

## Lion Class—This half-term our topic “What would you tell somebody about Norwich?”

**History** – The children will be researching and learning about the history of Norwich. They will consider the changes through time particularly with regards to industries. We will look at how national history is reflected in our locality and ensuring the children have a chronological understanding of history.

**Maths**– This half term we will be continuing our work of the four areas of calculation using the CPA approach. Children are given concrete objects to help support their learning.

We will then start to investigate fractions. The children will begin by looking at fractions of objects, shapes and numbers before progressing to equivalent fractions and improper fractions. In addition to this we will look at the links between fractions and decimals.

**English**– This term we will be focusing on Non fiction writing.

We will be learning about persuasive writing. We will be using our learning to write Mr Denny a letter asking him if we can go on a school trip.

Next, the children will create a tourists’ guide to Norwich. This will be inspired by our trip to the city and bring together our work on map drawing, persuasive language and non fiction writing.

**Religious Education**- This will be taught with an enquiry approach.

This term the children will be looking to answer the question:

“How does being a Christian affect your life?”

**Art**– We have an Art specialist coming into school to work with the children. She will be helping to develop their technique in sketching, focusing on the drawing of shoes and the contrast between light and dark.

science will focus on materials and state of matter. The children will learn about gases, solids and liquids. Thinking about how they can move from one state to another through reversible and irreversible change.

They will sort and classify materials, considering what makes materials fit for purpose and not for others. This will be linked to the industries of Norwich, looking at different types of shoes.

A big thank you to Dr Merrick, a science specialist who comes in to help with science.

**Music**—This term we have a music specialist, Maureen Hanke, Head of Norfolk Music Services, coming in to teach Key Stage 2. She will cover a range of aspects from the music curriculum.