



What is Rushden best known for?

Driver: History

Year 6
Autumn
2023-2024

As writers we will...

write a biography celebrating the life of Herbert E. Bates and we will create an eye-catching explanation text based on 'The Moth'.



As mathematicians we will...

be able to understand the place value of numbers up to 10,000,000 and use our knowledge to round, order and compare. We will be using formal methods to calculate with numbers up to 5 digits and use our skills to problem solve.



As scientists we will...

be focusing on evolution and inheritance. We will discuss how living things have changed over time. We will recognise that living things produce offspring of the same kind, but offspring vary and are not identical to their parents.



As historians we will...

be exploring the local history of Rushden. We will plot key events of the last 200 years on a timeline. We will consider what Rushden was like 200 years ago and how the shoe industry has shaped and impacted the town.



Reading for Pleasure Class Novel:

Crater Lake



As technicians we will...

be able to understand how sharing information online can help people work together. We will look at how people communicate online and evaluate the effectiveness of this communication.



As artists we will...

be using paint to explore harmonious colours. We will experiment with how to use digital imagery to enhance our artwork.



Our focus skill for this term will be:



In Religious Education we will...

be considering religions in our community and thinking about how we can build a more respectful Northamptonshire.



As designers we will...

investigate the ingredients needed to make soup and use a variety of chopping skills to help us prepare it.



In French we will...

write sentences about the French sports that we like and use our previous knowledge to write an interview article about an Olympic sport.



As athletes we will...

be creating a performance piece using our dance skills, including sequences of movements, timing and gestures. We will also be developing our orienteering skills, this includes following directions, reading a key and interpreting a map.



As musicians we will...

be immersed into the song 'Happy' by Pharrell Williams and explore the style of pop music. We will learn how to describe the structure of a song, identify instruments and talk about the musical dimension using in the song. We will also use instruments as well as sing.



In PSHE we will...

be celebrating difference. We will consider the different perceptions of 'normal'.

