

Oak Class Summer 1 Term Curriculum 2022

LITERACY

This half term we will be focusing on writing to entertain. We will be using the novel 'A Monster Calls' by Patrick Ness to support our lessons and help us to, focus on the purpose, the intended audience and the features used in narratives. We will use sentence stacking lessons where children will be able to develop their writing skills, specific to narrative writing, creating high quality sentences. These skills will then be transferred to their independent writing.

MATHS

In Maths this half term we will focus our learning on statistics and algebra. The children will learn how to read various tables and be able to analyse the data included in them to answer different questions. They will be able to use raw data to create a range of tables to display this. They will be able to solve one step and two step problems using formulae. They will apply this learning to problem solving questions throughout the units.

RE

Our unit of learning in RE this half term is to answer the question 'For Christians, what kind of king is Jesus?' In order to answer this question we will be looking at what Christians think heaven is like. They will be exploring parables about the Kingdom of God from the bible This will help the children gain knowledge and understanding about Christianity and reflect on how these ideas impact how Christian live their lives, and help them reflect on their own ideas and ways of living.

SCIENCE

In science our unit of learning is 'materials". Within this unit, children will be able to compare and group different materials based on their properties. They will be able to make decisions about suitable uses for different materials based on their properties.. Children will develop their understanding of conductivity (electrical and thermal) and insulation. Children will be working scientifically in lessons to answer a range of questions to gain an understanding of this unit.

HISTORY

As Historians, the children will be learning about Maya civilisation. Children will learn about the where this civilisation fits into history and make comparisons to other civilisations, previously studied, around the world at that time. Children will learn about the different aspects of the Maya life, including environment and trade. Children will use different sources to explore and examine Maya civilisation.

PE

In PE, children will be developing their athletic skills. They will develop their skills and understanding of athletics through their lessons, focusing on one athletic discipline each lesson. They learn the skills for each sport throughout the lesson before they bring them together to compete in that discipline . They will continue to develop their learning and skills supported by our collaboration with secondary colleagues at Spires school.

Relationships, Health and Education

In RHE, we will be focusing our learning on our unit Economic Wellbeing, Aspirations, Work and Career. As part of this unit children will learn about how to spend and save wisely, thinking about what influences them to buy certain items. Children will also explore what future careers they may want and the importance of working. They will also learn about what happens to the money they will earn through their spending and taxes.