

Writing

Our first writing unit for this term will be a biography based on David Attenborough. We will do two narratives this term, one based on an amazing short clip and another based on a book 'The Zoo' by Anthony Browne. Finally, we will then complete an engaging poetry unit!

Reading

In reading, we will be looking at the book 'The boy at the back of the class' by Onjali Q. Rauf. It's a beautiful story that focuses on the journey of a refugee child, we will be exploring vocabulary choices and strengthening our inference skills. In summer 2, we will be basing our learning on 'A kind of Spark' by Elle McNicoll. This will link to our learning of crime and punishment as well as strengthening our comprehension skills.

Maths

We will begin the term by looking at shapes then position and direction. This will include measuring and drawing angles. This will be followed by decimals and finally converting units. Times table facts will hugely help with their learning of decimals so please support this at home with regular practise on TTrockstars!

Science

In science we will be looking at Living Things - this includes: plants, seed dispersal, human and animal life cycles and also combines with our PSHE to look at puberty and changes to our body over time. We will even dress the children up as elderly folk! We have an exciting activity involving animals linked to this topic, so if you'd like to get involved, come and speak to us

History

In History we will be looking at crime and punishment in the United Kingdom from Anglo-Saxon times to modern day. We will be exploring how punishments have changed during the time as well as how crimes have evolved. At the end of the unit, children will be designing their own study into the topic.

Year 5 Summer Curriculum Overview

In Summer term, we will have a main focus on History and Science, then moving on to DT and Music.

D&T

In DT, we will be looking at different folds and structures with paper to design and create a pop-up book based on a topic of our choice.

Music

In music we are incredibly lucky to be able to learn an instrument this term! We will have a visitor coming in weekly to show us how to play fifes.

PSHE

Our Jigsaw themes are 'Relationships' where we will be focusing on online relationships. Then we will move on to 'Changing me' which focuses on the changes that happen during puberty.

Computing

In computing we will be revisiting our Programming objectives, applying our previous knowledge of physical computing to interactive and online quizzes. We will have to plan for several different outcomes and ensure that the quizzes work smoothly.

Religious Education

In RE we will be looking more closely at Christianity again and wondering why Christians follow Jesus and use his teachings to have a good life. It is a really good chance to compare and contrast different religions too, and how their teachings are similar.

French

In our lessons we will be look at verbs in French and the language that will be used when visiting a French family.

PE

Our key sports for this term will be Kwik Cricket and Athletics, in preparation for KS2 Sports Day! How exciting!



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