

### **Art and Design / Design Technology**

We will look at the work of Claude Monet and link this to our weather topic. We will produce our own versions based on his work. Designing a storm resistant home. Printing Christmas cards.

### **Physical Education**

Games and dance unit  
Autumn dance  
Victorian Christmas dance

### **Class Novel**

You're A Bad Man, Mr Gum!

### **Religious Education**

**The Chosen People** –Children to learn that they are chosen and gifted by God to help others. We will develop our knowledge of Abraham, Moses and Daniel and explore their faith and trust in God.

**Mysteries** –Children develop knowledge and understanding of the term 'mystery' and of the Christian understanding of God as 'Trinity', through the nativity story.

**Treasures (CAFOD Unit)** –To know and understand that Christians believe that life is God's gift. We will explore what we treasure in life and acquire the skills of assimilation, celebration and application of the above.

### **Music**

Children to look at topic 'Hands, Feet, Heart' (Charanga) and then practice performance when preparing for our Christmas production.

Whatever The Weather  
Elm Class  
Autumn Term

### **French**

Counting to 31, basic conversation and weather.

### **Computing**

Children to use simple programming to learn about algorithms and to predict the behaviour of programmes (Espresso units). We will also look at using technology safely and respectfully and keeping personal information private.

### **Science**

We will look at the units covering 'Animals Including Humans'. We will learn about humans and animals, look at their differences and similarities and then observe growth of animals and humans, charting and explaining our results.

### **Creative : History / Geography**

We will learn about St Bernadette's History and explore what life in school and at home was like for children during Victorian times. Children will go to the Judges Lodgings Victorian Christmas experience.

In Geography, we will look at the location of our school and the surrounding area. We will explore geographical language and look at mapping. We will explore weather locally and climate around the world.