

Harriers - Half Termly Overview – Autumn 2 2025 – How does it work?

CORE SUBJECTS (SEE WEEKLY PLANS FOR MATHS AND ENGLISH OUTCOMES)				
	Maths Following White Rose Maths	English Super Sleuth Detective/crime fiction: Skulduggery Pleasant by Derek Landy (4 weeks) Explanation text: Electricity (3 weeks)	RE How does the birth of Jesus fit into God's big story? How do our celebrations reflect the true meaning of Christmas?	SCIENCE Electricity continued (link to DT Christmas toy making)
Week 1	Fractions: Equivalence and conversion of fractions	Detective/crime fiction Reading response phase	To discuss what I know about the Nativity story and to find it and read it in The Bible	To design a circuit for a specific purpose
Week 2	Fractions: Comparing and ordering fractions	Detective/crime fiction Reading analysis phase	To compare the versions of The Nativity story told by Matthew and Luke	To make a circuit for a specific purpose
Week 3	Fractions: Addition and subtraction of fractions	Detective/crime fiction Gathering content phase	To find out how The Nativity story fits into God's big story	Science trip to Eureka Science and Discovery Museum
Week 4	Multiplication: Long multiplication written methods	Detective/crime fiction Planning and writing phase	To read and analyse Christmas Carols and discuss how they connect to Christian beliefs	To conduct diagnostic tests on a circuit
Week 5	Division: Long division written methods	Explanation texts Reading responding and analysing phase	To consider how our celebrations reflect the true meaning of Christmas	To conduct further research into electricity and how it works (link to English)
Week 6	Multiplication and division: Solving problems	Explanation texts Gathering content and planning phase	To consider Mary and Joseph's journey and make links to modern day refugees	To demonstrate my knowledge of electricity and record what I have found out
Week 7	Revision, consolidation and assessment	Explanation texts Writing phase		To revise what I have learnt about electricity

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FOUNDATION SUBJECTS							
	Creative Curriculum		Other curriculum subjects				
	History/Geography Trade and economics	Art/DT Mechanisms and electrical systems Christmas toy making project	Computing 3D Modelling	PE Gymnastics Football	Music Make you feel my love	PSHE Valuing difference	French A l'ecole (school subjects)
Week 1	To explain the UK's trade links with other countries	To explain how simple cam mechanisms work	To be introduced to the 2Design and Make tool	Gymnastics To perform partner balances Football To develop dribbling with a ball	To learn to sing a song	To define some key qualities of friendship To describe ways of making a friendship last; To explain why friendships sometimes end	To name school subjects
Week 2	To explain and use maps to show the UK's trade links with other countries	To make a simple mechanism to help me understand cams	To explore the effect of moving points when designing	Gymnastics To perform a range of counter balances with a partner Football To develop travelling with a ball	To learn to play instruments with a song	To rehearse active listening skills To demonstrate respectfulness in responding to others To respond appropriately to others	To talk about likes and dislikes at school
Week 3	To explain trade links between El Salvador and the UK	To make a simple mechanism to help me understand cams	To design a 3D model to fit certain criteria	Gymnastics To know the difference between counter balance and counter tension Football To develop travelling, sending and shooting skills	To learn to improvise with a song	To develop an understanding of discrimination and its injustice, and describe this using examples To empathise with people who have been, and currently are, subjected to injustice, including through racism To consider how discriminatory behaviour can be challenged	To ask and say the time
Week 4	To explain the importance of fair trade	To build a framework, accurately using a wider range of tools and equipment	To refine and print a model	Gymnastics To create a gymnastic sequence Football To develop tactics in an invasion game	To create a simple composition	To identify and describe the different groups that make up their school/wider community/other parts of the UK To describe the benefits of living in a diverse society To explain the importance of mutual respect for different faiths and beliefs and how we demonstrate this	To talk about timings of the school day
Week 5	To explain the global supply chain	To understand and use a mechanical system. To carefully select materials and use different techniques		Gymnastics To create a gymnastic sequence Football To develop tactics in a modified invasion game	To develop performance skills	To demonstrate ways of showing respect to others, using verbal and non-verbal communication	
Week 6	To explain how trading has changed through history	To name the parts and functions of a cam and follower mechanical system		Gymnastic To improve and perform my sequence Football To develop tactics in a modified invasion game and evaluate my success.	To rehearse for a concert (KS2 Carol Service)	To understand and explain the term prejudice To identify and describe the different groups that make up their school/wider community/other parts of the UK To describe the benefits of living in a diverse society To explain the importance of mutual respect for different faiths and beliefs and how we demonstrate this.	
Week 7		To evaluate the success of my finished product			KS2 Carol Service		