

Class Read The Good Thieves

R.E.



Creation and Covenant

Hear

- Children will hear and retell the story of Moses, including the burning bush, the Exodus and the covenant at Mount Sinai.
- They will explore the Ten Commandments and Jesus' summary of the law: to love God and love our neighbour.

Believe

- Children will explain that a covenant is a special and binding relationship between God and his people.
- They will understand that the Ten Commandments guide people towards freedom, goodness and happiness.
- Children will learn about sin, God's mercy and forgiveness through the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Celebrate

- Children will explore prayers that help Christians grow in the theological virtues of faith, hope and charity.
- They will reflect upon God's faithfulness, loving mercy and invitation to friendship.

English



Text: Elf Road

Genre: Fiction — Portal Story

Talk for Writing focus: Setting and Action

Toolkit: Creating an atmospheric portal story

- Use fronted adverbials to establish time, place and manner, and to move the story forward — Beyond the twisted trees,... Without warning... Cautiously...
- Use repetition for effect to build suspense and emphasise important details — Closer and closer it crept. The forest was silent; the birds were silent; even the wind was silent.
- Use alliteration to create memorable and atmospheric descriptions — the shadowy, silent staircase; the mysterious, moonlit meadow
- Create vivid settings using expanded noun phrases and precise vocabulary — an ancient, ivy-covered doorway hidden beneath the tangled roots
- Use similes, metaphors and personification to bring the setting to life — The branches clawed at her cloak. The portal shimmered like liquid silver.
- Show a character's feelings through their actions and reactions — His hands trembled as he edged towards the unfamiliar doorway.
- Use relative clauses to add detail about characters, settings and objects — The door, which was covered in strange golden symbols, began to creak open.

Science



Forces

- Explain that unsupported objects fall towards the Earth because of the force of gravity.
- Identify the effects of air resistance, water resistance and friction acting between moving surfaces.
- Explore how friction can be helpful or unhelpful in everyday situations.
- Carry out practical investigations to observe, measure and compare the effects of different forces.
- Use scientific evidence and results to make predictions, draw conclusions and explain findings.

Mathematics



Place Value, Decimal Fractions and Money

- read, write, represent and partition numbers up to 1,000,000.
- identify the value of each digit and understand how a number changes when it is multiplied or divided by 10, 100 and 1,000.
- compare, order and position numbers up to 1,000,000 on number lines.
- will round numbers to the nearest 10, 100, 1,000, 10,000 and 100,000.
- explore negative numbers in real-life contexts and count forwards and backwards through zero.
- connect tenths, hundredths and thousandths to their equivalent fractions and decimal fractions.
- read, write, represent, compare and order decimal numbers with up to three decimal places.

Shared Reading

The Lion, the Witch and the
Wardrobe.

Personal, Social, Health and Relationship Education

Relationships

Recognise the qualities of healthy, positive and respectful relationships.

Explore how friendships can change and learn constructive ways to manage disagreements, conflict and peer pressure.

Understand the importance of trust, honesty, kindness and mutual respect within relationships.

Learn about personal boundaries, permission and the right to say "no" when something makes them feel uncomfortable.

Recognise controlling, unkind or unsafe behaviour and understand that bullying and discrimination are never acceptable.

Consider how their words and actions, both face-to-face and online, can affect other people.

Respect that families, friendships and relationships may look different while recognising the care and support they can provide.

Identify trusted adults and know how and where to seek help if they are worried about themselves or somebody else.

Computing

Computer systems and NetworksSearch engines

Explain what a search engine is, suggest several search engines to use and explain how to use them to find websites and information.

Suggest that things online are not always true and recognise what to check for.

Explain why keywords are important and what TASK stands for, using these strategies to search effectively.

Recognise the terms 'copyright' and 'fair use' and combine text and images in a poster.

History

The Anglo-Saxons

Discover why the Angles, Saxons and Jutes came to Britain after the Romans left.

Explore how Anglo-Saxon communities and kingdoms developed across Britain.

Learn how Christianity returned and influenced Anglo-Saxon life.

Investigate the rise of Mercia and the achievements of King Offa.

Use historical evidence, including artefacts, coins and written sources, to learn about Anglo-Saxon society.

Explain how Britain changed following the arrival of the Anglo-Saxons.

Music

Music in nature — Chords and melodies

Recognise changes in dynamics, such as crescendo and diminuendo.

Describe dynamics using simple musical vocabulary or everyday language.

Use changes in dynamics to create a soundscape that represents a natural scene.

Turn their own descriptive phrases into a rhythm.

Use contrast in dynamics to show the difference between two cloud types.

Compose music that includes a clear contrast in chords.

Create and develop a simple melody.

Design Technology



Identify some simple elements of a circuit (battery, wires, bulb, motor and switch) and explain their function.

Explain that for electricity to flow around a circuit, it must be closed.

Describe a motor as an electrical circuit component that changes electricity into movement.

Provide examples of motorised products that use movement to rotate or spin different parts.

PE



Swimming

Cricket and Invasion Games

Term 1

Year 5

Miss MacKay and Mrs MacLellan