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 Whitecote Primary School

Spring 1
 Year: 5
 Parent Curriculum Map

Monday 6th January 2025 - Friday 14th February 2025



Curriculum Information

English

In English, we will begin by re-writing a famous speech from Macbeth, Act 2 Scene 1. We will then be focusing on speaking and listening targets by practicing and rehearsing our own spin on the play Macbeth by Shakespeare for our Shakespeare Schools Foundation. We will also be writing a narrative setting description from The Secret Garden. We will then move onto writing a biography on Henry VIII.

Maths

We are going to be focusing on fractions (adding, subtracting, ordering and comparing) this half term, as well as weekly arithmetic sessions.

Science

In Science, we will be learning about animals including humans. This topic looks at human and animal lifecycles.

Humanities

In History, we are going to be leaning about British monarchs, such as William the Conqueror and Henry VIII, and understand the impact their reign had on Britain.

Art / Design Technology

In Art, we are going to be looking at artwork by Michelangelo, with a focus on his painting of Sistine Chapel. We will be building up to drawing a final piece of the Sistine Chapel hands on paper.

PE

In Indoor PE, we will be developing our dance practice with a focus on superheroes. In Outdoor PE, we will be developing our tennis skills, building up to taking part in a game of tennis with our peers.

Computing

In Computing, we will be learning how to use and create a database on the website 2Investigate.

Other

In Music, there will be a focus on Kings and Queen, linking to our history topic. We

will be continuing to develop our skills on the ukulele. In Spanish, we will be learning how to say, use and write words relating to sports and hobbies. In RE, we will be learning about Christianity: Catholicism, Protestantism and the Church of England. In PSHE, we will be learning about identity, Society and Equality: Stereotypes, Discrimination, Prejudice and Homophobia.

Teachers:	Miss Wright and Mr Graham
Additional Staff:	Miss Hanley, Miss Richmond, Miss Roberts, and Miss Denton
Lead Teacher:	Mr. Graham

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
PE Kit		Indoor			Outdoor

Additional Information

Learning begins at 8:45 promptly and finishes at 3:00pm. Please make sure your child is at school on time and that he/she is collected promptly.

Please remember to inform school of any change of address, home telephone number, mobile telephone number or any other emergency contact information

Homework

We ask that you listen to your child read for 20 minutes every night. You can complete the home reading record to show that this has been done. Children must also learn weekly spellings and times tables. We use Times Tables Rockstars for this. Other homework is set by teachers as required.

Dinner Money

Dinner money per day is £2.20. This works out at £11 per week. Payment for dinner money must be paid at the start of the week. This can be done on Parent Mail.