

Kingfisher Class Newsletter - Term 5



English

This term we will be writing:

Explanation texts about how a robot dog works.

We will also be exploring and writing stories with a moral. This will be based off 'The Plague Village'.

Whilst working through these topics we will be focusing on the following:

Writing with accurate use of full stops, capital letters, commas, question marks and exclamation marks.

In reading comprehension, we will be studying poems, non-fiction texts and stories linked to other areas of the curriculum.

Maths

Year 3s will be learning about:

Tenths and Hundredths

Measuring and Comparing Mass

Measuring and Comparing Capacity

Money

Year 4s will cover all the above topics and also:

Tenths and Hundredths as Decimals

Dividing by 10 and 100

Writing, Comparing, and Ordering

Decimals

As well as our work on new units in maths, we will also be working on our KIRFs for this term and also recapping those from last term.

Science

This term in science we will be looking at living things and their habitats. We will be asking:



Why do different animals adopt different habitats?

How are different animals adapted to suit their habitat?

RE

In RE we will be asking "what kind of world did Jesus want?"

PE

Mr Peters will be focusing on cricket and lacrosse.

History

This term we will be exploring our local area and asking why should we preserve our locality?



French

During this term we will be learning how to have simple conversations including how to say our names and how we are feeling. We will also be recapping colours and numbers!

Computing

In computing we will be learning how to create a logo as well as investigating different hardware.

Art

This term in art we will be looking at creating prints by exploring a range of artists including William Morris.

Music

Kingfishers will be listening, appraising and composing music using Charanga.



PSHE

We will be learning about rights and responsibilities.

Support from Home

Please ensure children are reading daily and learning their weekly spellings.

Spellings will always be set on Spelling Shed and they will be updated every Sunday.

Please ask for support if your child is unsure of how to log on.

Year 4s need to be confident with their times tables this year so please use TT Rock Stars if practice is needed.

The school subscriptions to sites that are useful for home learning are:

Mathletics, Times Table Rock Stars, Purple Mash.