

Lawhead Primary School



Learning Overview

Term 2: October - December 2023

Class: P4/5

Our topic/theme for learning this term will be:

Exploring the Solar System.

Literacy:					
Reading	Writing			Listening and Talking	
Discussing story structure and characterisation.	Grammar: Punctuation, connectives, using a thesaurus. Writing: Poetry - write a poem for our assembly. Story writing -science fiction. Report Writing - scientific reports and newspaper reports.			Building on others' contributions. When I engage with others, I can respond in ways appropriate to my role, show that I value others' contributions and use these to build on thinking	
Identifying favourite authors.					
Establishing features of different genres and style.					
				Presenting information and using	
Reading for information – skim reading				prompts. Preparing notes for a talk.	
and finding the main ideas from a text.				Working on performance skills and audience engagement.	
Numeracy:					
Number, Money and Measure		Shape, Position and Movement	I	Information Handling	
 Multiplication and Division strategies. 			• U	Ising Carroll and Venn diagrams.	
 Telling the time using a range of clocks. 				nterpreting data and answering	
 Calculating elapsed time. 			qı	uestions	
Converting times.					
 Multiplying and dividing whole numbers Identifying and explaining patterns 					
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Health and Well	lbeina: (Pupils will not cover all 7 wellbeing indicators eve	ery term but will experience them all over the course of the year)			
SAFE		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,			
HEALTHY					
ACHIEVING					
NURTURED	P.E.P.A.S. Consider how to support themselves & others to access sporting opportunities at school & beyond.				
ACTIVE	consider now to support menserves a others to access sporting opportainties at school a beyond.				
RESPECTED					
RESPONSIBLE					
INCLUDED					
Other Curricular	Areas:				
Social					
Subjects:					
Sciences:	By observing or researching features of our solar system, I can use simple models to communicate my understanding of size, scale, time and relative motion within it. Through research and discussion, I have an appreciation of the contribution that individuals are making to scientific discovery and invention and the impact this has made on society. I can report and comment on current scientific news items to develop my knowledge and understanding of topical science.				
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Technologies:	Digital Literacy: Using a range of graphic techniques, manually and digitally, to communicate ideas, concepts or products, experimenting with the use of shape, colour and texture to enhance my work.	Computing Science: Exploring online communities demonstrating an understanding of responsible digital behaviour and I'm aware of how to keep myself safe and secure.			
Art and Design:	Choosing and exploring an extended range of media and technologies to create images and objects, comparing and combining them for specific tasks. Creating images and objects which show my awareness and recognition of detail across the curriculum.				
Music:	Continuing to develop rhythm and African drumming. Singing in tune, exploring different dynamics. Building awareness of different genres, instruments and some music history.				
Drama:	Linking movements together and creating sequences.				
Dance:	Dance in YMI - waka waka, African dance styles.				
Religious and Moral Education:	Christmas – investigating Christian beliefs and symbols.				
Modern Languages/1+2:	Writing number words and simple sentences in French. Recognising vocabulary for classroom objects. Consolidation of last terms vocabulary.				



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BSL - introduce yourself and describe your family. French - numbers to 20, describing classroom objects.

Suggestions To Support Learning At Home This Term:

- Playing French games to improve confidence and fluency eg. Frenchgames.net
- Complete weekly reading tasks and discuss the vocabulary choices
- Find opportunities for writing for purpose eg. Letters and cards
- Improve your mental maths skills with regular practise on Sumdog and Topmarks.