

St Mary's Equality & Diversity Day





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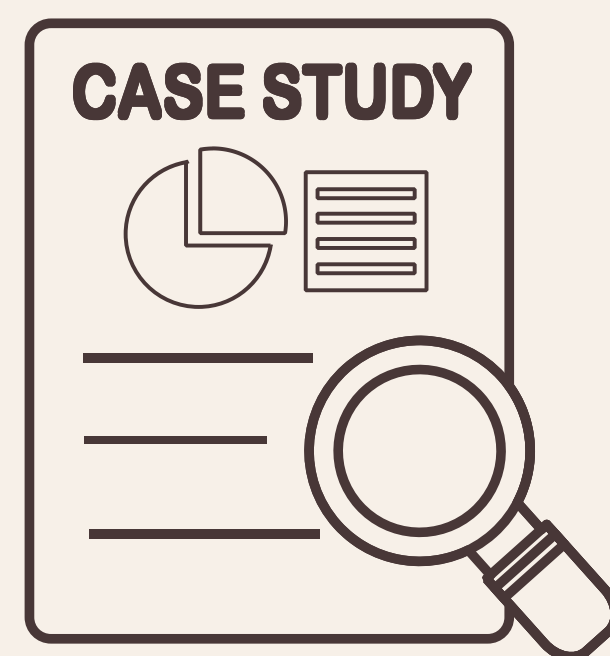


All students will look at Sail Creative's colourful zebra crossing and website for social change. They will create an inclusive pieces of Art using typography inspired by the Sail Creative messages. Year 10 students will have the same stimulus, but it will geared more to celebrating our fantastic differences. Eg: Fashion



Business Studies

Year 10 and 12 will spend time looking into different equality and inclusion case studies within several large organisations. Students will explore the issue and how businesses reacted or should have reacted. They will also identify the impacts on stakeholders involved.



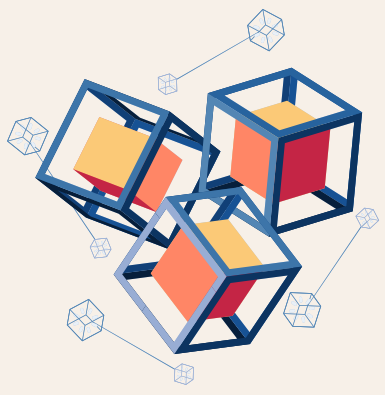
Computer Science

In Computer Science students will look at the contributions of diverse individuals in the field of computing.

Activities:

- Research and present on pioneers from underrepresented groups in tech, such as Ada Lovelace, Alan Turing, Grace Hopper, and more contemporary figures like Reshma Saujani and Kimberly Bryant.
- Create a timeline or digital scrapbook using PowerPoint. Encourage discussions on how these individuals' diverse backgrounds influenced their contribution.





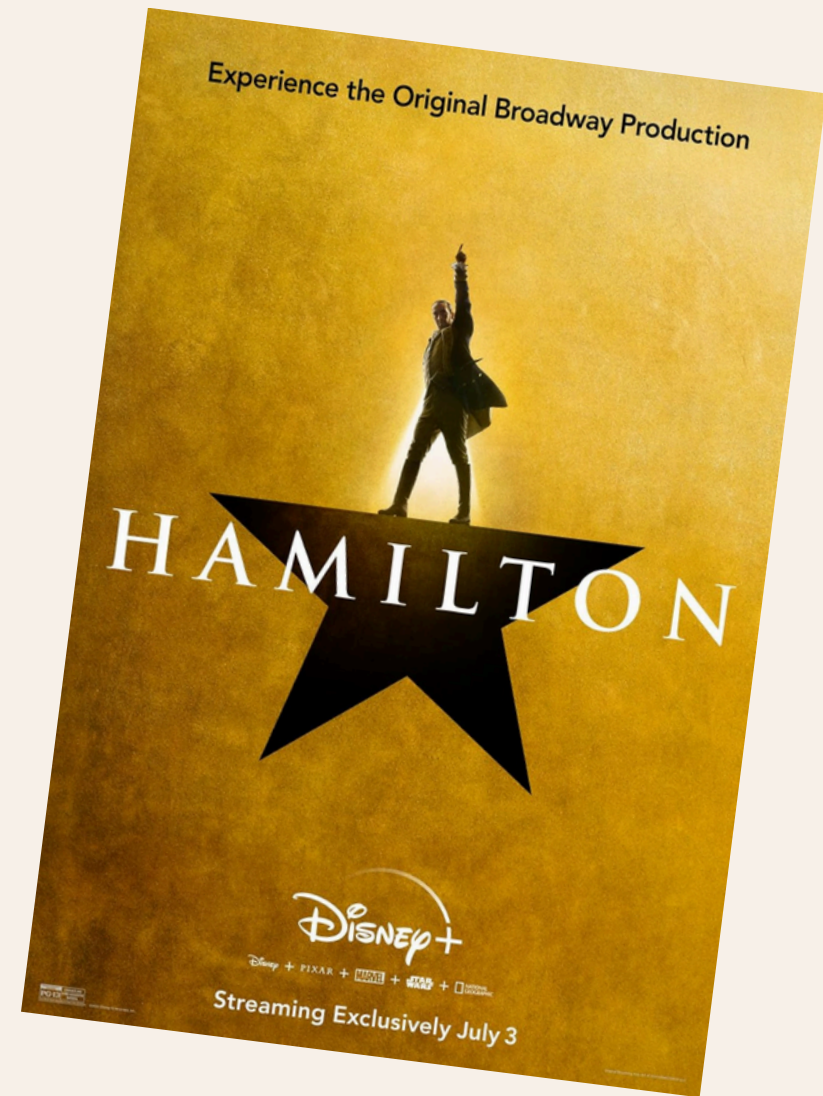
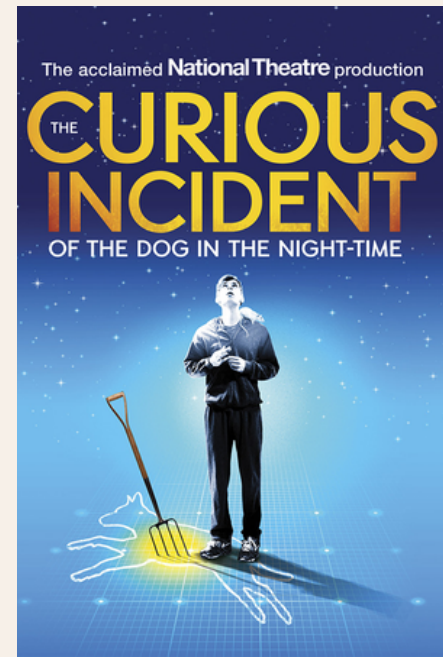
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In Design and Technology, students will learn about cultural understanding and empathy and how these concepts play a key role in effective and moral design. There will be tasks related to graphics, product, and food design.

Drama



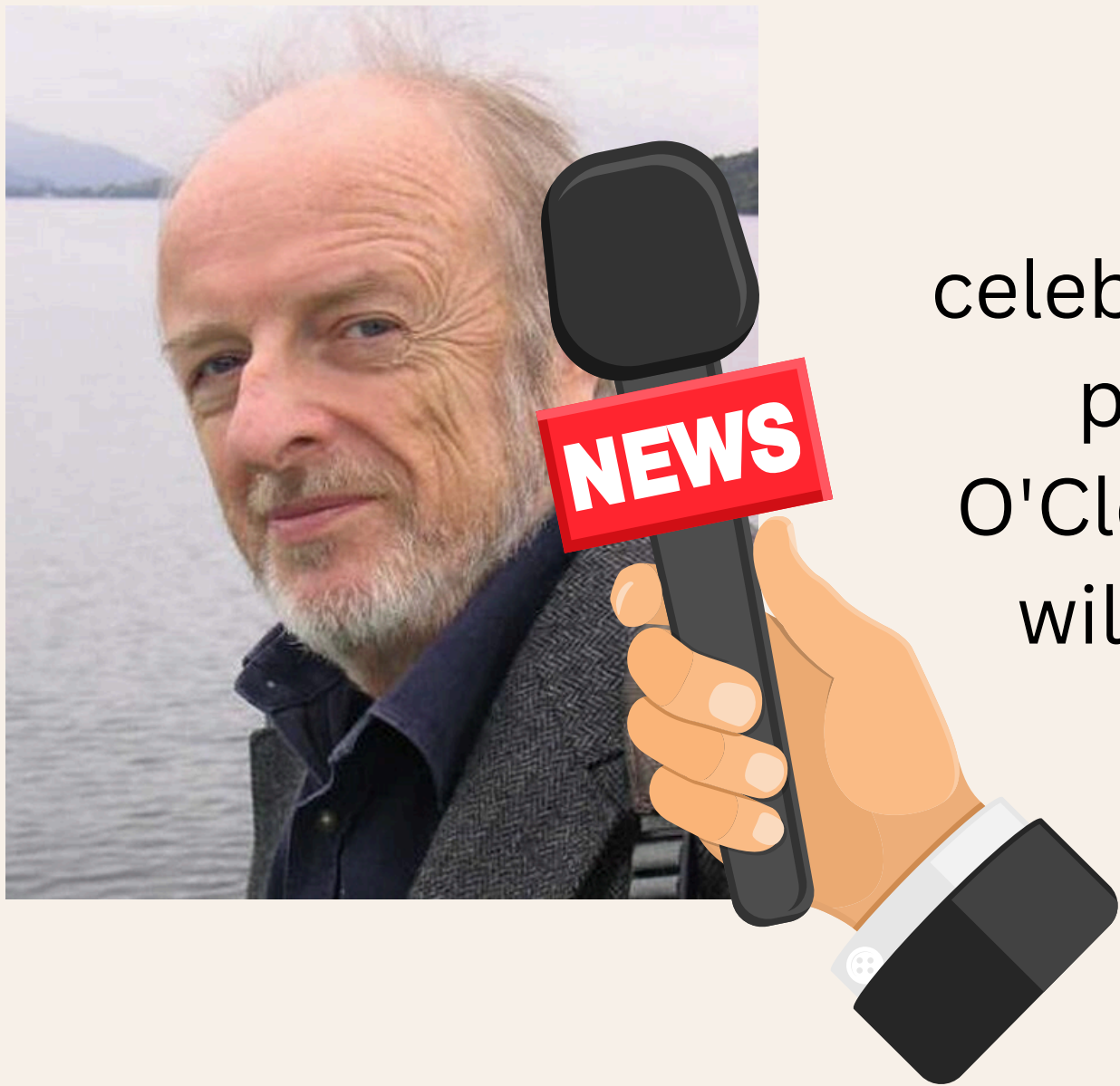
Students will look at diversity in theatre today. With a focus on Hamilton and Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-time. Exploring themes of representation in theatre.



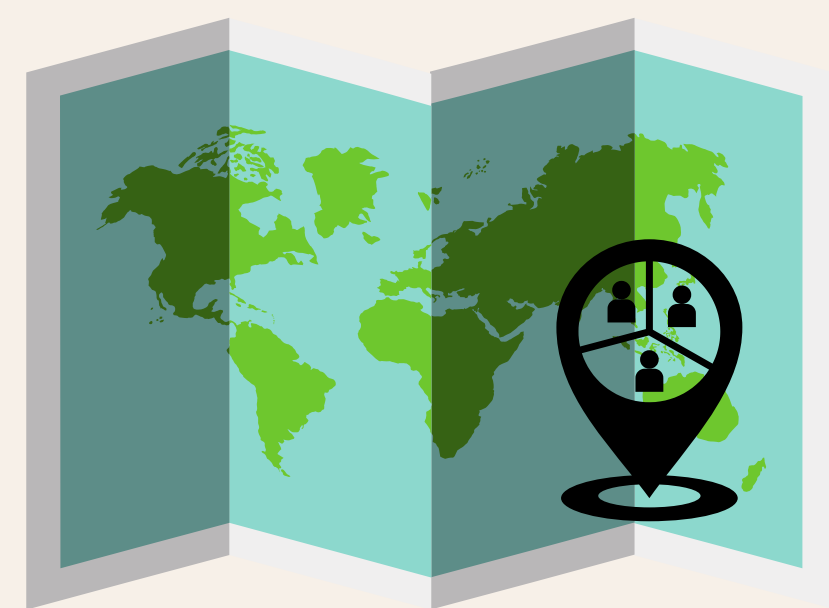
English



Students in Key Stage 3 will look at celebrating diversity through accents. With a particular focus on the poem 'The Six O'Clock News' by Tom Leonard. Key Stage 4 will look at the poem 'Neighbours' which deals with prejudice.



Geography



Students will explore one of two themes - How diverse is the UK? or How diverse is Africa? Either one will start with maps of either place, students can describe patterns of diversity. For the UK, students will explore the census 2021 mapped data. The students can then research a group of people that help to make the UK or Africa diverse via their language, culture, music and cuisine, and present that to the rest of the class.



Health & Social

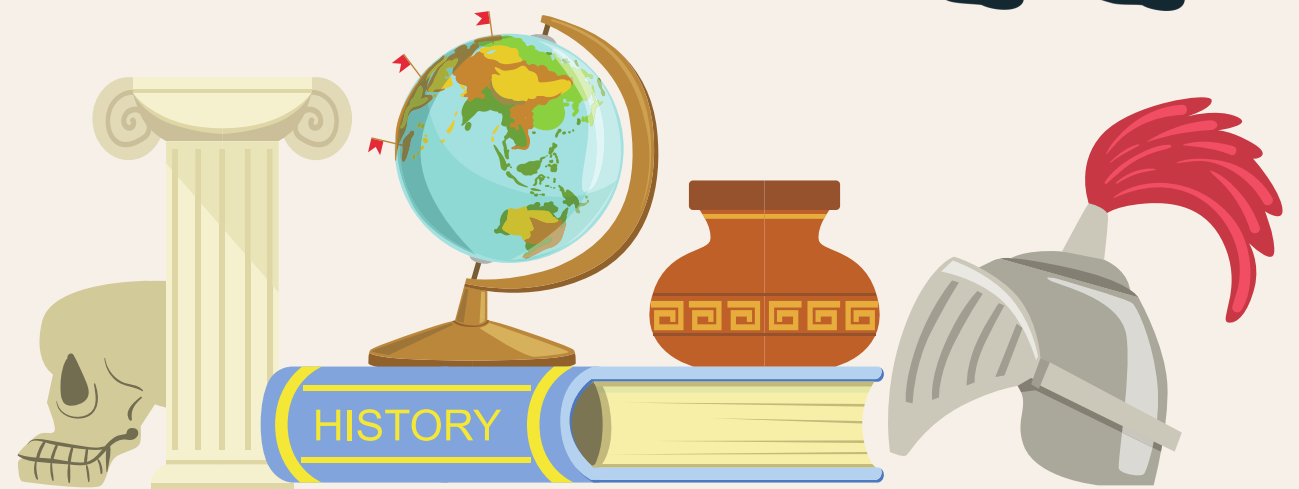
In Health and Social, students will discover the importance of anti-discriminatory practice in health and social care settings. They will take on the 'role of an Occupational Therapist' and adapt a home for an amputee.



In Child Development, students will explore how primary schools create an inclusive classroom before designing a Year 1 noticeboard celebrating diversity.



History



In History, students will look at History Heroes. They will then decide which hero achieved the most in developing equality and diversity.

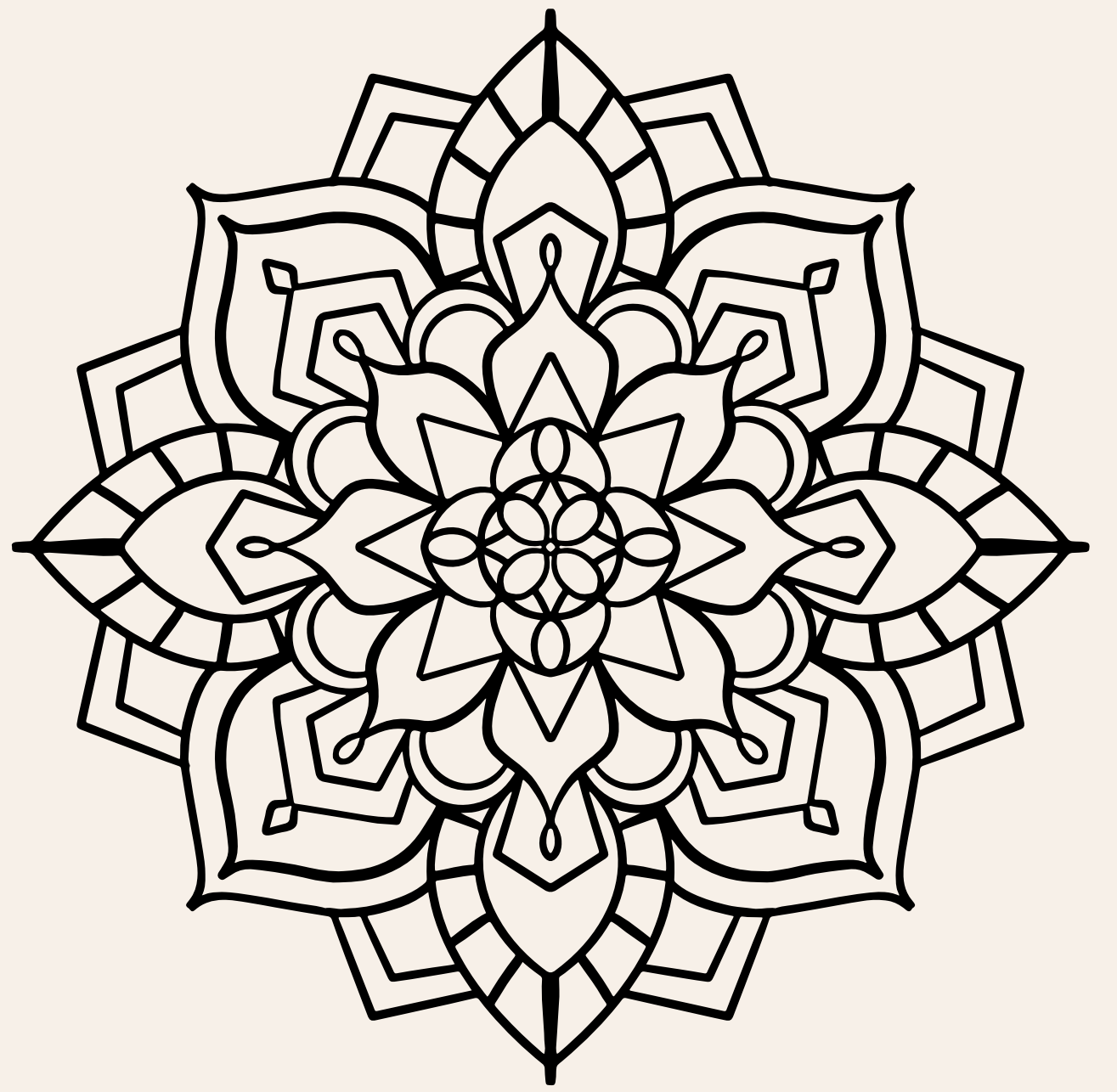
This includes - Rosa Parks, Paul Stephenson and Lisa Power.





Maths

Students will look at Mathematical art from different cultures. This will include geometrical patterns and symmetry with Mandalas and Islamic art.



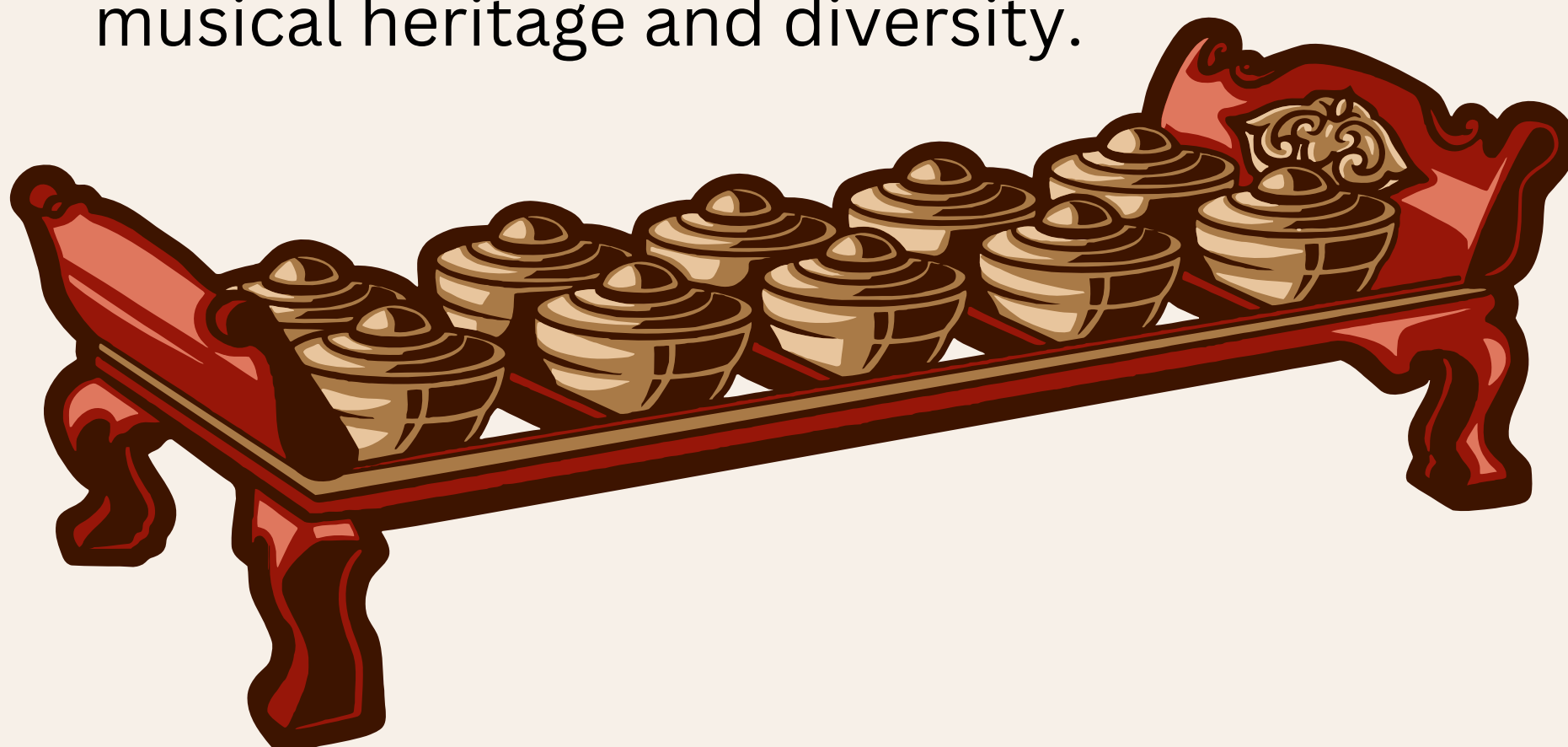
Modern Foreign Languages

Students in MFL will learn British Sign Language; learning the basics of signing, background and history. Key Stage 3 groups will learn the signing to a prayer or song.



Music

In Music, students will explore traditional music from around the world. This will include learning about Gamelan, a traditional Indonesian style of music, providing a rich understanding of global musical heritage and diversity.



Physical Education

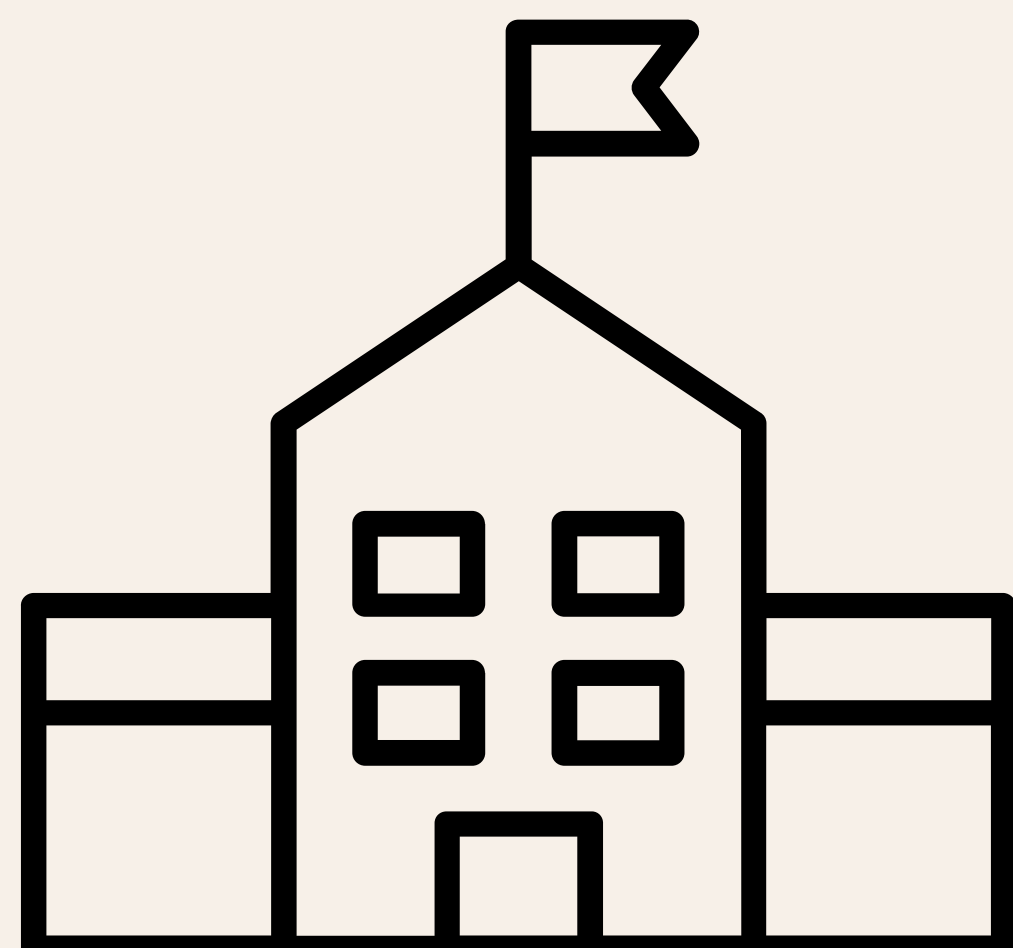
Students in PE will play Kabaddi. Kabaddi is a fast-paced, 40-minute contact team sport that originated in India and is popular in the Indian subcontinent and other Asian countries. The game is played between two teams of seven players on opposite halves of a flat surface, such as a field, clay court, or EVA foam mat. The objective is for a raider to run into the opposing team's half of the court, tag out as many defenders as possible, and return to their own half without being tackled or running out of breath.

The team with the most points at the end of the match wins.



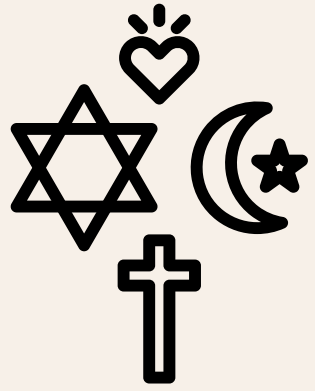
Psychology

Students will explore the diverse range of symptoms sufferers of OCD can have to overcome the stereotype that it is a just cleaning disorder. Sociology - Students will explore a diverse range of schools to contrast the private and state sector of education.

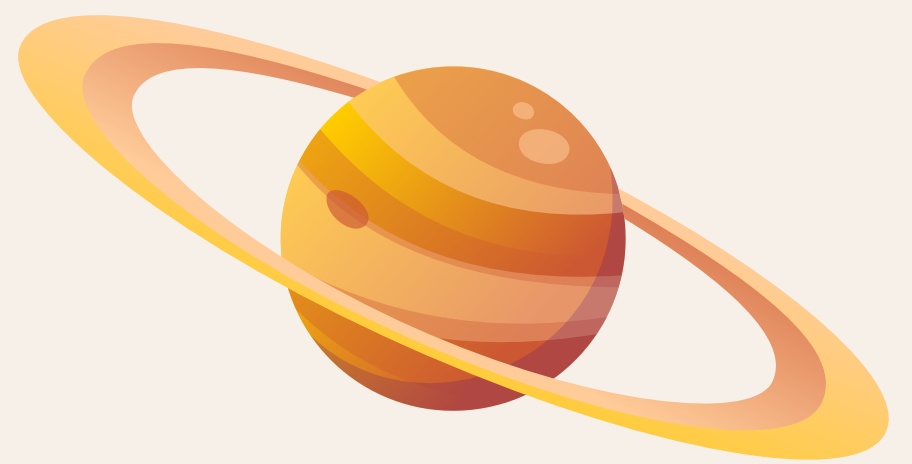


Religious Education

Students will delve into the topic of Women in the Bible, focusing on those who have been misrepresented or misunderstood throughout history. There will also be a lesson on Carlo Acutis who is the first millennial to become a Saint in the Catholic Church.



Science



In Science, students will look at Dr Maggie Aderin-Pocock. Dr Maggie Aderin-Pocock MBE is an award-winning space scientist, broadcaster and author who has worked with several educational institutions to promote the study of STEM subjects.

