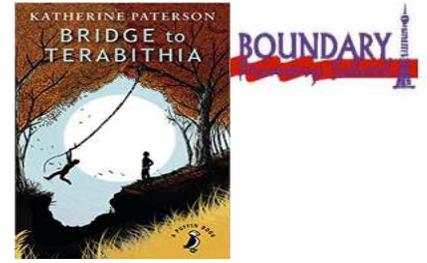




Autumn 2

Ring of Fire



In English we will be exploring and writing 'Science Fiction' stories, monologues and diary extracts.

We will be reading the novel 'Bridge to Terabithia' by Katherine Paterson.

In History, our unit will be Vikings.

As part of this topic we will research where Vikings came from, why they invaded Britain and what happened during the raids. We will also research how the Vikings lived and worked and use artifacts to find out more about their lives.

In Maths we will be focusing on fractions, decimals and percentages. We will learn how to simplify fractions by finding common denominators. We will learn how to compare and order fractions on number lines, including those >1 .

We will also focus on adding, subtracting, multiplying and dividing fractions using learnt rules.



We will also be welcoming in visitors from a company who will deliver a full day about Vikings. This will help us to understand better who they were and the impact they had here in Britain.

In PE we will be exploring health and fitness and how to keep healthy.

We will also exploring balances and tension as part of our gymnastics unit.



In Science our unit is 'Living Things and Classification'. We will be exploring why living things are classified into groups according to similarities/differences, including micro-organisms, plants and animals.

We will also research differences between vertebrates and invertebrates.

In French we will be describing people and reading and writing simple sentences, using French dictionaries to assist.



In Geography, our unit will be Mountains and Volcanoes.

As part of this topic we will learn the main features of mountains and understand how they are formed. We will also learn about volcanoes, where and why they occur, with a focus on Mount Vesuvius in Italy.



In PHSE, we will be focusing on anti-bullying. We will continue to develop strategies for managing feelings positively and effectively. We will also discuss where to go to get help if we are being bullied.



In RE we will be focusing on Christianity, in particular the role God plays in the journey of our life.