



Half Termly Curriculum Overview

Year 5 Spring 1 - 2023

English Writing

Writing

Our first unit will be a quest tale which we will base on The Nowhere Emporium and Leon, a picture book.

In non-fiction we will write newspaper reports, linking with our Topic work, we will write reports based on Pompei and other natural disasters.

English Reading

Reading: Books are taken in on a Thursday, changed and handed back out on a Friday. Reading logs must be in school daily.

Comprehension will be set fortnightly for learners to complete in their CGP comprehension books.

PE

This half-term we will develop our swimming skills on Tuesday mornings at Belgrave High School pool.

Science, History, Geography, Art, D&T and Computing

Science - Living Things and their Habitats

- Dissect a flower to explore its key reproductive structures (create a botanical drawing with labels).
- Investigate asexual reproduction in plants and growing new plants from plant parts.
- Explore the life process of animals that are live-bearing compared to egg-laying.
- Research and present the life cycles of different living species.

History / Geography - Wild World.

- Use a range of resources to locate world volcanoes.
- Understand how volcanoes are formed and explain the cause of volcanic eruptions and their impact on the environment.

Computing - Web pages.

To understand our digital footprint.

To create our own web page using Sway.

Art / DT - Mixed Media Land and City Scapes

We will explore how artists respond to land and cityscapes in various ways by using inventive mixed media combinations.

Mathematics

We will focus on multiplication and division to begin with:

- Multiply 4 by 2 digits.
- Divide 4 by 1 digit.

We will also multiply fractions and find fractions of amounts.

We will then focus on decimals and percentages.

PSHE and RE

- In RE we will be focusing on Hinduism.
- In PSHE we will be learning about what to do when things go wrong: safe online, safe from violence, going missing.