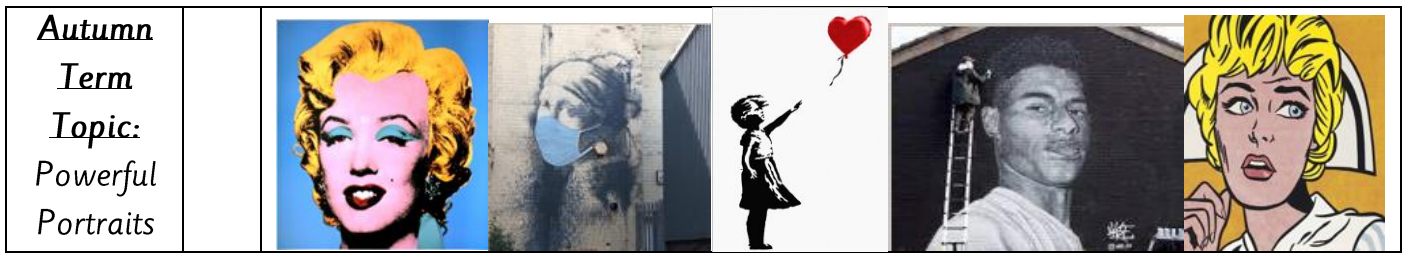


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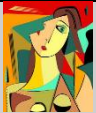





### Dear Parents / Carers

We are delighted to welcome the children back to school and are looking forward to a busy term ahead.

This term your children will be learning about portraiture with a particular focus on 'Pop Art' culture. Alongside this Curriculum Newsletter, your children will bring home this term's Knowledge Organiser. This contains key knowledge, dates, figures and vocabulary that the children should learn, as part of homework, by the end of the term when they will take their 'end of topic quiz'.

### Focus on Curriculum

Below outlines some of the exciting things your child will learn about and experience this term, through the different curriculum areas.

Art 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Study of Artists: Roy Lichtenstein, Andy Warhol, Banksy</li> <li>● Create shading to show mood and effect</li> <li>● Create an accurate print design</li> </ul>
Science 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Properties and changes in materials: conductors, insulators, solubility, reversible and irreversible changes</li> </ul>
Languages 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● La Famille How we talk about our family members and ages.</li> </ul>
Personal Development (SCARF) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Healthy Heroes Unit</li> </ul>
Physical Education 	<p><b>PE days for this term are:</b>                      Monday (Maple &amp; Sycamore) Hockey Tuesdays (Sycamore and Maple): Up and Under delivering 'Healthy Heroes' sessions Both PE sessions are potentially outdoors.</p>
Music 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 'Livin' on a Prayer' Charanga Music Exploring the interrelated dimensions of music- rhythm, pulse, pitch; singing; playing the glockenspiel and improvising</li> </ul>



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### ***Signposts to Learning***

We know that you will be keen to support your children with their learning. Below are some suggested books and websites, which can help.

#### **Websites**

<https://www.tate.org.uk/kids>  
<https://www.npg.org.uk/learning/families/>  
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/46632542>  
<https://www.tate.org.uk/kids/explore/who-is/who-roy-lichtenstein>  
<https://www.tate.org.uk/kids/explore/who-is/who-andy-warhol>

#### **Books**

Art A Children's Encyclopedia (DK)

- Masterpieces in Pieces: A Young Person's Guide to Taking Great Art Apart (Ingrid Swenson)

### ***Homework***

Homework will be set on a Friday and will be due in on the following Wednesday.

Homework will include:

- Learning weekly spellings
- Reading 5 times per week and completing a reading focused activity in the Reading Diary
- A Maths task (Either online or paper task)

### ***Important Dates for Your Diaries***

- Wb 6th November Parents' Evening
- Wednesday 8th November Flu immunisations
- 14th & 15th December RE Theme days – Christianity

As you can see, this term will bring many exciting learning opportunities! If you do have any questions, please feel free to contact us through the family messaging service on the Seesaw app.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Tunnicliff and Mr East