
- Descriptive writing
- Comprehension
- Reading journal
- Identifying different genres
- Recounts
- Journalistic writing
- Writing techniques and style
- Spelling strategies
- New vocabulary
- Poetry
- Magazine work
- Autobiographies
- Drama – melodrama and silent films

MATHS

Preparation for 11+ Exams

- Problem solving/worded problems
- Fractions, decimals, percentages
- Ratio and proportion
- Mode, mean, median, range
- Rotational symmetry
- Coordinates
- Shape puzzles
- Probability
- Area/perimeter
- Algebra
- Volume/Capacity
- Scales
- Place Value
- Data handling including graph work, pie charts and timetables

GENERAL STUDIES

Range of work, research, presentation and writing to support the 11+ interview process and further develop maths and reading and writing skills. Developing successful work habits and learning strategies

- Weekly General Knowledge booklet
- Weekly News Journal and Reading Journal
- Class routines and exercises to develop vocabulary

COMPUTING

- Coding
- Introduction to algorithms

RE/PSHE

Inspirational people/Religious leaders

MUSIC

- Explore the role of music in film
- Create music to fit with a short film clip
- Develop general musicianship skills through singing and rhythm work

LATIN

September – On The Move

- Travel in Roman Britain
- Infinitives + impersonal verbs
- The goddess Athena

October - A New Way of Life in Eboracum

- Life in a Roman town
- Pronouns
- Story of 12 Tasks of Heracles

FRENCH

Expo 1 –Module 3

Revision of saying where you live, what kind of town you live in and where it is. Talking about your house and your room. Describing your bedroom using prepositions. Regular – er verbs in the Present Tense. Talking and writing about free time activities. Using negatives to say and write what you don't do. Telling the time and counting to 69.

Module 4

Places in a town, directions, using the preposition à (at/to)

PE

- **Swimming** – Techniques for 4 strokes, somersaults and stamina work
- **Football** – Passing, long passing, turning, heading, shooting, laying off, pulling defenders and goalkeeping. Playing as a team with a view of playing other schools
- **Gymnastics** – vaulting, floor skills leading to gymnastic sequences
- **Indoor Games** – netball passing, footwork, pivoting and shooting, leading to a full rule game
- **Hockey** –dribbling, pushing and small sided games, Quicksticks (Gum shields and shin pads are needed)
- **Tag Rugby** – handling, simple skills and mini games
- **Cross country** – to improve stamina and endurance

ART – People in action

- Colour wheel
- Arranging work in colour families
- Drawing movement