

Year 5 - Summer Term 2018 Topic Sheet



English

We shall be studying literature from a variety of cultures and traditions, including “Journey to Jo’berg” by Beverley Naidoo. We will also be exploring a variety of Fables, Myths and legends from around the world.

Maths

All aspects of Number and Calculation will be covered with an emphasis on decimals, percentages, fractions, Statistics, time and measures.

Science

At the start of the term we will be looking at the parts of a plant and its reproduction. This will include a trip to Kew gardens to further the children’s understanding of plants and their environment.

The second half of the term will focus on Life cycles of amphibians, birds, insects and mammals.

R.E.

Our topic this term is called ‘Seeds of unity’ this will include exploring symbolism and celebrations across different religions.

Art

The children will be studying the works of Georgia O’Keefe.

The children will have the opportunity to experiment with the use of watercolours to recreate examples of art work in the style of the artist.

P.E./Games

The children will be developing their dance skills in preparation for the summer dance. In outdoor games the children will be developing their throwing, catching, fielding and batting skills through cricket. In the second half of the term the children will be carrying out a range of track and field activities.

Topic

This term’s focus will be the locality of St. Lucia and London and the local Area.

I.C.T.

The children will learn about the school’s network and how the internet was formed. They will also look at how to Design, Create and evaluate databases linked to their Science topic of Life cycles and classifications.

Design & Technology

The children will be designing and making Banana bread and packaging for them to be kept in.

Music

We will continue singing in groups a variety of musical themes and begin to compose music and lyrics in large groups.

Homelearning

Home learning is linked to the learning of that week and is sent out every Friday and is to be handed in on the following Friday consistently.