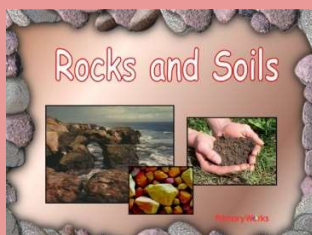


Fox Class - Autumn Term 2

What makes up our Earth?

Academic:



This half term, we will be learning about volcanoes – where they are and what causes them. This will link to our science unit on Rocks and Soil. During this unit, we will be grouping rocks based on their appearance, learning about where they come from and what they can be used for. In art, we will be looking at 3D shape and sculpture. We will be transforming 2D card shapes into three-dimensional structures and sculptures and developing our understanding of the difference between 2D and 3D shapes. We will continue to explore the importance of keeping ourselves safe online, whilst investigating different

ways of drawing using our Chromebooks.

Character:

This term, we will be focusing on the character virtue of generosity, as we approach Christmas. We will be curious learners as we look at the rocks and soil in our local area. We will be rehearsing contributions for our Carol Service and using the character virtue of courage in order to do this. In our art work, determination will be important through our studies on sculpture and looking at 2D and 3D art. We will be applying our understanding of the British Values and our understanding of mutual respect and tolerance during our PSHE work where we will be valuing differences.



Community:



As part of our school community, we will be taking part in Children in Need activities to support a national charity. We will be rehearsing our contribution for the Carol Service and look forward to visiting the church for this. We will be looking at how we are part of the school community and the important part that we, as Fox Class, play. We will carry on supporting Edukid and will be learning more about Ronald, our new child who we sponsor as Nick has now graduated from school.

Digital and Innovation:

We will continue to learn about the importance of keeping ourselves safe online, with regular activities relating to this. Our ICT lessons will focus on drawing and desktop publishing – thinking about how we can use the Chromebooks to display our work in a digital way. Our art unit this term will give us opportunities to be innovators in our 3D art creations. We will be learning about Anthony Caro (a British artist) and Ruth Asawa (an American artist) – both artists who made sculptures.

