Art

1. Who is Bridget Riley?
2. What type of art does Bridget Riley create?
3. What is an optical illusion?
4. What are the 3 features of Op Art?
5. What does evaluation mean?

Design and Technology

1. Why do we need to plan a design before we create it?
2. What is cross hatching with clay?
3. Why do we use water when working with clay?
4. Why do we need to label our designs?
5. Why should we evaluate our designs?

Gymnastics

1. Name 3 different jumps.
2. Why do we need to warm up before gymnastics?
3. Name 3 different rolls.
4. What is a mirroring balance?
5. What is body tension?

Netball

1. What is the letter which helps us catch balls?
2. How long can we hold the ball before passing?
3. Can you run with the ball?
4. When marking can you put your hands up in front of the ball?
5. What 3 things should you remember when shooting?

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Information for parents

Miss Alegre, Miss Fletcher and Ms Khan.

Dear Parent/Carer,

Welcome back. We hope that you have had an enjoyable half term. This letter is to inform you of what your child will be learning this term, through a range of questions that they should be able to answer by the Christmas holidays.

Mathematics

1. What is 285 + 60?
2. Write down the complement to 100. 65 + ___= 100
3. What is 253 + 75? (Explain your method)
4. What is 351 – 137? (Explain your method)
5. What are arrays? Make an example.
6. Make 8 equal groups of 5. Write this as a calculation.
7. Multiples of 10 always end in a ___ or a ____?

English

1. What are the different types of fronted adverbials?
2. What is a synonym?
3. What is a preposition?
4. What are the features of an informal letter?
5. What are the rules for using speech in a story?

Science

1. What are 3 things an animal needs to survive?
2. How can snails protect themselves from predators?
3. Name three parts of a snail's body.
4. Can animals make their own food? Why?
5. What is an exoskeleton?

R.E.

1. Who was Luke?
2. Who were a group of people that Luke focused on when retelling the Nativity story?
3. What was the role of the shepherds?
4. What did the angels tell them?
5. Why did Luke believe Jesus was the Saviour?

PSHE

1. What are the positive and negative uses of technology?
2. Why do we need to be cautious when meeting people online?
3. How can we protect ourselves from strangers online?
4. When should you report a message on an online chatroom?
5. How can we keep ourselves safe in online chatrooms?

Geography

1. Can you name three continents?
2. Name three major cities in the UK.
3. What is the major river which flows through Cardiff?
4. Can you think of two reasons why some cities grew up along rivers?
5. What do people use the river Nene for?

French

What do these words mean?

1. Il y a combine de…
2. Le poisson
3. La marelle
4. Billes
5. Vingt