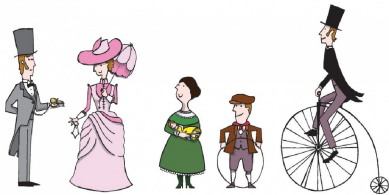


## Topic - The Victorians

During this topic we will be using historical sources, asking questions and researching to find out about life during the Victorian era. We will investigate how the life of a poor child differed from the life of a rich child. We will investigate Victorian inventions and the effect the railways had on the local area and we will create a timeline, placing important dates along it. We will communicate our findings in a variety of ways ensuring we use historical vocabulary.



## Art / Design

Through topic and science we will find many opportunities to produce artwork around the themes we are exploring. We will also be taking part in an exciting project to build our own glider, competing in a design competition.

## Music

This term the children will be continuing with specialist music teaching, where they will be using steel pans. They will be moving on to composition and the use of musical notation.

## RE

This term we will continue to look at Sikh beliefs. We will contrast this with the beliefs of Humanists whilst also taking a closer look at some Christian celebrations.

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## PE

Curlew class will have the opportunity to receive specialist PE teaching from Mr Ricketts again this term. He will be starting off with gymnastics, aiming to use the inside space and equipment to maximum effect. Additionally, children will take part in training geared towards inter-school competitions and the dance festival.

## Spanish

The children will continue to expand their vocabulary and build sentences which they will practise orally. They will also continue to develop their spelling through written work.

## Science - Forces

We will be finding out more about the force of gravity as well as looking at friction, water resistance and air resistance. The children will also begin to recognise that some mechanisms, including levers, pulleys and gears, allow a smaller force to have a greater effect. We will continue to plan scientific enquiries, take measurements and interpret results.

## Computing

Computing will be taught across the curriculum and include e-safety, programming, and combining text and graphics using a variety of software.

