



Weekly Overview Year 5

Week Beginning: 31st October 2022

Words of the week:

We will be using the following words in our lessons this week:

- Achieve
- Ancient
- Aggressive
- Competition
- Controversy
- Definite

Maths:

In Maths this week we will be learning about:

Children will continue to be in classes based on the level of support that they require during the maths lessons. Very much like the literacy lessons, the teachers will be able to support and teach the children at a level suitable for the child. If you have any questions, please contact the class teacher or year group lead.

We will be recognising which numbers are divisible by 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9 and 25 and identify multiples; find factors; recording results systematically and finding all factors of a given number; compare and place fractions on a line; find equivalent fractions and reduce them to their simplest form.

We will be learning how to use mental strategies to multiply and divide multiples of 10 and 100; use a written method to multiply 3-digit and 4-digit numbers by 1-digit numbers and estimate answers, divide 3-digit numbers by 1-digit numbers using a written method and express remainders as a fraction and solve division word problems

Problem solving using a variety of skills, including addition and subtraction. We will also be able to identify whether an answer is correct by using the inverse. Problem solving will take place during most Numeracy lessons. We will be looking at numbers that are divisible by 2,3,4,5,6,9.

We will be continuing our TTRS times tables and division calculations and recollection skills on a running rota.

**Literacy:**

In Literacy this week we will be learning about:

The Literacy groups will be planning and writing a Greek myth based on a story that we have read in class. The children will be writing in first person, from the viewpoint of Pandora leading up to the events of opening the mysterious box.

After writing a myth in first person, the literacy groups will be learning how to write instructions in our non – fiction unit of Literacy. We will focus on revising the children's existing knowledge of instructional texts using the context of the fiction studied in the first few weeks of the unit. This will all be building up to the children creating and writing their own instructions for something edible.

There will be a range of instructions for the children to look at in order to collect different vocabulary and language required to write their own set of instructions.

Children will also be required to bring in a set of instructions so that we can look through these and create our own bank of instructional vocabulary.

We will continue to look at the weekly spellings and the rules associated with these spellings along with dictionary skills and writing the spelling words in context within sentences.

You will find that some spellings are repeated during the half term/term, this is due to the fact that there may be misconceptions for some words e.g. to, two, too (synonyms) and we want the children to be able to use these correctly and in context within a sentence. Many of our weekly spellings fall in line with topics covered and provide cross – curricular links across the year 5 subjects this week.

Other:

We will also be learning about:

DT – We will be starting our unit 'Building bridges' where we will be researching different types of bridges and what is required to make a sturdy bridge.

Music – We will be starting our new unit 'Classroom jazz' in particular 'The three note Bosa' by Ian Gray.

Science – We will be looking at Earth and Space – looking at and recapping our existing knowledge about the Solar System.

PE – Learning the skills to be able to play volley ball.

We will be continuing to observe safety in all of our computing lessons as well as any cross curricular lessons that include computing as an aspect.

In RSE we will be looking at basic first aid, where children will be learning about how they can help each other if someone hurts themselves.

Don't forget it is PE day on Friday, children need to wear their PE kits to school on that day. Swimming will continue on Wednesday.



Please remember that we have also sent out reading records – all children’s log in details are in there. We will check reading records every Monday and check for two signatures from an adult at home. If they are not signed, children stay in on a Monday break time to read.

Contact:

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