Blidworth: Weeks 8 -14

Areas of Learning

English: A Christmas Carol

Maths: Representing and solving inequalities

Science: Cells, Genetics and inheritance

RE: Understanding sin in Christianity

Art: Natural Form

History: Early Elizabethan England

Construction: Carpentry and Hand skills

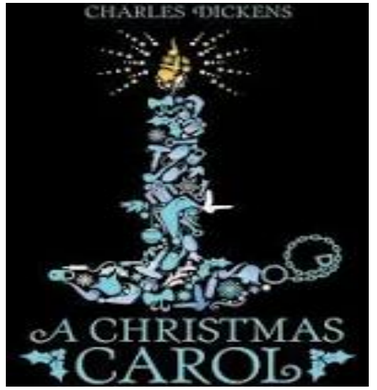
PE: Invasion games

PSHE: Health and Wellbeing

Food and cookery: Health and safety in the Kitchen

Travel and tourism: Customer service skills

A Christmas Carol tells the story of Ebenezer Scrooge, a mean and selfish man who hates Christmas. On Christmas Eve, he is visited by the ghost of his former business partner, Jacob Marley, and three Christmas ghosts. They show him his past, present and future, helping him realise how unkind and greedy he has been. After seeing the impact of his behaviour, Scrooge changes his ways, becomes generous and embraces the spirit of Christmas.



Educational Visits:
Workhouse in Southwell

Curiosity & Knowledge

English: Pupil will study A Christmas Carol, exploring key characters, themes, plot and context, developing an understanding of Dickens' messages about poverty, social responsibility and redemption.

Maths: In this unit of work, we will investigate how to represent, interpret and solve inequalities using symbols, number lines and simple algebra.

Science: Pupils develop their understanding of cells, genetics and inheritance, exploring how characteristics are inherited and how genetic variation and modification occur.

History: Pupil will explore Early Elizabethan England, learning about Elizabeth I, religious changes, society and key events during her reign.

Explore & Make

Art & Design: Pupil will explore natural forms, using observation, drawing and different materials to create artwork inspired by nature.

World Views: Pupil will explore the Christian understanding of sin, including how it affects people's actions, relationships and beliefs about forgiveness.

Construction: Pupil will develop practical carpentry and hand skills, learning to use tools safely and measure, cut and join materials to create simple projects.

Food and Cookery: Pupils will continue to investigate health and safety in the kitchen and demonstrate safe cooking techniques whilst following multi-step recipes.

Travel and Tourism: Pupils will investigate skills required in customer service in a range of settings including hotels and amusement parks.

Health & Me

PSHE: Pupil will explore key aspects of personal, social and emotional wellbeing, including online safety, relationships, mental health, body image, resilience, risk-taking and making informed decisions.

Outdoor Education: Pupils will begin to look at navigation, first aid, cooking outdoors and other camp skills.

PE: Pupils will develop their knowledge and skills, focusing on teamwork, communication, passing, movement, tactics and sportsmanship.. Enhancing their knowledge on rules and understanding of the sports.

Emotional Intelligence: Pupil will develop emotional regulation strategies to strengthen independence, resilience and personal wellbeing.

Citizenship: Pupil will explore online reputations, cyberbullying and online relationships, learning how to stay safe and make responsible choices online.

Childcare: Pupil will explore the expectations, roles and responsibilities of early years practitioners and how they support children's learning, development and wellbeing.