

English

Key Text: Pig Heart Boy by Malorie Blackman (ISBN 978-0-552-55166-3). We will also be reading extracts from Romeo and Juliet by William Shakespeare.

Writing: Children will write a comic strip/digital animation based on Romeo and Juliet and a sonnet.

Reading: Children will read and explore characteristics of play scripts, show understanding through intonation, volume and action and deduce characters' reasons for behaviour from their actions.

Spoken Word: Children will participate in presentations, performances and role play.

Text and Word: Converting nouns and adjectives into verbs using suffixes e.g. -ate, -ise, -ify -ible

Punctuation: Use brackets, dashes and commas to show parenthesis

Sentence structure: Indicating degrees of possibility using modal verbs – might, should, perhaps, surely.

Maths

- Fractions
 - Add and subtract fractions with the same denominator and denominators that are multiples of the same number.
 - Multiply proper fractions and mixed numbers by whole numbers, supported by materials and diagrams.
 - Read and write decimals as fractions.
 - Solve problems involving multiplication and division, including scaling by simple fractions and problems involving simple rates.

Bishop Perrin

C.E. Primary School



Service Class

YEAR 5

HEARTBEAT

Spring 2

CURRICULUM INFORMATION

RE

We will be learning about the Christian Festival of Easter. Through major services and celebrations, the children will explore the concepts of repentance and salvation. They will learn about Ash Wednesday, Palm Sunday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday.

THEME

Theme name: Heartbeat

Subject Driver: Science

In this theme, in **Science**, children will be learning about how the body works – in particular the heart and lungs. They will be carrying out experiments to learn about their pulse rate. They will be designing and sewing a coat of arms in **Art** based on the Montagues and the Capulets from Romeo and Juliet. In **Geography** children will understand geographical similarities and differences through a study of Italy, focused on Verona. In **Music**, children will sing songs from Shakespeare's theatre and use instruments from that time. In **PSHE**, they will learn about discrimination and how actions can affect themselves and others.

PE: Basketball

COMPUTING:

Children will learn how to use databases.

FRENCH: A la plage

If you have any queries about other aspects of the curriculum that are not covered here, please see your child's class teacher.