



Year 5

TRIPOLI'S



Useful Information



Autumn 1

History:



This half term, we have a History focus. We will be learning about the Tudors. Children will research and learn about what life was like in the Tudor times. Children will also learn about the significant people from the Tudor times and some key vocabulary that will support their learning in History. Children will:

- Extract information about significant people from the Tudor times
- Use a variety of sources to gain information and find evidence to make deductions about what life was like in the Tudor times.

English:



We will be studying character descriptions and persuasive writing.

Children will be using our Reading book, 'There's a Boy in the Girls Bathroom' to write a character description and persuasive letters. Children will develop their comprehension skills through daily guided reading sessions where they will be answering vocabulary, inference, prediction, explain, retrieval and summarise style questions linked to the chosen text.

Maths:



We will be covering the following topics this half term:

- Number: Place Value
- Number: Addition & subtraction
- Number: Multiplication & Division

Science:



This half term, we will be learning about materials including mixtures and separation. Children will develop these skills through a series of lessons and experiments.

Computing:



Digital Literacy: Internet Safety

Pupils will be learning how to stay safe online.

Computer Science: Scratch: Music

Children will be learning how to programme music.

Art/DT:

We will be focusing on sculpture and 3D: Interactive installation and craft and design: architecture.

Music: We will be looking at composition notation with the theme of Ancient Egypt.

RSHE: We will be learning about family and relationships and health and wellbeing.

RE: We will be focusing on Wisdom, learning about Christianity: Bible, Judaism: Torah and Sikhism: Guru Granth Sahib.

French: We will be learning about Monster pets.

PE:



PE is on Monday afternoon and Wednesday morning. Children can come into school in their PE Kits. This half term, we will be taking part in OAA (Outdoor Adventurous Activities) and gymnastics.

Spellings:



Children will have a spelling test every Monday.

Children will be given new spellings on Monday to learn throughout the week.

Children should learn their spellings each week using: Look, Say, Cover, Write, Check

Reading:

Children should read for at least 15 minutes every day.

Times Tables:



Children should practice their timetables every day.

They will have a timetables challenge every Monday. This challenge will include all times tables up to 12.

Core Reading Text:



Our core reading text this half term is *There's a Boy in the Girl's Bathroom* by Louis Sachar



Language of the Half Term:



Our language of the half term is Somali
22 % of our families speak Somali.

Poem of the Half Term:

Our poem this half term is: *Pleasant Sounds* by John Clare



Skills Builder:

This half term, we will be focusing on: **Aiming High** and **Listening**



Key Dates:

- Wednesday 3rd September - start back at school
- Monday 8th September - Y5/6 Curriculum meeting
- Tuesday 9th September - Y3/4 Curriculum meeting
- Thursday 11th September - Y1/2 Curriculum meeting
- Friday 12th September - Picnic in the Park
- Wednesday 17th September - School Uniform Recycling
- Wednesday 1st October - Year 1 Class Trip
- Friday 10th October - Harvest Festival
- Friday 17th October - Santiago (Y6) Class assembly
- Tuesday 21st October - Year 2 Class Trip
- Wednesday 22nd October - International Evening
- Friday 25th October - End of Term



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