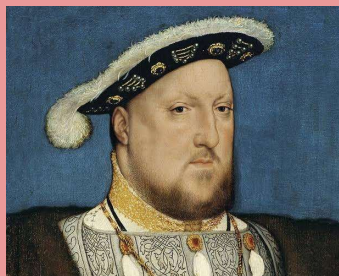
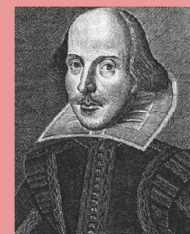


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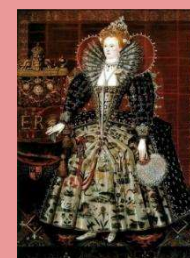
Academic:



This half term we are starting to learn about the Tudor times. We will find out about the Tudor monarchs and why Henry VIII had so many wives. We will also learn about the significant events which occurred in their time. We will find out about Elizabeth I and the age of exploration and we will link our history with literacy through Shakespeare.



In science we are going to learn about Space. We will learn about the solar system, the planets, modelling and the motion of the Earth. We will also look at space travel. We will also investigate space junk.



We will start the terms literacy with stories from different cultures in which we will concentrate on extended noun phrases and dialogue

Maths will consist of long multiplication and long division followed by fractions, decimals and area. We will also continue with our daily tough ten questions and multiplication checks.

Character:

Our character education links very closely with PSHE where we will have lessons on internet safety, stranger danger and looking after ourselves.

In addition, we will use our character virtues as play leaders working with the younger children in school, lunch helpers and of course House Captains and deputies.

We will continue to look out for children who regularly display their character virtues for certificates in our celebration assemblies.



Community:



Within our community we are lucky enough to have local places to visit. In January we will be visiting RHS Rosemoor and looking at the sculptures there before working on our own.



We will continue to have visits from Rev Paul in assemblies once a fortnight.

We also have a football festival with Plymouth Argyle football club at Launceston college.

For MFL, we will be continuing with French in preparation for our residential to Chateau du Molay in Normandy.

Digital and Innovation:

As usual, our chrome books will play an important role this term as we will use them for SATs revision work, Times table rockstars and to research our topics. We will also use them for our Accelerated reader checks, assessments and to record many aspects of our learning.

In DT we will design and make a pop up book using layers and spacers.

In music we will be thinking about musical theatre and creating action songs.

