

Theme Overview ~ Chalk and Cheese

Breadth of Study

History

Our topic is driven by History. We will be basing our questions around our school and how it has changed over the last 100 years. We will start by thinking about what our school is like today before finding out about school life for our parents, grandparents and then for those children who came to school in the Victorian Era.



Art

This term we are looking at active landscapes painted by Lowry and Bruegel. We will use these as inspiration to our writing and also use them to base our own paintings based on our school playground.



Geography

To link in with our history of our school and school grounds we will also be learning about the changes that have taken place in our local environment in the last 100 years.



RE

Of course our RE will be linked to the Christmas story. Our big idea will be around journeys with a focus on the journey made by different groups in the Nativity story.



Curriculum drivers

Enterprise

To help others we will be designing and writing our very own pages for the school website to share our school from of child's perspective.

Outdoor learning

We will be learning traditional playground games and playing these outside, sharing them with others. We will also be designing our own games and songs.

Active Learners

We will be finding out about the history of our school by asking questions and welcoming visitors into our school. We will share our work with our visitors.

Multicultural

Through our multicultural work we will be finding out about schools in different places. We will find this out from our friends who may have been to school in a different country or by making links with other children through our class blog.

Enterprising is a service to others which provides something of value.

Making best use and getting most value from the outdoor environment, people and places including local settings.

We want children to be active rather than passive learners; to be enquiring, physical and have NO WORKSHEETS!

Broaden children's horizons, empathy and understanding of other cultures outside of Stockbridge.

Enrichment

Visit: TBC

Visitor: visitors from the community; grandparents, old school pupils

Small scale visit: Victorian Day

