

Be Safe, Be Kind, Aim High

Literacy

Reading

We will focus on reading for information and will be completing activities from the First News Children's Newspaper every week.

Writing

We are currently focussing on Newspaper reports but will be moving on to poetry and imaginative writing which will be linked to our next topic.

Listening and Talking

The children will be given an opportunity to give a short talk/presentation to their peers.

Numeracy and Maths

Number –

We are continuing to improve our Times tables accuracy which will enable us to calculate fractions of a number. We will move on to decimal fractions and percentages.

Volume – We will continue with our work on volume where the children will learn to measure and estimate capacity.

Measure – We are learning to estimate and measure length and distance using rulers and metre sticks.

Health and Wellbeing

P.E

Our skiing block is almost over and we will be participating in cricket sessions. Further to this our focus will be athletics.

The children will also participate in a Daily Mile where they will jog/walk around the perimeter of the playground.

We will improve our fitness in weekly Zumba sessions.

Circletime – The children will continue to take part in weekly Circletime Sessions aimed at developing their Self Esteem.



**Primary 5
Term 4
May 2019**

Dates to look out for:

Class Assembly Wednesday 8th May 2.15pm.

Health Week - Week beginning 13th May

Other curricular areas

French

We are currently working on "Pets" and will be moving on to learn vocabulary about clothes. Both topics will be aimed at encouraging the children to engage in simple dialogues in French and will include learning via songs and raps.

R.E.

We will be learning about the beliefs, values and customs of Islam

Art /Technology

Much of our work is derived from our Titanic topic. We are currently designing and creating "Titanic Cabins" and Life jackets

Project

The children are very enthusiastic about our current topic, "The Titanic" which is enabling the children to develop skills in all areas of the curriculum. Our next topic will be the Solar System.

Other information

P.E lessons are on Wednesday, although the children should have a P.E. kit in school at all times. (Please ensure names are clearly marked on both kits and school sweat shirts.)

Homework - Spelling and Maths homework to reinforce class work will normally be given out each week. In addition, the children should read their A.R. book for 15/20 minutes per night. Your support in supervising this and ensuring that reading records are kept up to date is greatly appreciated.

Wider Achievement – Please let us know of your child's achievements/successes out with school so that we can share/celebrate them with him/her. Your child can bring a form home for you to complete.