

St. Winefride's Catholic Primary School













Information for Parents – Summer Term 2025

Through Religious Education I am considering:

Ends of the Earth

- •Jesus is Alive
- •The Church is Apostolic
- •The Church in the World
- •The Communion of Saints
- •Mary, Mother of the Church

Dialogue and Encounter

- •The Conversion of Saul
- Paul's Mission
- Paul's Letters
- •The Catholic Church
- •The Five Pillars of Islam
- •The Holy Month of Ramadan

The topics I am focusing on this term are:

Historical Enquiry Question: What did the Romans do for me?

History – Ancient Rome and Roman Britain

Geography Enquiry Question: Earthquakes – how do they change the world?

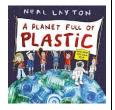
Geography – Earthquakes



English Pathways:

In Summer 1 we will read Alba the Hundred Year Old Fish by Lara Hawthorne and 1A

Planet Full of Plastic by Neal Layton.



Reading Pathways:

In our Summer 1 reading lessons we will read *Fantastically Great Women Who Saved the Planet* by Kate Pankhurst.



We will be working on the following skills:

- Identify main ideas drawn from more than one paragraph and summarise
- Identify how language, structure and presentation contribute to meaning
- Identify themes and conventions in a wide range of books
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We will be working on the following skills:

- Recognise the grammatical difference between plural and possessive 's'
- Indicate possession by using the possessive apostrophe with plural nouns
- Organise paragraphs around a theme
- Build a varied and rich vocabulary

 Propose changes to grammar and vocabulary to improve consistency, including the accurate use of pronouns in sentences

In Summer 2 we will read Julius Cesar from A Stage Full of Shakespeare Stories by Angela McAllister.



We will be working on the following skills:

- Extend the range of sentences with more than one clause by using a wider range of conjunctions (including: when, if because, although)
- Organise paragraphs around a theme
- Build a varied and rich vocabulary
- Variety of verb forms used correctly and consistently including the progressive and the present perfect forms

In our Summer 2 reading lessons we will read A Myth-hunter's Travel Guide by The Literacy Company.



We will be working on the following skills:

- Use dictionaries to check the meaning of words that they have read
- Retrieve and record information from nonfiction
- Ask questions to improve understanding
- Retrieve and record information from nonfiction

Pathways to Spell: In our spelling lessons we will be learning:

- The suffix -ous
- Words ending with the /g/ sound spelt -gue and /k/ sound spelt -que
- The /ɪ/ sound spelt y elsewhere than at the end of words
- Words with /eɪ/ sound spelt ei, eigh or ey
- Adding -ing and -ed to a root word ending in -y, words ending in e and words of one syllable ending in vowel consonant (year 2*) including those with more than one syllable and the suffix
- Apostrophes to mark plural possession
- Homophones and near-homophones
- Words with the /s/ sound spelt sc

In Maths, I am working on:

- Daily practice of oral and mental skills.
- Mental calculation strategies.
- Times tables

Decimals

- Make a whole with tenths and hundredths
- Partition decimals
- Compare and order decimals
- Roud to the nearest whole number
- Halves and quarters as decimals

Money

- Write money using decimals
- Convert between pounds and pence
- Compare and estimate
- Calculate and solve problems

Time

Years, months, weeks and days

- Hours, minutes and seconds
- Convert between analogue and digital
- Convert to and from the 24 hour clock

Shape

- Understanding angles as turns
- Identify, compare and order angles
- Triangles, quadrilaterals and polygons
- Lines of symmetry

Position and Direction

- Describe positions with coordinates
- Plot coordinates
- Draw 2-D shapes on a grid
- Translate and describe translation on a grid

In Science, I am working on:

Habitats

Digestive System

Food Chains

| In PE, I am working on: | Art and Design Technology |
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| Athletics - Striking and Fielding (rounders and cricket) Competitive Practice | Food and Nutrition – Vegetarian Roman Soup Printing - Patterns |
| Relationships and Sex Education: | In computing, the children will learn: |
| The children will explore the idea that we are | |
| Created to Live in Community | Information Technology and Coding |
| Created to Live in Community explores the individual's | |
| relationship with the wider world. Here we explore how human beings are relational by nature and are called to love others in | In Music, the children will learn: |
| the wider community through service, through dialogue and through working for the Common Good. In Life to the Full Plus, further exploration of careers and money lead to understanding | Songs by The Beatles |
| that true happiness comes from knowing God's love and finding our identity and worth in Him. | |
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In MFL, the children will learn:

French – On the move, exploring fairytales

Here are some links to useful websites and resources which will support your child with their learning:

Science

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z2pfb9q/year/zmyxxyc

RSE

https://www.tentenresources.co.uk/programmes/life-to-the-full-primary/

Maths

Maths - Topmarks Search

http://www.ttrockstars.co.uk/

https://urbrainy.com/mtc