

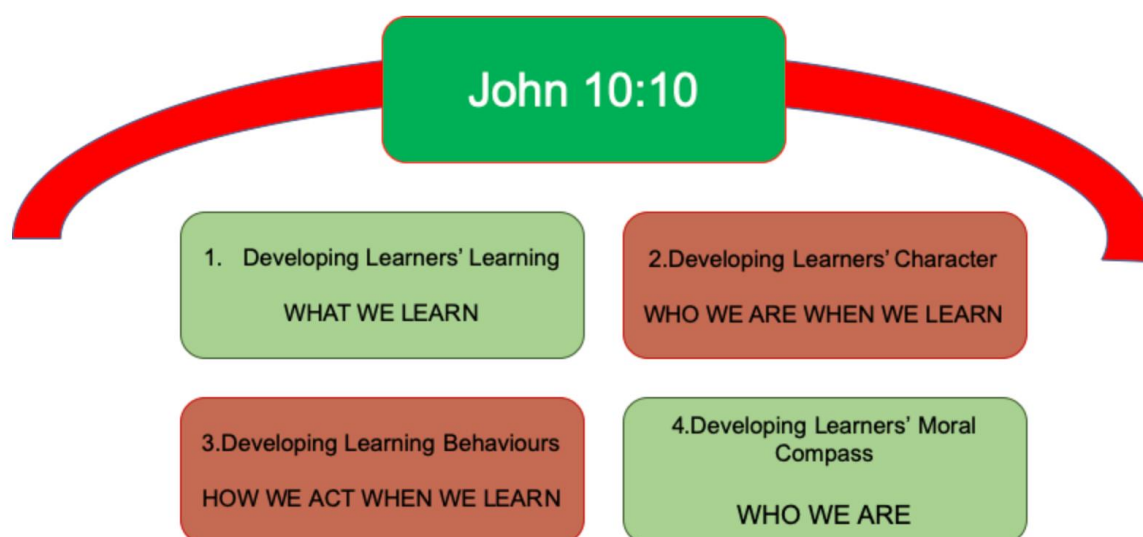


What is my child learning this half term?

Our curriculum is the beating heart of our school and is
rooted in John 10:10

“I came that they might have life and live it to the full”

Within our vision *‘together we grow, together we flourish’*
our children will develop a love of learning and be totally
immersed in different worlds, cultures and times preparing
them for the next stage of their lives.





Aut 2	Year 3/4
Class Novel	Each class will be choosing their own class novel this half term linked to their class preferences.
Writing	This term, we are focusing on writing to entertain where we will be learning to write a narrative based on 'The True Story of the Three Little Pigs.' We will be learning how to create description to add interest to our stories as well as learning how to write and use dialogue effectively.
Maths	The year 3 and year 4 maths curriculum this term will continue so we complete our work on addition and subtraction. The year 4s will then move onto length and perimeter followed by multiplication, whereas the year 3s will move straight to multiplication and division.
Science	Our science topic continues for this half term. We will be learning about all aspects of light including, dark, shade, reflection and how our eyes process light energy, through investigations and exploration.
RE	This term our big question in RE is: What is it like for someone to follow God? We will be exploring some of the stories from the Old Testament and will make links between Christian beliefs about God and the life they encourage Christians to lead.
History	Through our history lessons, we will be exploring medieval Britain and linking this to our key question: How did medieval Britain change Totnes? We're going to explore our local area to find what still exists today as a direct link to medieval times.
PE	In our indoor PE, we will be learning gymnastics and using progressive skill learning to build towards a creating small routine. In our outdoor PE, we will either have mountain biking or netball. Please see class newsletters for your child's PE days and ensure that they always have appropriate PE kit.
RHE	Our RHE learning is continuing to explore 'Safe Relationships' containing 'Friendships, including online'.
Forest School	In forest school, the children will be learning to use tool safely and create wooden decorations, Christmas trees and making fires to make hot chocolate and toast marshmallows.
Music	This term, we will be using 'March' from the Nutcracker to help us learn about rondo form and how we can respond to music using movement and art. We will also be using our musical skills to create a Christmas production at the end of term.
DT	This term, we will be using our DT skills while exploring, planning, making and evaluating to create our own Christmas gift boxes. We can't wait to see how

	they turn out!
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