

Curriculum Overview for Year 5 Summer Term, 1st half 2018

<p>Debate</p> <p>We will link our English lessons to the theme of 'Amazon Adventure'.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To explore, collect and use modal verbs. To use devices to build cohesion. To select appropriate grammar and vocabulary. To perform own compositions using appropriate intonation and volume, and making 	<p>English</p> <p>sure meaning is clear.</p> <p><u>Stories from other cultures</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To create complex sentences with -ing and -ed starters. To blend action, dialogue and description within and across paragraphs. To use suffixes -ate, -ise, -ify to convert nouns and adjectives into verbs. To suggest changes to grammar, vocabulary and punctuation to enhance effects and clarify meaning. <p>Reading</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To proofread for spelling and punctuation errors. To justify opinions and elaborate by referring to the text. To explain the effect on the reader of that author's choice of language. <p><i>The children will continue to have discrete spelling and handwriting sessions.</i></p>	<p>Art & Design</p> <p>We will study artists such as Henri Rousseau and Ruth Daniels.</p> <p>The children will develop their observational drawing skills, focusing on adding texture using sketching techniques. They will then develop these initial drawings using a variety of paint mediums and printings of leaf motifs.</p>	<p>Computing</p> <p>E-safety is a vital part of the computing curriculum. We will be discussing how children can use technology safely, respectfully and responsibly.</p> <p>This half term, the children will create a PowerPoint Presentation to show what they have learnt in our science lessons.</p>
<p>Week 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Round any number up to 1,000,000 to the nearest power of 10. Read, write, order and compare numbers to 1,000,000. Round decimals with 2 decimal places to the nearest whole number and tenth. <p>Week 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Name and write equivalent fractions of a given fraction. Convert between improper fractions and mixed numbers. 	<p>Mathematics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multiply proper fractions and mixed numbers by whole numbers. <p>Week 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Read, write and convert time between analogue and digital 12 and 24 hour clocks. Read and interpret information in timetables. Understand and use approximate equivalencies between metric and imperial units. <p>Weeks 4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify 3D shapes from 2D representations. Identify, describe and represent the position of a shape following a reflection or translation. <p>Week 5</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Add and subtract whole numbers and decimals using a written method. <p>Week 6 & 7</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Square numbers and cube numbers. Assess and review. 	<p>Design & Technology</p> <p>Linked to our theme of 'Amazon Adventure' the children will design and make a model of an animal with a moving part.</p>	<p>Geography</p> <p>Mrs McLean will teach geography this half term. They will study the geography of the Amazon Basin, the tropical rainforest in the area and the future of tropical rainforests. The children will also learn about the wider country of Brazil.</p>
<p>Science</p> <p>Our science topic this half term will be 'Living things and their habitats'.</p> <p>The children will learn about different types of reproduction in plants such as pollination, mammals, metamorphosis and compare life cycles.</p>	<p>History</p> <p>Not taught this half term.</p>	<p>Modern Languages</p> <p>The children will be taught Mandarin once a week by a language specialist.</p>	<p>Music</p> <p>The children and Miss O'Kane will continue to learn to play the African drums. We have a music lesson every Wednesday morning taught by Mr Fitton.</p>
		<p>Physical Education</p> <p>Tuesday: Rounders Thursday: Tag Rugby taught by Lancashire Coaches. Please ensure your child has their kit for both days. Pumps are required as we will be in the hall this half term.</p>	<p>Religious Education</p> <p>Our whole school worship theme is 'friendship' this half term.</p> <p>In our RE lessons our topic will be 'Exploring the lives of significant woman in the Old Testament'. We will read the stories of women in the Old Testament, highlight the choices made by these women and consider how their actions reflect their values and commitment.</p>

