

# Autumn 2 Overview: Ash Class

## Daily Read Aloud

Skellig by David Almond/Wolf Brother by Michelle Paver



## Poetry

*In the Bleak Midwinter* by Christina Rossetti



## Big Events

29<sup>th</sup> November – Trip to Flag Fen



## English: Fiction

**Narrative – focus on building suspense.**

Model text: Wolf Brother by Michelle Paver

SPAG:

- Fronted adverbials
- Word classes
- Consistent use of capital letters
- Use of question marks



## English: Non Fiction

**Persuasive writing – adverts.**

Model text: Various examples of persuasive adverts

Main focus:

- using rhetorical questions
- hyperbole (exaggeration)
- creating catchy slogans



## Maths

**Multiplication and division:** Continuing to learn multiplication and division facts for tables up to 12 x 12. Multiplying and dividing by 10 and 100. Recognising multiples and factors.

**Year 5** – identifying prime, square and cube numbers.

**Perimeter:** You will find the perimeter of different shapes and solve a range of problems.

**Area (Year 5 only):** Year 5 children will learn about finding the area of different shapes.



## RE

**People of God: How does following God bring freedom and justice?**

You will learn about the key events in the life of Moses, including the ten plagues of Egypt and the Ten Commandments.



## Science

**Light**

You will learn about how light travels and how we see things.

You will explore how mirrors are used to reflect light.

You will investigate shadows.

You will explore how light is made up of different colours.



## History

**Stone Age to Iron Age (contd)**

You will learn about how life for humans in Britain changed from the Stone Age to the Iron Age.

You will use a range of sources and begin to consider the reliability of these sources.

You will learn about the work of archaeologists relating to prehistoric artefacts.



## Computing

**Word processing**

You will continue to develop word processing skills, including inserting images into a document in order to create a persuasive advert.



## Design Technology

**Moving Toys**

You will explore moving toys.

You will design and make a moving toy.



## P.E.

**PE days will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Please come into school in sports kit including trainers.**

REAL PE (Social) – you will continue to carry out a range of physical activities whilst working with others in pairs and groups, in order to develop 'teamwork' skills.

Swimming – on Thursdays, you will continue to attend swimming lessons in Oundle.



## Music

**Classroom Jazz**

You will learn about different jazz rhythms and learn to play simple melodies.

You will explore the idea of improvisation.



## PSHE

**Celebrating Difference**

You will explore your own uniqueness and that of others. You will explore how different people may have different views depending on a range of influences.



## French

You will continue to develop your understanding of French vocabulary and write simple sentences.

You will learn about France and the French way of life.

You will listen to stories and songs in French.

*These lessons will be taught by Mrs Freeman.*