

Our Christian value this term is 'compassion'.

As scientists:

We are continuing to learn about **materials** by identifying and comparing the suitability of a variety of everyday materials for particular uses.

We will also be finding out how the shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching.

As historians:

We will learn about **Mary Seacole & Florence Nightingale**. Who were these famous historical figures, when did they live and what did they do? What was their legacy?

RE

We will be finding out about the Christian festival of **Easter** and salvation.

As readers and writers:

We will be exploring the book '**Rosie Revere: Engineer**' by Andrea Beaty. The children will use this book to explore the nature of failure and perseverance and will work towards some non fiction writing including explanations and leaflets.

We will also explore the wonderful book by Joseph Coelho called '**If All the World Were...**'. They will explore the themes of memories and hope and build up to writing their own poem to be read aloud.



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As designers:

We will be designing, **making & decorating vehicles** with moving wheels including use of construction kits.

PSHE

We will be learning about **how to be healthy** both physically and mentally.

As mathematicians:

We will be learning about **length and height** ; recognising and measuring using metres and centimetres.

Then we will learn about the properties of shape: Identifying and describing the **properties of 2D and 3D shapes**. Compare common 2D & 3D shapes

Time permitting, we will also learn about **time**: compare and sequence intervals of time. Tell and write the time to the nearest five minutes.

As computer scientists:

We will be learning about **Robot Algorithms**. We will design algorithms and then test those algorithms as programs and debug them.

As athletes:

We will be working on our **fitness** with Bristol Sport and then having a go at **orienteering**.

As musicians:

We will be **learning a Reggae style song** in the Charanga unit 'Zootime'.