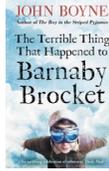


Guided Reading

Our class text for this term will be 'The Terrible Thing That Happened to Barnaby Brocket'



English

In English, we will focus on:

- Writing a narrative based on a child who overcomes an obstacle
- A poem describing a journey in a hot air balloon
- Writing a postcard home from Christ the Redeemer in Brazil.
- A narrative based in the hullabaloo of a Brazilian carnival
- Constructing a non-chronological report about the different countries we have visited

RE

While travelling the world, we will consider how and why people of different faiths make special journeys to global pilgrimage sites.

Art

As artists, we will visit Australia where we will be exploring different materials and mediums. We will be creating a piece of aboriginal art. As our journey takes us to India we will be refining our drawing techniques and using perspective to draw the Taj Mahal.

Theme

To open our theme we will be exploring materials and methods of transport. We will then develop our geography skills to locate countries around the world as we visit 4 contrasting countries. As we visit these countries, we will explore a variety of different cultures, foods and religious pilgrimages.

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Maths

As mathematicians, we will be focussing on further enhancing our understanding and application of multiplication and division. We will then progress to fractions, decimals and percentages and develop an understanding of the relationship between these different units of work.

Music

In Music, we will be looking at how rhythm and beats are used to create powerful music from around the world. The children will use musical instruments in the style of the countries we visit, with a special guest appearance from Albemarle Music Centre.

WOW EVENTS!

- We will launch our theme with a day inspired by different countries from around the world. We will explore the different foods, cultures and music from each country.
- The children will showcase their amazing musical experiences from their Brazilian inspired music week.
- The children will be perfecting their culinary skills in an Italian style cooking day. They will make Pizzas inspired by ingredients from Italy.

Geography

In geography, we will be exploring and comparing the human geographical elements for a variety of different countries from around the world. We will consider the language spoken, food eaten, traditions and special places. We will also look at the important roles Ports play in distributing goods around the world.

Science

In Science, we will be investigating forces such as friction and gravity. Will we investigate how boats reduce water resistance and how parachutes use air resistance to land safely. We will also investigate how friction affects the movement of toy cars.

Design and Technology

In D&T this theme, we will be designing, making and cooking pizzas inspired by traditional Italian ingredients. We will also be making electrical systems to signal when our pizzas are ready!