



PARENTS' GUIDE TO THE CURRICULUM



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Literacy



Writing

Informal Letter
Reports



Reading Comprehension

Reading plus



SATs Practice

Science

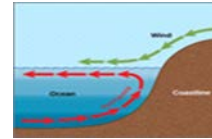
Evolution and Inheritance Biology:

Mary Anning,
Offspring, Darwin, Tree of Life,
Story of Evolution, Adaptation



History/Geography

Biomes and Coasts:
Environments, Co-ordinates,
Coastal features, Erosion,
Coastal defences



Maths

Measurement



Converting units

Perimeter, area and
volume

Number-Ratio



SATs Practice

Art/DT

Sketching



Year 6

Spring 2 2019

Ms Anderson (6A), Mr Jeffs (6J), Miss Young (6Y) & Miss Carroll (6C)

Computing

- Concepts of programming
- Scratch
- Emails- Log in, open, create, and send replies.
- Attach files, Download, save files 'replying to all'

PE

Net & Wall Games
Netball



PSHE/RE

Worship

The Theme of Worship
across Religions, The 5Ws
of Worship, Buddhist
Worship, Sikh Worship,
Meditation, writing a
Balanced Argument

French

-Revision

-Occupations

Music

Exploring
Sound Sources



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Enquiry Based Learning

Question:

'Oneness'



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Literacy

Performance Poetry



Debating



Explanation Text

Reading Comprehension

Reading plus



Science

Earth and Space

During this topic we will look at the planets in our solar system. We will consider the moon at different times of the year and the relative positioning of earth during different seasons



History/Geography

Water/Local Study/Peru

Lima and its local surroundings/
The use of the River Rimac compared to River Thames/
Water supply/Map work skills

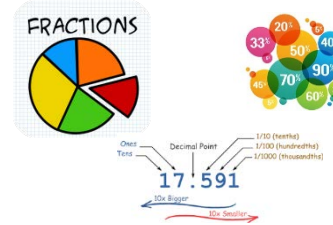


Maths

Fractions

Decimals

Percentage



Art/DT

Bread



Bread from around the world/ What ingredients do we need for bread?/Selecting our ingredients from the edible garden/Creating our won bread

French

Directions, vocabulary related to the classroom and the high street.

Music

Exploring Sound Sources



Year 5

Spring 2 2019

Ms Henry (5H), Mrs Cotton (5C), Miss Conroy (5S) & Mr MacLeod (5M)

Computing

Concepts of programing-Using a list of instructions/commands to create a program,
Introduction of Scratch as a visual programming aid. Use the 'if... then' command and predict the result.

Emails

PE

Net & Wall Games

Netball



PSHE/RE

Christianity

Easter Story/ Story of Jesus/Icons and how he is represented/Special Journeys/ What Makes a Good Leader?

Christianity



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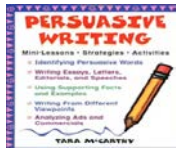
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Literacy

Fables

Recounts

Persuasive Writing



Science



Sound

How are they made?
Does distance affect sound?
How sound travels through objects



History/Geography

Iceland



Volcanoes



Maths

Time



Decimals



Fractions



Art/DT

ART - VAN GOGH



DT - MAKING CHAIRS



Year 4

Spring 2 2019

Ms Palmer (4P), Mr Craze (4C), Mr Phillips (4O) & Miss Deely (4D)

Computing

Concepts of programing-Using a list of instructions/commands to create a program, similarities and difference between different coding applications. **Introduction of Scratch** for visual programming

PE

Swimming, learning to swim front crawl, backstroke, breaststroke and water safety skills.
Net and Wall games, learning the skills of using a racket and finding space in game like tennis, badminton and volleyball.

PSHE/RE

Festivals
Eid
Hanukah



French

Time
Daily Routines
Numbers 41 - 60



Music

Exploring
Sound
Colour



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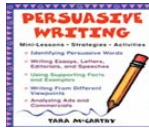
Literacy

Developing inference skills

Writing instructions based on "The Giant Jam Sandwich"



Persuasive writing



Science

Skeletons and how they are used for support, protection and movement



History/Geography

Exploring the Roman Empire and the power of its army

Exploring life in Roman times



Maths

Measurement: length and perimeter

Exploring fractions



Developing problem solving and reasoning skills

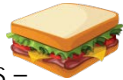


Times tables revision



Art/DT

DT :Sandwiches – designing and making sandwiches and following a balanced diet



Year 3

Spring 2 2019

Ms Lamb (3L), Miss Cory (3C) and Mrs Mangat (3M)

PSHE/RE

Studying a range of special leaders from each major religion



French



- Numbers 12- 20
- Places
- Countries
- Days of the week

Music

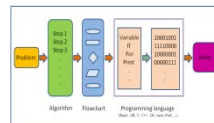
Exploring Sound Colour



Computing

Introduction to programming

Writing codes



PE

Football and netball Skills of passing, receiving, attaching and defending



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