





P5/6 Curriculum Overview Term 2

<p>Literacy and English</p> 	<p>Reading Novels Pupils will be reading in groups in school. Pupils should read aloud at home to practice fluency and expression. Comprehension this term will focus on reading a short text or story and answering multiple choice questions. Children will have access to the library weekly. They will spend time reading alone or with friends.</p> <p>Writing This term we will continue to focus on adding description to our writing and how to make our writing engaging for the reader. We will also work on poetry later this term. When writing the pupils will be encouraged to check their own work and ensure they have used punctuation accurately. We will have spelling sessions throughout the week which will introduce spelling sounds/words, activities to consolidate the learning of these sounds/words and we will continue to assess our learning through a weekly spelling test on a Friday.</p> <p>Listening and Talking we will be developing our talking skills through class discussion and group activities. Pupils will continue to speak informally in the class such as sharing their work, giving feedback to peers, reading aloud etc. Pupils will also be expected to share their topic work presentations.</p>
<p>Maths and Numeracy</p> 	<p>Number work will be focusing on addition and subtraction this term. We will learn and develop both mental and written strategies for carrying our calculations.</p> <p>Shape will be our topic maths focus this term. Which includes properties of 2D shapes and 3D objects. The class will also be developing their knowledge of angles and symmetry.</p>
<p>Social Studies</p>	<p>The Victorians Pupils will be learning about events in the past, focusing on the Victorian era. Pupils will learn about schooling, housing, working lives, development of medicine, inventions and famous Victorians.</p> <p>Climate Change We will be learning about the effects of climate change. We will explore what we can do to help protect our environment.</p>
<p>Expressive Arts</p> 	<p>Art: The class will have art with Mrs Burr on Friday mornings.</p> <p>Music: The class will have music with Mrs Pottinger on Monday mornings.</p>
<p>Health and Wellbeing</p> 	<p>This term, pupils will be learning about mental health. We are going to be working on developing our self-esteem.</p> <p>P.E. This term we will be swimming on a Tuesday with Mr Kirkness and P.E will be on a Wednesday afternoon with Mr Kirkness.</p>