Focus for Learning October December 2020 Primary 5

Language

- Our Writing will be focussed on narrative and explanation texts.
- We will link our writing to Media, Celebrations and Science.
- We will be reading graphic novels.
- We will be exploring aspects of Media such as colour, camera angles, characters, setting and sound.
- We will be writing our own scripts linked to Halloween and Christmas and using these as the basis for imovie trailers.

Our focus for Talking and Listening will be:

- Making notes from Movie clips and using these to inform our own scripts.
- Working collaboratively taking turns to speak and developing confidence when sharing and deciding on ideas.

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Numeracy and Maths

This term we will continue to revise key concepts such as time, measure and mental agility.

The children will be learning to:

Add and subtract larger numbers using a range of strategies including partitioning, number lines and column sums.

Solve and represent multi- step word problems.

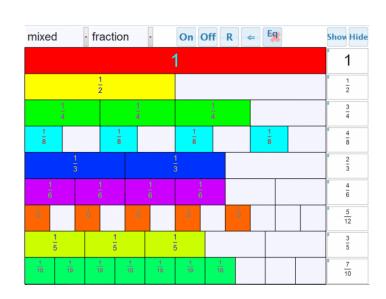
Link multiplication and division facts to solve equations.

Find fractions such as three-quarters of 16, two-thirds of 9 etc.

Match equivalent fractions 2/4 = 1/2

Match fractions to make a whole.

Order fractions.



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Health and Wellbeing

Our focus for this term is: Achieving /Healthy Lifestyles/ Food

The children will be learning:

- To recognise the positive things about themselves and their achievements
- To think about factors that may influence their motivation for success.
- About nutritional needs and linking this to the digestive system



Physical Education

This term we will be focusing on Field and Track Activities and Aesthetics/ Dance.

The children will be learning:

- To improve performance
- Move rhythmically
- Throwing, jumping and running techniques.

P.E. days are not currently set as we are required to do it outdoors. Gym kits are not needed, however, for the children who wear skirts or pinafores having a pair of shorts in their school bag would be beneficial.

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Topic

Our topic this term is: Science. Media and Celebrations! We will be investigating

- The Digestive System and the function of food
- Renewable Energy
- The Water Cycle

Our media investigations will incorporate drama, art and ICT.

We will work in groups to create trailers for a spooky film and a Christmas movie.



We will also be completing activities linked to Halloween, Bonfire Night, Remembrance Sunday and Christmas.