

Seaton St Paul's C of E Junior School
Curriculum Newsletter - Autumn Term 2
Year 5

P.E

Year 5 will have their P.E sessions on a Monday and a Tuesday. During our P.E lessons this half term, we will be focusing on our coordination and motor skills during our dodgeball and fitness lessons.

Design Technology - Moving Mechanisms

This project teaches children about pneumatics. They will use their knowledge of pneumatics to create a moving character.

Science - Earth and Space

This topic will introduce the pupils to our solar system. They will learn about the development of space knowledge and how scientists over the course of history have contributed to our understanding of the universe.

Maths

In our Maths lessons this term, we will continue our work around the four operations. We also be improving our understanding of fractions, learning to add and subtract whilst converting them from improper fractions to mixed numbers.

English - Play Scripts and Mythical Narratives

We will learn how to write Shakespearian play scripts based upon the Tempest and mythical narratives about ancient gods, whilst exploring new grammatical features and making cross curricular links to other subjects including History and Geography.

Christian Value - Courage

PSHCE - Celebrating Differences

This half term we will be exploring the unit 'Celebrating Differences'. This unit will help us to recognise and appreciate differences between ourselves and each other.

Home Learning Activities

Science (Earth & Space) - Track the lunar cycle and discuss your observations.

Geography (Investigating Our World) - Use a map to take a walk, practise your compass directions and use your contour knowledge. Whilst on your walk make a note of the wildlife and plants you encounter.

RE (Christmas) - Create a piece of work (paper or digital) explaining what your family does over the Christmas period.

MFL - La Fruta

This unit will focus on fruit vocabulary expanding their pronunciation skills.

Art - Welcoming the Stranger

We will immerse ourselves into cross curricular drama and art projects, creating characters that link back to our school book: 'The Last Tree.'

R.E - Christmas

We will be reminding ourselves of the Christmas Story and learning about how people celebrate Christmas around the world.

Geography - Investigating Our World

During this topic children will practise their map reading skills, learn about different biomes and climates and how this affects the human geography of an area.

Computing

During our Computing lessons this term, we will be learning about video production including filming and editing techniques.

History - Groundbreaking Greeks

In History this term we will be focusing on six periods of ancient Greek history, whilst considering the developments and changes that occurred in their society.