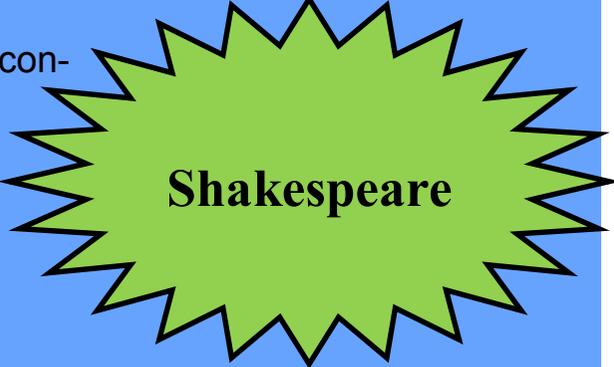


Introduction

This term the children will be learning about the entertainment of rich and poor people across a variety of historical periods.

In science they will continue to develop their skills as investigators and will be consolidating and extending their understanding of light.

The children will use what they have learnt about entertainment and how light travels in design and technology where they will explore how different cultures use shadow puppets as a form of entertainment before going on to design and create a show of their own.



Shakespeare

Learning Overview

As historians the children will become experts in the variety of entertainment and look at similarities with how we spend our leisure time today.

They will investigate a range of historical sources from different time periods including the Tudors, Middle ages, the Victorian era and modern times. They will interpret a variety of historical sources for example art, photographs, artefacts, recounts, reports and advertising. The children will think about whether the sources they look at give a reliable view of the past. They will consider how the past times of rich and poor were different. They will have the opportunity to investigate a chosen aspect of entertainment. They will look for evidence of how things have changed over time and for things that are still similar today.

As scientists, the children will be considering the idea of light travelling in straight a line. They will draw diagrams to show how light travels in different scenarios so as to obey the laws of physics.

As designers, the children will be looking at traditional and modern shadow puppets from around the world. They will use these as a stimulus for creating their own puppet. They will produce a design plan with annotated diagrams and work to cut and join accurately with the aim of producing a moving puppet which shows good attention to detail and finish.

In RE the children will be discovering Hinduism, in PE they be developing their skills in gymnastics and badminton