

RE

(To know you more clearly)

Galilee to Jerusalem: The overarching theme of this topic is Baptism. Baptism is the meeting point where people are reborn to a new life in Christ and become part of the Christian community.

Pupils will also begin to think about good and bad choices (sin) and why the Sacrament of Reconciliation is needed.

Poppy Class (Y2) Curriculum overview

Spring 2 2026

 **St. Finbar's**
Catholic Primary School

Science

Habitats

Pupils will identify a habitat They will recognise plants and animals that live near us. They will learn about microhabitats and how living things depend on each other. Pupils will also learn how to compare different habitats.

English

Reading: Develop skills of sequencing and deduction across a variety of texts. The class reader is 'The Tunnel' by Anthony Browne.

Writing: Using the text 'Grandad's Island' children will write a return narrative and an information text.

Grammar & Spelling: Beginning to commas for possession and using conjunctions.

Maths

Length and Height: using centimetres and metres

Mass, Capacity and Temperature: using grams, kilograms, millimetres and litres

Mental Maths: Use the four operations (+/- x/ ÷) to solve arithmetic questions

History

The Sinking of the Titanic

Pupils will recall key events of the Titanic and sequence them appropriately. They will compare the lifestyles of First and Third class passengers. Pupils will recall how the Titanic sank and describe the consequence of the disaster. Pupils will also evaluate a range of ways to prevent the disaster happening again and describe these

PE

Invasion Ball Games

Children will learn mastering possession, attacking to create space, and defending to restrict the opposition. They will develop essential physical skills such as accurate passing, receiving/catching, dribbling, shooting, and spatial awareness. Tactics will involve dodging, quick movement, and marking.

Music

Space - Contrasting Dynamics

Pupils will create a simple soundscape using dynamic changes. They will listen to music and respond creatively, considering how dynamics can be represented. They will create a short pitch pattern to represent a planet and perform a pitch pattern representing a planet, using vocal and instrumental sounds and changes in dynamics.

RSHE

Medicines and Me

Pupils will understand the purpose of medicines is to help people stay healthy, get well or feel better if they are ill. They will learn when medicines might be used and how to keep themselves safe around medicines.

Computing

Online Buddies

This activity will explore what friendship means online. The children will learn about the do's and don'ts of communicating over the internet)

DT

Textiles - Egg Pouches

Children will learn how to use a template and create a running stitch. They will then sew two pieces of fabric together using a running stitch.

Geography

Next half term

Events & celebrations

Return to school Monday 23rd February

Family Learning

Reading – reading diary to be signed every time you read at home

Spellings

Handwriting Practice

Maths/Grammar/Punctuation/
Comprehension homework each week

