

Key Vocabulary

History

Local history
baptism
pilgrimage
incarceration
allegory
conscience
sermon
roundheads

cavaliers
civil war
Parliamentarians

PE

Interception,
opponent,
defend, attack,
possession,
conceding
speed, stamina,
strength, co-
ordination,
balance and
agility

Maths

ascending
descending
factor prime
number square
number cube
number

Music

dynamics
fortissimo,
pianissimo
mezzo forte
mezzo piano

Computing

audio composition
copyright,
digital instruments,
pitch sample
sequencing
software

Key fact

John Bunyan was an English writer and Puritan preacher. He was born 30th November 1628 and lived until 31st August 1688. He is famous as the author of the Christian allegory 'The Pilgrim's Progress', which also became an influential literary model.

History

We will create a historical account of the local area through exploring the life and work of John Bunyan.



Pupils will

- produce a correctly ordered timeline of Bedford from 1066+ to present day
- explain in some detail a local event which happened in the history of Bedford
- describe a historical local figure (John Bunyan) and the reasons for his fame
- learn about the English Civil War as a context for the life and work of John Bunyan

Stunning Start

Visit to the John Bunyan Museum and Bunyan Meeting

Educational Visit

John Bunyan Museum

Excellent End

Young History Detectives: a Bedford trail

JOHN BUNYAN Autumn Term 1

Art & Design



Inspired by the stained glass windows in Bunyan Meeting, pupils will explore the media of stained glass, creating their own ideas and designs as well as studying the work of stained glass artists.

English

Biography

An introduction to the genre of biography, through a biography of John Bunyan.

Poetry

The Highwayman

- By Alfred Noyes

Pupils will:

- Learn about the stanza structure of the poem
- tell the story from beginning to end using poetic conventions such as a pattern of syllables and rhyming patterns
- use metaphor, simile, onomatopoeia and repetition to build tension



Class Reader

Pilgrim's Progress- by John Bunyan

