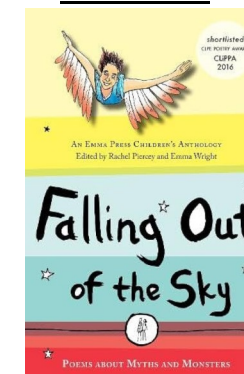


Core School Value	Trips, Enrichment Days and Visitors	Parental Involvement
Trust	Lullingstone World Gardens Visit	Show and Share

Ruby—Term 5

English	This term in English, the children will be exploring the anthology 'Falling Out of the Sky' by Rachel Piercey. We will be writing a character description of a mythical creature and using the poems to inspire our writing. In our Destination Reader sessions we will be using our reading skills to explore many poems from the anthology in further in detail.
Maths	Currently we are exploring metric measurements of lengths and heights practicing converting between m, cm and mm and solving worded problems. We will be exploring money and using pounds and pence to find change from given amounts. Then starting our topic on time and recognizing how to read the time from an analogue clock.
Science	This term in Science, the children will be beginning a new topic: 'Plants', they will be learning about the functions of different parts of flowering plants, exploring the requirements of plants for life and growth and how they vary from plant to plant and will be investigating the way water is transported within plants.
History	In History this term, the children will be learning about Ancient Greece. They will be exploring what the Ancient Greeks believed, what the different gods were responsible for and the stories told through Greek myths. We will be exploring what Ancient Greeks achieved and how they influenced our lives today.
Art	In Art, the children will be focusing on using shape, shading and texture in art to enhance their drawing skills. We will develop our sense of light and dark, using texture in our drawings and experimenting with different tools to create expressive and abstract art.
Music	In Music this term, we are going to be exploring how to match movements to music and explain why we have chosen certain movements to match each music type. We will learn how to record compositions before writing a composition and work as a group to perform a piece of music to a small audience.
Computing	The children will be continuing to develop their Computing skills by creating and using use branching databases and begin to explore simulations and recognise patterns within simulations. Branching databases are used to classify groups of objects, we will begin by exploring and using databases before creating our own database.
RE	In R.E, the children will be exploring 'Kingdom of God: When Jesus left, what was the impact of Pentecost?' We will begin by exploring what is the Pentecost and then explore what Pentecost means to some Christians today.
PE	This term in P.E, the children will be exploring tennis with Miss Bracken. Additionally they will be learning the rules and expectations in a team game through rounders. They will be considering how to work well with team members and begin to explore the principles for attacking and defending.

Core Books



Falling Out of the Sky is an anthology which brings together new poems inspired by myths, legends and folk tales.

Many focus on classical Greek myths, such as Arachne, Apollo and Persephone.

Many of the poets and characters speak directly to the reader, embracing the possibilities of story telling.