Year 3 Summer 1 Firework Maker's Daughter overview



In this journey, children will read The Firework Maker's daughter and immerse themselves in the story. The story will follow through the whole curriculum inspiring them to create different outcomes.

OUTCOME: Children will recreate the journey Lila takes within the story.

Applied Literacy:

Letter - from Lila to her father

Character description - Wanted poster of Rambashi

Instructions - Rambashi's grill

Setting description - The volcano

First person narrative - The Hidden Chapter

Pupil Premium Curriculum Enhancement:

Music - Key concept:

Children will be using the notes 'C' 'D' 'E' to compose a piece of music inspired by The Firework Maker's Daughter.

Art - Key concept: Shading and Tinting

Children will be exploring Van Gogh's art style to recreate a landscape scene from The Firework Maker's Daughter. They will be using one of Van Gogh's common mediums that he used, oil pastels.

Science - Key concept: Light

The children will be looking at artificial and natural sources of light and the dangers we could face due to the sun. Additionally, the children will be investigating shadows and developing their scientific enquiry skills.

SMSC and Personal Skill:

Perseverance - How did Lila show perseverance?

Community links/ Enterprise/ Experiences:

Role play day - Each classroom will be turned into a section of the book and the children will experience a day in the life of Lila!

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