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Oak Class - Autumn Term 2 2023

Article 28 – Every child has the right to an education



As Scientists we will:

How Far Can You Throw Your Shadow? We will be investigating light sources, reflection and refraction through a variety of experiments.

As Linguists we will:

As linguists we will be listening to and reading a range of texts, learning to communicate with increasing accuracy and writing with grammatical accuracy.

As Geographers/Historians we will:

Why should gunpowder treason and plot never be forgotten?

In this unit, we will be studying a period of great change in Britain. We will investigate the gunpowder plot and study the reigns of both Henry VIII and Elizabeth to see how and why the country changed. As well as this, we will study The English Civil War.

As Mathematicians we will:

Y3/Y4 We will begin term with addition and subtraction. The children will add and subtract multiples of 100 and add 3 digit and 2 digit numbers crossing 100. The children will learn to “exchange” enabling them to solve more complex problems. After this, we will move onto multiplication and division.

Y5/Y6

We will begin by looking at the 4 operations and then move onto the topic of fractions. Children will build on their previous learning in these areas. They will use a range of manipulatives and pictorial representations to show their understanding.

As Citizens we will: (PSHE/Mind Up)

Our topics for this term is: Celebrating Difference. We will look at communities, rights, sustaining friendships, responsibilities through a variety of teaching and learning activities using Jigsaw teaching sequences.

Our Key Learning Challenge (LCC) Questions are:

How far can you throw your shadow?

Why should gunpowder treason and plot never be forgotten?

As Artists/Designers we will:

We will be studying a variety of portrait artists. We will be experimenting with colour and shade and using a variety of mediums to create our own portrait pieces.

As Readers and Writers we will:

We will be studying non-fiction writing and looking at the text “Volcanos” by Izzy Howell. As part of this unit, we will use relative clauses to add information to noun phrases. The children will have the opportunity to write at length to create a non-chronological report about a subject of interest to them.

In Whole Class Reading, Y3/Y4 will be reading the book “Charlotte’s Webb by E.B. White” and Y5/Y6 will be reading the book, “The Secret Garden by Frances Hogson Burnett

As Athletes we will: We will be exploring Dance. We will use a range of movements to compose our own pieces showing an awareness of levels, tempo. We develop strength, flexibility and balance during this unit.

As Musicians we will: We will play and perform in a variety of contexts. We will be showing control and expression using both our voices and musical instruments. There will be opportunity to improvise and compose music for a range of purposes.

In RE we will: This term, we will consider different view points to explore the topic “What is it like for someone to follow God?”

In Forest School we will: *Explore our beautiful school grounds through a variety of outdoor learning activities.*