

LITERACY

Year 5:

- * Instruction text
- * Novels by significant authors
- * Poetic style
- * Traditional tales and legends

Year 6:

- * Fiction-genres
- * Biography and autobiographies
- * Poetry – The power of imagery
- * *Revision* : Reading and writing narrative (inc. plays)

Science

Term 1:

- * Solids, liquids and gases

Term 2:

- * Earth and beyond

ICT

- * Microsoft Word and Publisher
- * PowerPoint
- * Access and utilise the Internet in a variety of contexts

NUMERACY

Year 5:

- * Place value and partitioning
- * Decimals
- * Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division, mental and written methods
- * Multiples and factors
- * Shape, space and measure
- * Date handling

Year 6:

- * Place value and partitioning
- * Fractions and decimals
- * Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division, mental and written methods
- * Using a calculator
- * Shape, space and measure
- * Problem solving
- * Date handling and problem solving

Both years will also have times table challenges.

**Red Class
(Year 5/6)**
What are we learning?
Terms 1 and 2

Geography (Term 1)

Investigating coasts:

- * Waves
- * Erosion
- * Tourism

History (Term 2)

Living in Victorian Britain:

- * Possibly including a visit to Katesgrove Victorian classroom in Reading.

PE & Games

- * Outdoor adventure activities
- * Swimming
- * Dance

Art & Design

Technology

Our theme is 'People in Action' and will cover various art mediums including digital photography and film.

French

Mrs Standon will be taking children for French every Wednesday afternoon.

Music

- * Singing Assembly (Tues)
- Miss Cook is planning to run a recorder club which will hopefully be set-up in the forthcoming weeks.

PHSE (Term 1)

Children will be following the SEAL (Social and Emotional Aspects of Learning) programme looking initially at the theme 'New Beginnings'.

RE (Term 2)

Children have religious assemblies each week and during Term 2 will learn about Islam.

Homework and Spellings

- * 20 spellings are given to learn each Friday, and tested the following Friday
- * Numeracy and Literacy homework each Friday to be handed in the following Tuesday.