

## Activities for Terms 3 & 4 - 2020

**TOPIC – ROBIN HOOD**

**YEAR 4 - MRS COLQUHOUN, MISS PENFOLD**

<b>CURRICULUM AREA</b>	<b>FOCUS</b>
<p><b><u>ENGLISH</u></b></p> <p>Reading</p>   <p>Writing</p>  <p>Speaking and Listening</p>	<p>Reading classic version of the story of Robin Hood Reading The Promise by Nicola Davies</p> <p>Reading for meaning, whilst inferring and deducing information from a variety of texts. Analysing the use of author’s language.</p> <hr/> <p>Expanding our range of sentence types by writing character descriptions, letters and diary entries. Developing our grammar knowledge, spelling patterns and joined handwriting.</p> <hr/> <p>Expressing ideas and opinions, including in debate and discussion. Performing in our Spring production.</p>
<p><b><u>MATHS</u></b></p> <p>Number</p>   <p>Shape and space</p>  <p>Problem Solving</p>	<p>Quick mental recall of times table facts and a variety of number facts. Mental methods for multiplication and division. Written methods for multiplication and division. Fractions of shapes, an amount, as well as equivalence.</p> <hr/> <p>Area, Perimeter and elements of time.</p> <hr/> <p>Developing problem solving and investigation skills – looking at working systematically, proving rules and word problems.</p>
<p><b><u>COMPUTING</u></b></p>	<p>To understand the importance of eSafety and staying safe. Beginning to understand how the internet works. Learning to type (Dance mat)</p>
<p><b><u>SCIENCE</u></b></p>	<p>Sound Understanding that a sound is vibration. Observing the structure of the ear and how we hear. Investigate patterns with pitch, volume and distance.</p> <hr/> <p>Developing scientific investigation skills.</p>

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<b><u>R.E.</u></b>	Christianity. Stories from the Bible. Religious symbolism.
<b><u>GEOGRAPHY/HUMANITIES</u></b>	Developing map-reading skills- locating cities in the UK. Exploring medieval life. Discussing alternative viewpoints on history – is Robin Hood real? Exploring human and physical features of cities, towns and villages with a specific focus on Bicester.
<b><u>DESIGN TECHNOLOGY</u></b>	Design and make a working trebuchet Needlework – to make a money pouch
<b><u>ART</u></b>	Anna Dillon (Oxfordshire artist) – observe use of colour and shape, draw a landscape in the style of Anna Dillon
<b><u>PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND GAMES</u></b>	Dodgeball – team games and skills in attack and defence Specialist teaching of outdoor P.E. skills.
<b><u>MUSIC</u></b>	Musical notation. Composition skills. Singing.
<b><u>TOPIC:</u></b> - <b>Robin Hood: hero or villain?</b> - <b>The Promise by Nicola Davies</b>	A look at the historical period and legend of Robin Hood The Promise is a look at how towns and cities change and are different to rural settings.