



Year 5 Curriculum Overview

Autumn 2: Food, Glorious Food



English

We will be reading Alice in Wonderland this half term.

Children will learn how to:

Write a new chapter linked to the novel with a historical setting.

Write a play script for a new scene of a familiar film with a historical setting.

Prepare playscripts to read aloud and perform.

Prepare poems to read aloud and perform, showing understanding through intonation, tone, volume and action so the meaning is clear to an audience.

Write a new poem, based on a model.

Science, History, Art, D&T and Computing

In Science, the children will learn about properties and changes of materials, reversible changes including mixing and separating and insoluble and soluble materials. They will explore reversible changes including evaporating, filtering, sieving, melting and dissolving, recognising that melting and dissolving are different processes.

In Geography, the children will learn how to locate the world's countries, improve mapping skills, learn about climate zones and vegetation belts, read and compare map scales, learn about Fairtrade food and the journey of food from field to fork.

In DT, the children will be learning about global food looking at nutrition, where food comes from, kitchen safety and Italian and Mexican recipes.

In ICT, we will focus on creating Media Vector Drawing.

Mathematics

The children will learn:

- Develop Mental \times and \div (factors, multiples)
- Division including problems
- Learn more about fractions (compare, order, equivalence)
- Multiplication and measures (area)
- Statistics and measures (time)

Physical Education

The children will take part in:

Invasion Games

Rugby

RE & P.S.H.E

RE:

- Islam - Why is the Qur'an so important to Muslims?

PSHE: What decisions can people make with money?

French

Adjectives

Write words, short phrases and short sentences.

Match sound to sentences.

Music

Classroom Jazz (Charanga)

Children will have opportunities to sing, play, improvise, compose and perform songs.

Homework

- **Spellings:** Tested weekly (Friday) and new spellings given out
- **Times tables:** To be practised weekly and if possible on hit the button on an iPad.
- **Reading:** To be practiced regularly. Books are changed when necessary.