



Year: 4

Term: Summer 2



The Windrush Generation

Theme Overview

This topic is based around the Windrush Generation and the Caribbean. We will be looking at how modern British culture has been influenced by the people of the Caribbean after their initial journey to the UK in 1948. We will also explore the geography of the region and compare it with the UK.

ENGLISH – CLPE

Through the Forest by Yijing Li

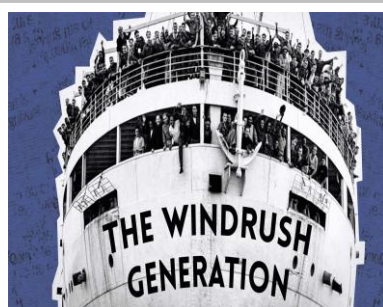
Engage with illustrations to explore and recognise the added layers of meaning these can give to our interpretation of a text

Explore how to use drawing as an approach to enhance thinking for writing and developing vocabulary
Follow the authentic process an author/illustrator goes through when developing a picture book ▪

To create a picture book based on children's own creative story idea

HOOK INTO LEARNING

Caribbean Music and Windrush stories



GEOGRAPHY

Compare the Caribbean and the UK

Investigate the journey across the Atlantic

Name and locate countries of the Caribbean

Describe the physical geography of Caribbean countries

COMPUTING

Digital maps – Google Earth

Coding – continued

ART & Design

Create a charcoal sketch of The National Windrush monument at Waterloo Station. Improve mastery of art and design techniques using charcoal.

Design a Notting Hill Carnival inspired headdress/mask

MATHS

Statistics

Interpret charts

Comparison, sum and difference

Introduce and use line graphs

Represent data using bar charts and tables

TOPIC FINALE

Windrush Celebration – parent presentation 17th July 2025

SCIENCE

The digestive system.

Human and animal teeth.

Tooth decay experiment.

Model the digestive system.

PE

Rounders

Fielding and batting techniques

The rules of the game

Tennis

Developing the forehand

Creating space to win a point

Introducing the backhand

MUSIC

Reflect, rewind and replay.

Listen and appraise classical music.

Continue to embed the foundations of the interrelated dimensions of music using voices and instruments

PSHE

Keeping Safe

RE

Celebrations across Christianity, Buddhism and Judaism.

FRENCH

Cendrillon – Cinderella

Story-telling in French