

TERESA CLASS

SUMMER 1

Summer 1

Y6 SATs booster sessions - Thursdays
29th April Maypole Dancing Workshop
1st May - May Day
7th May Year $\frac{3}{4}$ tennis competition
11th May SATs week
18th May class photos
20th May No Pens Day
20th May No Outsiders
21st May Sponsored Dino Dance

SCIENCE

Living things

We will be recalling the different animal classes. We will be using key questioning to classify organisms. We will be making detailed drawings and investigating the impact of adaptation and changing environments on different living things.

Vocab: classification, vertebrates, invertebrates, microorganisms, amphibians, reptiles, mammals, insects, characteristics, organism, family

Maths

Our Maths lessons will be following the National Curriculum. Y6 will be revising and finishing the last unit on shape.

Years 4 and 5 will continue to look at decimals then move on to: time, statistics and finally angles this term.

English

Non-Fiction - Journalistic Writing:

with grammar focuses on:

- commas and Hyphens to avoid ambiguity
- parenthesis

Fiction - Narrative

with grammar focuses on:

- cohesive devices
- semi colons/colons to mark boundaries
- dashes
- dialogue

Non-Fiction - Persuasive Writing

- adverbs of possibility
- modal verbs
- commas and semi colons in a list

Reading, Spelling and Grammar

We will be having daily spelling and grammar activities as well as guided reading three times a week to strengthen our comprehension and fluency.

We will all be reading Cogheart by Peter Bunzl as a class. We will also be reading additional texts to support our guided reading. Please support your child by continuing to 'Echo Read' at home.

History

Crime and Punishment

We will be looking at the history of crime and punishment in Britain. Looking in particular at: Roman Britain; Anglo-Saxon Justice; The Magna Carta; Tudor and Stuart punishments and witchcraft; Georgians and Victorians and the rise of the Highway men and the development of the modern police force.

Vocab: theft, treason, murder, heresy, enslaved, baron, witch, witchcraft, rumour, stagecoach, document, prison, government, police force, fingerprint, advocate

Art

Textile - Collage

We will be using our new sewing skills to create some mixed media collage using fabric. We will be taking inspiration from artists we have previously looked at like Matisse and Eric Carl. We will be linking our art unit with our science this term and creating some organism inspired artwork.

Vocab: applique, embellishments, embroidery, textile art.

RE

Christianity

We will be recapping our knowledge of the trinity and the understanding of God as a trinity. We will be looking at the Christian understanding of the 'Mystery of God' and how this affects their practise of their beliefs at home and in church.

Vocab: Mobius strip, trinity, belief,

French

Les vêtements

Ask and say what clothes you'd like • Give opinions about clothes • Say what clothes you wear • Ask and talk about prices (including numbers 60–80)

Vocab: Qu'est-ce que tu veux? Tu veux... ? Je voudrais un t-shirt, un pantalon, un chapeau, une veste, une jupe, une chemise, des chaussures, des lunettes de soleil + et • C'est comment? C'est moche, beau, trop grand, trop petit, trop cher... et/mais... • Je porte... un pantalon, un chapeau, un t-shirt, une veste, une chemise, une jupe, des chaussures, des lunettes de soleil... rose, orange, marron, rouge(s), jaune(s), vert(e)(s), bleu(e)(s), noir(e)(s), blanc(s), blanche(s) • C'est combien? Ça coûte [soixante-douze] euros

PE

Cricket

We will be revisiting throwing and catching and applying this to the game of cricket. We will be increasing our understanding of the game and playing matches in preparation for the Year ¾ tournament.

Athletics

In preparation for quad kids and sports day we will be building on our learning of vortex/shot putt and javelin and strengthening our jumping and running skills.

Music

Lean on Me

Theme: Soul/Gospel music and helping each other. Listen to different soul/gospel songs including that of Bill Withers.

Vocab: Unison, by ear, notation, improvise, melody, pitch, rhythm, pulse, composition, backing vocal, piano, bass, drums, organ, pulse, rhythm, tempo, dynamics, texture structure, compose, improvise, hook, riff, melody, solo

Computing

Vector Drawings

We will be using the Google Drawing platform to start to create vector drawings. We learn how to use different drawing tools to help them create images. We will recognise that images in vector drawings are created using shapes and lines, and each individual element in the drawing is called an object. We layer objects and begin grouping and duplicating them to support the creation of more complex pieces of work.

PSHE

Healthy Me

In this puzzle piece the class look at the friendship groups that they are part of, how they are formed, how they have leaders and followers and how they fit into them. The children are asked to reflect on their friendships, how different people make them feel and which friends they value the most. The class also look at smoking and vaping and its effects on health, they do the same with alcohol and then look at the reasons why people might drink or smoke. Finally, they talk about peer pressure and how to deal with it.

Vocab: Friendship, Emotions, Relationships, Friendship groups, Value, Roles, Leader, Follower, Assertive, Agree, Disagree, Smoking, Vaping, Pressure, Peers, Guilt, Alcohol, Liver, Disease, Anxiety, Fear, Believe, Opinion.