

## Year 5 Curriculum Focus Summer Term 2023

### English

This term pupils will be preparing for ISEB pre-tests, looking at multiple choice style questions and strategies for responding. We will cover spelling, punctuation and grammar in relation to these tests. Our focus for writing this term is persuasion and traditional fairy tales. The children will write a fractured fairy-tale.

### Science

5GG: Pupils will study the topics of forces, adaptations and life cycles.

5AW/5BM: Pupils will study the topics of earth and space, adaptations and life cycles.

### Maths

Set 1 will focus on core number work and consolidation of calculation skills; fractions, decimals and percentages; calculating area and perimeter of circles and compound shapes; ratio; algebra; reading and interpreting graphs; converting measurements and problem solving.

Set 2 will focus on core number work and consolidation of calculation skills; fractions, decimals and percentages; properties of shape; calculating area & perimeter of compound shapes; position & direction; converting units & measurement and multi-step words problems.

Set 3 will focus on core number work and consolidation of calculation skills covered so far as well as fractions & decimals (ordering, comparing, equivalents); calculating the perimeter and area of rectilinear composite shapes; word problems - single and multi-step operations; inverse operations and identifying missing values.

### French

This term pupils will study the topics of weather, seasons, sport and leisure. The class will also learn about regular verbs and revise for the end of term assessments.

### Spanish

In the summer term pupils learn about the topics my family and friends, descriptions of people and animals. The class will also revise for the end of term assessments.

### Latin

Pupils will begin to learn nominatives and accusative, first and second declensions singular; translation and vocabulary nouns second declension.

### History

Throughout the term pupils will study Medieval English Kings (Alfred the Great, King Athelstan and Edward the Confessor) and the Norman Conquest and Battle of Hastings, The Coronation of King Charles III - the symbolism of the sceptre, orb and heraldic beasts as well as the history of the St Edward's and Imperial crowns.

### Geography

Year 5 pupils will study the topic of earthquakes: discovering how earthquakes and tsunamis are formed, where in the world they occur and the impact they have. They will conclude the year with an earthquake case study.

### Drama

Pupils will learn duologues in the summer term focussing on the importance of characterisation, before-time, use of space.

### Music

Who knows? - Pupils will use an imaginary composer's sketchbook of ideas as starting points for composition.

## Art

The summer term will see our pupils turning their hands to daffodil watercolour paintings, Beatrix Potter and woodland pottery designs, sunflowers, moonflowers, Monet and Van Gogh.

## Design technology

Pupils will spend the summer term preparing for survival night, shelter building and fire lighting. Designing using oblique projection.

## Textiles

Pupils will be completing survival bags using the sewing machines and designing their own embroidery patterns in preparation for survival night.

## Games

The pupils will build on previous learning in terms of cricket, and further developing their batting, bowling and fielding techniques.

## PE

Pupils will spend the summer term focussing on athletics building on their technique and improving their performance.

## Computing

Creating media – Introduction to vector graphics - learn how to use different drawing tools to help them create images. Programming – Selection in physical computing - use physical computing to explore the concept of selection in programming.

## Study Skills

The pupils will be developing an understanding of how to use adaptive platforms - Planet BOFA in addition to continuing the work on the methods and techniques for spatial reasoning.

## Religious Studies

Pupils will spend this term learning about the five pillars of Islam and taking on charity work.

## PSHE

This term the pupils will learn about the importance of self-esteem and ways this can be boosted. The pupils will also be taught about SMART internet safety rules and how these apply to different situations.

