



Curriculum Newsletter Bonneygrove Primary School

Year Five Autumn Term Two

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English

Traditional Tales

Children will be writing traditional tales, they will reflect on the main character of the legend from different viewpoint and re-tell the story from several different perspectives

Non Fiction (Explanation)

Children will write an explanation text for physical geography e.g. climate zones, river, mountains, earthquakes and volcanoes.

PHSE

Celebrating Difference

In this unit, children will understand the importance of respecting other people's cultures, religion and beliefs.

This term we will be learning about



Italian food, culture and geography.

Important dates for the year group:

Thursday 9th November – Science morning at St Mary's Secondary School.

Tuesday 7th and Wednesday 8th November 2023 – Parent consultations.

**Our 50 things to do before leaving
Bonneygrove...*Make an Italian
inspired pasta salad***



Mathematics

Fractions

This term, pupils are investigating fractions. Identifying, converting, adding and subtracting mixed numbers and improper fractions.

Pupils will also order and compare fractions based on their numerators and denominators.

Geography

Ciao Bambini! (Italy)

In this unit, Children will discover both physical and human features of Italy, comparing the UK to cities in Italy to explore our differences and similarities.



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Science – Changing materials

This Changing Materials unit will teach your class about different materials, their uses and their properties, as well as dissolving, separating mixtures and irreversible changes. The children will sort and classify objects according to their properties. They will explore the properties of materials to find the most suitable material for different purposes

RE - Christianity

Is the Christmas story true? Do sacred texts have to be 'true' to help people understand their religion? These are questions that children will be investigating during this topic.

PE – Gymnastics

In PE, children are focusing on performing different types of rolls, balances and handstands. Over the course of the topic, children will put everything they have practised together into a choreographed routine.

Design and Technology – Italian Pasta Salads

Children will look at common ingredients found in a pasta salad, how to plan a recipe and craft their own pasta salads based on their own design.

Computing – Programming music

In this unit, children will use scratch to programme a soundtrack. Children will focus on including repetition and explain its function to enhance music. Children will code a piece of music that combines a variety of structures and instruments.

School Values- *Resilience, Honesty, Ambition, Creativity, Kindness and Inclusion.*

You can join in with our learning at home by: Homework due on Wednesdays, marked on Thursdays. Handed out on Thursdays.

Please make sure your reading records are signed every day, thank you!

Reading:

Read with your child daily.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G_KMyblvv4c

Information on Italy for kids!

Writing: Write your own traditional tale from a viewpoint of a different character.

Maths: Practise multiplying and dividing using column methods.