



"Achieving The Best For All"

Curriculum Overview Year 5

Summer 2 2019



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During this term our topic will be centred on the theme of 'Rivers' with a key focus on Geography where we will be exploring the processes involved in the formation of rivers. We will also be looking at the water cycle and the power of water as a sustainable resource. We will be threading our IGNITE value of 'evaluator' across the curriculum subjects.

English

We will be starting our new class reader called The Explorer by Katherine Rundell which links with our theme across the topic. The children will be linking the story to different writing outcomes, including newspapers, narrative and diaries,

Through their topic work they will also be given the opportunity for extended writing tasks-focusing on Non Fiction writing.

PSHE

Our focus this half term will link with our geography topic where we will research, discuss and debate topical issues and problems. We will then try to resolve differences in opinions through looking at alternative ideas and explaining our choices. Looking at real life events in the news will provide us with a context for our discussions.

Maths

This term we will be looking at fractions, decimals and percentages. We will be exploring this using a wide range of contexts and resources to support learning.

In class we will continue to follow the school's approach of using concrete resources, pictorial representations and followed by the abstract methods and calculations.

We will continue to practice our times tables up to 12 and will be using our new rockstar accounts to do this.



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Creative Curriculum

Science- Animals including humans – Describing the changes in development to old age. This will link to puberty and the changes in their bodies at this time

ICT- The children will be creating and editing their own movies using move maker.

Art –The children will be looking at the way water is represented in art and then will be using water to create a piece of textile.

Physical Education (PE)

Wednesday/Friday – During our outdoor PE sessions the children will be continuing to practise their athletics skills in preparation for their sports day.

Please remember kit and water bottles in school!

Creative Curriculum

R.E – We will be exploring the concept of 'Water as a symbol'.

Music – The children will be creating music to reflect the different stages of a river's journey.

MFL – During French the children will be learning about going on holiday - En vacances.

Ideas for home

Everyday Maths, e.g. times tables, fractions, time, word problems linked to addition, subtraction, division and multiplication. Weekly Maths Homework.

English-Reading using your child's reading book and asking questions about the character ideas and feelings. Please continue to complete your Reading Diaries!

Learning weekly spellings

Reminders and Events

Class photos 10.6.19
Sex and Relationship DVD to parents 8.7.19
Children Sex education 11.7.19
Sports skills 28.6.19
Non uniform day 1.7.19
Transfer Day 2.7.19
Sports day 5.7.19
Merfest 6.7.19
Parent outcome- 11.7.19
Last day of school 23.7.19

And Finally..... we can't believe this is the children's final half term in Year 5! We have had so many fun, happy and memorable adventures this year and hope to continue to create many more this half term!