



## Unsinkable!

This half term our focus will be on the sinking of the Titanic!



### English

In writing we will be linking our learning to the sea and the sinking of the Titanic. The children will begin by writing a recount, looking at past tense forms of verbs and the features used within a recount, before moving on to a grammar focus. Afterwards, the children will be combining their knowledge from History, Art and Writing to create a cross-curricular piece about the Titanic.

### Maths

During this half term, the children will be exploring shape and finding fractions of shapes, using place value within numbers to solve problems as well as continue to develop effective methods to solve calculations involving the four operations – addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

### PSHE

The theme for this half term is 'Being my best'. Through the unit of work the children will learn to recognise and celebrate their strengths. They will learn about what constitutes a healthy lifestyle, the importance of personal hygiene and about disease and their own health.

### RE

This half term the children will learn about 'Love' when sad and happy. They will reflect on times they have been happy and sad, explore what makes people happy and sad and then think about what happiness and sadness means. They will then learn about the Easter story and recognise happiness and sadness within it.

### History

We will be exploring the events surrounding the sinking of the Titanic. The children will be exploring changes that have been made and who was to blame for the tragedy.

### Music

This half term the children will Through this the children will explore beat and repetition before creating their own pieces to perform. The children will explore performing in a round and use body percussion.

### PE

During this half term, the children are going to focus on dance. Over the half term, their dances will focus on a number of themes, encouraging children to think about beat, simple movement patterns and encourage children to be creative.

### Art

In Art the children will be looking at the work of marine artist Edward D Walker. The main focus will be painting, learning about tints and shades and creating a background wash. The children will apply their drawing skills to create their own replicas of Walker's famous HMS Titanic paintings.

## Computing

During Spring 2, the children will learn about the importance of online safety. The children will explore what to do when unkind things are said to them.