Curriculum Overview for Year 5/6 – Autumn 2023

English

Theme and Main Text Stimulus:

'Fitting In' – 'There's a Boy in the Girls' Bathroom!' by Louis Sachar.

'There's daggers in men's smiles…' – Shakespeare's Macbeth.

'How does it work?' – 'Until I Met Dudley…' by Roger McGough and Chris Riddell

Year 5s: Hampshire Illustrated Book Awards

Art & Design

Andy Goldsworthy: Children explore how to use natural materials to achieve different effects in the style of Andy Goldsworthy before making their own sculpture.

Computing

Typing practice, text processing, E-Safety.

We are Advertisers

Mathematics

Year 5: Place Value, Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division: all using multi digit numbers up to 4 digits (in line with Government recommendations). Fractions.

Year 6: Place Value, Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division: all using multi digit numbers up to 4 digits (in line with Government recommendations). Fractions.

All children will learn new mathematical concepts, practise, procedures and apply in a range of real-life contexts

Design & Technology

Brompton Bicycle

Children will research suitable and sustainable materials to make their bike from, design hi-vis clothing and bicycle tyres before filming their own advert.

PSHE

Class Charters and Zones of Regulation.

Relationships (families, friendships, feeling safe and comfortable, respecting ourselves and others

Modern Languages

French

Bon Appetit

Le retour du printempts

Enroute pour l'ecole

Notre monde

Music

'Listen to me'

Learn to play Brass instruments. Each class will learn this for one term followed by a term of music sessions on song cycles, change and transition.

Science

Electricity:
Children will learn how to create circuit diagrams, explore the similarities and difference between series and parallel circuits and investigate what effects an electrical charge.

Light:
Children will explore how light travels, how it is refracted and reflected and how our eyes use light to see.

Geography

Our Precious Planet

A study of precious places locally, regionally, nationally and internationally. Looking in-depth at current issues in the South Downs then moving on to learning about the Yosemite National Park and comparing and contrasting between the areas. Finally, children will learn about the uses of crude oil and the trading of this natural resource.

Physical Education

Games

OAA

Handball

Dance

Religious Education

God: 'Ideas of God'

Sacred: 'Sacred Places'

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