



Sleights Church of England (Voluntary Controlled) Primary School

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"It's Up To Us" – Autumn 2023

English			What will the Leaders be learning this term?
We will be writing: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Information posterExplanation textInformative letterPoetryPersuasive advertBiography with speechNarrative	We will be learning to spell: <ul style="list-style-type: none">soft c/g spellings,suffixes - ent, ence, ant , ance,unstressed vowels in polysyllabic words,words containing the letter string 'ough',common exception words.Spellings are sent home every 2 weeks. The date that spellings are sent home is a Thursday. Spelling test dates will be listed on the spelling sheet.	We will be reading: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Our reading for pleasure text will be: 'Can You See Me?' by Libby Scott and Rebecca Westcott.In our reading lessons, our whole class reading text is 'The Boy at the Back of the Class' by Onjali Q. Rauf.We will also read a range of short extract fiction, non-fiction and poetry texts both in reading lessons and across the curriculum.	
Mathematics			
We will be building fluency, reasoning and problem solving in: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Place value Children will learn to read, write and order numbers to 10,000,000. They will learn to round numbers and will also work with negative numbers.Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division Children will learn to identify common multiplies and factors and prime numbers. They will use long division and learn to multiply a 4 digit number by a 2 digit number and apply these methods to problems. Children will also learn to use the order of operations.Fractions In this unit, children will learn to identify equivalent fractions and will focus on ordering and comparing a range of fractions. They will also build on previous learning to calculate with fractions, including multiplying and dividing them.Converting units In this unit, children will focus on converting metric measures as well as converting miles and kilometres and imperial measures.			We will also be revising and reinforcing all times tables learned and applying them to our maths work.
Art and Design	Computing	Design and Technology	French
<ul style="list-style-type: none">We will be focusing on drawing.Our focus artists are Leonardo Da Vinci and Henry Moore.	Mrs Gurney will teach us about: <ul style="list-style-type: none">E-Safety: Identifying the principles underpinning acceptable use of the internet and being able to discuss likely and potential consequences of online behaviours.Coding: Use logical reasoning to explain, detect and correct sequences and errors in an algorithm, and problem-solving using decomposition techniques.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">We will be focusing on textiles.We will be learning to design a product, considering the component shapes to create a template.We will mark and cut fabric accurately before using stitches such as blanket and running stitches.We will decorate our product by attaching objects.	Our units this term are: <ul style="list-style-type: none">The DateMy Home



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Geography	History	Music	Physical Education
<p>Our key question this term is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">What is life like in the Alps?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">We will be focusing on the Roman Empire.We will also enjoy a drama day to bring history to life later in the term.	<p>Our units this term are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">In addition to our class band lessons on a Thursday afternoon, we will be studying Developing Melodic Phrases	<p>Our units this term are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">GymnasticsFootballEach Monday, we will enjoy a cricket session with Owen from Yorkshire Cricket.We also have swimming on a Tuesday morning.
Personal, Social, Health Education	Religious Education	Science	Other things to note
<p>Our key topics this term are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Keeping myself safe onlineMe and my relationships (Sex and Relationship Education)	<p>Our key topics this term are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">What would Jesus do? Can we live by the values of Jesus in the 21st century?If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship?	<p>Our units this term are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Light - We will be considering what shadows tell us about light, what translucent means and the impact on light. We will also explore refraction and why angles are important in light.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Spellings are sent home every 2 weeks. The date that spellings are sent home is a Thursday. Spelling test dates will be listed on the spelling sheet.Please encourage your child to read at home and ensure that books and records are in school every day.Children will go swimming on a Tuesday morning.Children will need their PE kits in school on a Monday and Wednesday.Sundog challenges will be set every Friday morning. Each week a challenge linked to our learning will be set along with a times table challenge.