# **English**

We will be looking at the play 'Macbeth' by William Shakespeare.. We will be learning how to develop suspense in our writing and writing poetry. We will also be writing a discussion text about one of the

key themes in Macbeth.

Our comprehension sessions will be, mostly, linked to this half term's topic.

### Music

Focusing on jazz music and learning to play simple songs on the recorder.

### Art

The children will be developing their drawing skills and clay techniques.

They will be designing and making an abstract clay sculpture inspired by the modern sculptors, Henry Moore.

### Science

We will be developing our knowledge and understanding of electricity. We will be learning about electrical circuits and how to represent these as diagrams, using circuit symbols. We will be asking questions and investigating these (such as 'How can we change the brighntness of a bulb?').

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# To what extent do your actions define your character?

**Geography –** We will be focusing on topographical features of Greece, how Greece has changed over time, Greek culture, trade and land use and comparing Greece to the UK.

**PSHE** How can we keep healthy as we grow? We will be continuing to learn about how we can keep ourselves healthy (physically, emotionally and socially) as we become more independent.

**Computing** We will be exploring the concept of variables in programming through games in Scratch.

We will also be creating a stop-motion animation linked to Macbeth.

### RE

Christian beliefs in God being loving and Holy.

### Maths

We will be focusing on:

- Multiplying by 1 and 2 digits
- Dividing by 1 and 2 digits
- Fractions involving all 4 operations.
- Multi-step problem solving

Regular arithmetic practice

#### French

In this unit the children will learn about the shopping experience in France. Children will learn how to describe the colours of clothes and how to use prepositional language. They will learn key phrases for asking the questions needed when going shopping.

### PΕ

In the children's indoor lesson, they will be learning a range of self-defense techniques.

In their outdoor lesson, they will be focusing on problem solving in Outdoor and Adventurous Activities.