

TITLE: All About Me!

YEAR: 2024 TERM: Autumn 1
YEAR GROUP: 4

RATIONALE: We are really excited for the beginning of the new year and getting to know each other better. We will be learning more about ourselves as well as one another.

HOOK: Over the summer, we will all have collected 5 objects that we feel represent us. We will have a quiz to see if we can guess the owners.

Lead subject: PDL

We will be exploring who we are as people and what makes us unique, as well as using this as a fantastic opportunity to really get to know one another. We will be guessing the mysterious owners of each box in an exciting quiz. The Park Gate Way and the Park Gate Values will be revisited through four exciting picture books: The Invisible Boy, Rosie Revere the Engineer, First Day Jitters and When I Grow Up.

Lead subject: English

Alongside getting to know one another, we will be exploring ourselves and our own personalities. After looking at an expert model, we will write a character description of ourselves using rich vocabulary to create interesting noun phrases. These will then be displayed in the Year 3 and 4 shared areas so that we can all get to know one another even more!



Lead subject: Art

Developing our sketching skills using the new medium of charcoal, we will investigate how to show light and shadow on a face using different ways of shading. Using this knowledge, we will create self-portraits to be displayed alongside the character descriptions.



Applied subject: ICT and computing

We will be furthering our knowledge regarding the SMART approach to digital literacy and internet safety skills.

School values:

We will be revisiting all of our school values, particularly exploring how they help us learn and what they look like in action.

Applied subject: Maths

During our first few weeks in Year 4, we will be focusing on statistics and data and how these can be represented. We will learn to interpret and construct simple tables and tally charts alongside learning the difference between continuous and discrete data.

OUTCOME

You are welcome to pop into our Open Classrooms at 3pm Thursday 18th September to see the portraits and descriptions.

HOME LEARNING

Shoebox activity.
(completed)

All about me

R.E:
Creation

P.E: Gymnastics – pushing and pulling and netball

PDL: Me and My Relationships

French:
Je Me Presente: name, age, how you are feeling and where you live.

1 week
Hazel Tree and Yew Tree class