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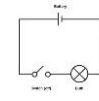
We will use the classic narrative poem 'The Highwayman' and 'The Hound of the Baskervilles' as the basis for much of our work this term. The children will write diary entries from a character's perspective and we'll study how language is used for imagery and dramatic effect. We will also write a narrative and explanation text.



Maths



As well as continuing to develop our arithmetic skills through working on our 'Fluent in Five' each day, we will also learn about Fractions, Decimals and Percentages. Year 5 and 6 will be taught separately this term, with year 6 beginning to work towards SATS preparation.



Science



This term we will be investigating electrical circuits. We will look at the components used within electrical circuits and how to draw these in circuit diagrams. We will design and create circuits which utilise buzzers and lights to gain attention. We will then consider how to apply these circuits practically in creating burglar alarms.

Crime and Punishment

Years 5 and 6

Term 3 and 4

2019



Computing

We will question and analyse historical crime data and statistics, using databases and spreadsheets from the Purple Mash scheme of work.



History

We will be looking at how Crime and Punishment has changed from Anglo-Saxon times to the present day, focussing specifically on the changes in Victorian times.

Geography

We will learn how volcanoes affect the lives of people on Hiemaey. Children will understand the key physical processes that shape the earth.



DT

We will understand and apply the principles of a healthy and varied diet. We will also examine how diets have been created on a budget in the past.



RE

Our focus will be 'what does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?' Children will identify and explore Muslim beliefs about God and the holy Qur'an.



PSHE

'Dreams and Goals' will be the focus of our work this term. Children will discuss their dreams for the future and how they can help make the world a better place.



Music

We will continue to follow the Charanga Scheme of work. All the learning in this unit is focused around one song: Happy, a pop song by Pharrell Williams.



French

We will learn names for some foods and have conversations about our likes and dislikes. We'll also look at connectives (such as *et*, *mais*, *aussi*).



PE

Tag rugby and Netball will become the focus of our work in PE during the spring term.