### Maths

Number and place value, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division, measurement, properties of shape, graphs and data collection, mental strategies and all multiplication tables, investigations and problem solving.

### ART/DT

We will study the art of Henry VIII's court artist, Hans Holbein, and recreate some of his famous Tudor portraits. We will also begin to design a toy or automata with moving parts powered by simple electric circuits.

## RE

Christianity was a popular topic in Tudor times, so we will continue our look into Christianity; Catholicism and Protestantism, and the Bible. We will them study the Buddhist faith.

**GEOGRAPHY** 

During our 'Bright Sparks' topic, we will look into the water cycle and weather including storms. We will also begin to understand how we can harness nature's power as alternative sources of energy.

Children will take part in a variety of athletic, gymnastic activities, whilst continuing learning different skills for games and sportsmanship.

## Computing

We will continue to practice 'E' Safety keeping safe when using the internet, as well as the using the internet for research. We will also continue to develop word processing skills and use of computer programs.

# alongside weekly

**English** 

Variety of writing

opportunities, such as

imaginative recounts, play

scripts, explanation texts,

report writing, instructions;

comprehension, handwriting, spelling, punctuation and arammar tasks.

SCIENCE

sound travels and how we hear different sounds. We will investigate through some Tudor music. Electricity- we will begin to understand how electricity works and design our own electric circuits.

Sound- we will investigate how sound is made, how

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### MUSIC

We will be following our Charanga music scheme, where we will look at instruments of the Tudor period compared to now, and study the music of The Beatles.

## **HISTORY**

'Off with your head!' will look at the Tudor dynasty in England; life as a Tudor, invasions and European connections and, of course, the Royal Tudor family; Henry VIII, his wives and children.