English

We will begin the year by looking at some pieces within The Book of Hopes by Katherine Rundell. We will have a focus on practising the writing skills we already have and know, and making sure we are secure in these before we begin our new learning.



Maths

<u>Place Value</u>

Year 3 will explore the counting, representation, and partitioning of numbers to $1,\!000.$

Year 4 will explore the counting, representation, and partitioning of numbers to 10,000.

Addition and Subtraction

Year 3 will be working towards adding and subtracting 2-digit and 3-digit numbers with exchanges. Year 4 will be working towards adding and subtracting two 4-digit numbers with multiple exchanges. RE

Our focus this half term will be on Christianity and the concept of Creation.

The overarching question we will be exploring this half term is:

What do Christian's learn from the creation

story? Our focus story will be Genesis I and we'll explore the idea of God as a Creator through discussion, art, drama and more.



PE

This half term we will be learning all about basketball and practising those skills associated with the sport, such as dribbling, passing, and shooting.

Mr Luxa will be teaching us on Tuesday, alongside Miss Ward and Mrs Griffiths will be continuing our learning on Fridays.



Our Curriculum Web

Autumn Term 1 2023

Chestnut Class



Science

We will be tackling forces and magnets in science this half term.

We will be looking at push and pull forces and how these may or may not be caused by contact.

Also, we'll investigate magnets, drawing our own scientific conclusions on how they work and their relationship with each other and other materials.

Foundation Subjects

Geography- This term we are looking at How and why is my local area changing?

Computing. To start out the year, we will be looking at computing systems and networks, particularly at Emailing.

PSHE - We will be completing the Jigsaw module *Being Me in My World* and thinking about how to work collaboratively within our class.

MFL- We'll be learning basic greetings and going over days of the week and colours in French.

Art

We will be working collaboratively to create mixed media power prints.

We will be introduced to artists such as Ed Ruscha, Alberto Giacometti, Fernando Botero and Henry Moore throughout this learning.



We will learn to use drawing to create 3D pictures, and explore a range of media,

thinking about how they interact with each other to create different effects.

