

# TITLE: All About Me!

YEAR: 2020 TERM: Autumn 1  
YEAR GROUP: 4

**RATIONALE:** We are really excited for the beginning of the new year and getting to know each other. We will be exploring our own qualities as well as the Park Gate Values.

**HOOK:** We are all really excited to see each other again after a long break. We will be exploring our new classrooms and making sure we have all the equipment we need.

## 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 also be revisiting the Park Gate Way and the Park Gate Values as well as the new school rules for this year.



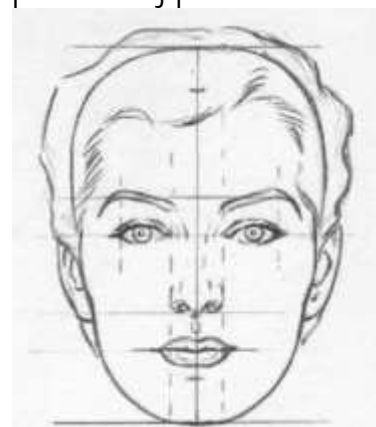
## Lead subject: English



Each day, we will be exploring a different story based around the school values and completing fun activities based on these. Alongside this, we will be writing a character description of ourselves. These will be inspired by descriptions of famous fictional characters. We will be focussing on improving our vocabulary and ensure that all of our sentences are correctly punctuated.

## Lead subject: Art

We will be looking at artists' work, with a particular focus on portraits, and comparing styles and techniques. We will investigate different media and ways of shading. We will look at proportion and symmetry of faces before combining our new skills and knowledge to produce self-portraits.



## Applied subject: ICT

We will be using the iPads to capture photos of our own and each other's faces to help us explore symmetry to support our work in art. We will revise how to log on to the school network and save documents safely.

## Applied subject: Maths

Through our art, we will be exploring the concept of symmetry and how this applies to our faces as part of our project. In our maths lessons, we will be looking at 4 digit numbers and how to add and subtract 1s, 10s, 100s and 1000s from them. We will also be revising the addition and subtraction methods from Year 3.

## School values:

We will be revisiting all of our school values, particularly exploring how we can demonstrate them in our daily lives. We will also be looking at stories we have read that explore and teach us about these values to help us create our own stories.

## OUTCOME

A display of all of the art work, alongside the children's character descriptions will be created in the Year 3 and 4 shared area.

## HOME LEARNING

Please note all home learning will be set on the blog this year, commencing in week 2.

**1 WEEK**  
**Hazel Tree and**  
**Yew Tree class**