

LITERACY:

Argument & debate work
Persuasive writing
Poetry using imagery
Fantasy stories with a space focus
Drama (summer production work)

STATUTORY WORD focus

*Spellings & reading comprehension once a week (Friday)

GEOGRAPHY/HISTORY (TOPIC):

-Investigating extreme climates looking at wettest, driest, hottest and coldest places on Earth

-Difference between a volcano and a mountain.

-The Water cycle and how it links to rainfall in different parts of the world

-Linking water cycles to coastal erosion too.

GEOGRAPHY/HISTORY (TOPIC):

-Extreme weather (tropical storms, floods, lightning, hurricanes, tornadoes) and how this can effect people and the landscape.

-EARTHQUAKES: Looking at tectonic plates and how they cause earthquakes

-TSUNAMIS: How they are caused by earthquakes under the sea and how they have an affect on the environment. (links to art)

-LOCAL FOCUS: Climate change and what can we do? (links to English and art here)

ART/D.T:

Creating space orientated artwork linking to abstract painting of Thorpe. (links to science)

Looking at Hokusai's 'The Great Wave' and using plastic bottle tops.

EARTH MATTERS

(Geography focus)

NOVELS: Finishing The Hobbit as a class read.

Bubble Boy (class read only)

MATHS:

-First half term will be quick-stop sessions for revision in the lead up to SATs.

The sessions will be in order of priority of what is needed before the tests.

-After half term, we will cover the other topics

-A BIG focus will be on problem-solving and reasoning throughout the term.

Topics being:

-Place value (if needed)

-4 operations

-Fractions/decimals/percentages

-Geometry

-Measurement

-Statistics

-Algebra

-Ratio/proportion

*Tables test & mental maths once a week.

ICT:

Internet research

Scratch programming (finish)

FRENCH:

'Time travelling'

'School life'

RE:

ISLAM

Beliefs and moral values: Does belief in Akhirah (life after death) help Muslims lead good lives?

PSHE:

There will be a session on Sex education (info to follow)

MUSIC:

Creating storm related music.

We will also practising Summer production songs.

You've got a friend.

P.E.

PE coaches teach once a week (Thursday)

Athletics (in lead up to Sports day)

SCIENCE:

- 'May the FORCES be with you'

- 'SPACE EXPERTS'