



Mathematics

We push further into the year 5 curriculum this term, exploring multiplication and division in a deeper context and trying to solve problems using our knowledge.

We will also begin learning about fractions, decimals and percentages.

English

This term in English, we will be exploring a whole school driver text of, 'What Did The Tree See'. The children will be producing a range of fiction and non fiction texts, which will include a variety of year 5 features as well as exploring different tenses and developing the children's skill of proof reading.

History

Using the book 'What did the tree see?' we shall be learning about how Britain was settled into by Anglo-Saxons and Scots, and also the Viking invasion and the following struggle for the Kingdom of England.

Computing and PE

In Computing, our pupils are discovering CAD (computer aided design) and attempting to create a virtual art gallery using an application called SketchUp.

In PE we will be developing our ABCs through Real PE and Football.

Science

Our science learning this term is titled 'Circle of Life'. The children will be expected to be able to describe the differences in the life cycles of a mammal, an amphibian, an insect and a bird. They will also analyse, compare and describe the life process of reproduction in some plants and animals.

Wow week

The children will have a Design and Technology focus this term, exploring materials used for product packaging and how it has evolved through the years.

Curriculum enrichment

This term, in brainboost, the children will be enjoying some additional music opportunities to broaden their skills and knowledge within this subject. It will be closely driven by our whole school text, 'What Did The Tree See'.

RE and PSHE

The children will be learning about it means to be a person of faith today, and we will also be learning about religions in our community.

How can you help at home?

Please encourage your children to:

- read daily,
- learn their spelling words,
- practice their 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 multiplication tables.