

YEAR GROUP: Year 1

DATE: April / May

TIME ALLOCATION: 5 weeks

TEACHER: Mrs Mirabitor & Mrs Hitchmough

English

In English, we will be looking at non-fiction texts. We will look at a range of non-fiction examples e.g. posters, leaflets and information books to find out their features. Then we will start to create our own information texts using a title, sub-headings, a contents page, an index page and a glossary.

Maths

In maths this half term, we will continue to look at place value within 50. We will become secure in our understanding of tens and ones and we will then start to apply this knowledge to addition and subtraction. We will use a range of materials to help us with our understanding and application.

Science

In Science this half term, we will continue to look at seasonal change whilst also learning all about plants. We will look at the different parts of a plant and the job each part does. We will learn about the differences between deciduous and evergreen trees and we will even have a go at growing our own plants.



What is a monarch?



WHY?

The children will gain an understanding of what a monarch is and what a coronation ceremony looks like. We will compare monarchs from the past and monarchs today and we will sequence some key monarchs on a timeline.

WOW:

A coronation party!

OUTCOME:

To be able to explain what happens when a new monarch comes to the throne.

SMSC

- Have respect for the beliefs and values of others.
- Work well with others and deal with conflict maturely.
- Use of imagination and creativity in their learning.
- Recognise the difference between right and wrong.
- Offer reasoned views about moral and ethical issues.
- Understand and appreciate the wide range of cultural influences that have shaped their own heritage.

BRITISH VALUES

- Democracy
- The rule of law
- Individual liberty
- Mutual respect
- Tolerance of those of different faiths and beliefs

TOPIC HOMEWORK

Times Tables
Reading
Homework Sheet

ASSESSMENT

Children will be assessed in all areas of the curriculum, focusing on key skills taken from across the curriculum.

Computing

In computing, we will be learning about digital writing. We will explore the keyboard, add and remove text, explore the toolbar, make changes to text and explain why we have chosen particular styles

Religious Education

Our topic in RE this half term is, 'Who do Christians say made the world?'

Geography

We will not be studying geography this term.

History

We will be learning all about a monarch, a coronation ceremony and looking at differences and similarities with monarchs from today and from the past.

Art and Design

We will not be covering art this term.

Design Technology

We will be making healthy smoothies as part of our work on cooking and nutrition.

Music

In music this half term, we will look at pitch and tempo whilst using superheroes as our stimulus.

Physical Education

This half term, we will be working on our athletic skills. We will practise our running, jumping, throwing and catching skills and applying these to a range of games.