

# Year 6-Spring Term-2020

What skills are we learning this term? Year 6 - Spring Term 2020 Mrs Moran





### This term our theme is 'Potions' The skills we are learning are:

# In Topic we will...

#### History

- Pupils describe events, people and changes.
- Pupils describe and make links between the relevant cause and consequence of events and changes.

#### Geography

- Pupils show knowledge and understanding of a range of places, environments and issues at more than one scale.
- Pupils identify reasons for the differences between places and describe how processes and the role of people in managing their environment results in changes to places.

#### Art/DT

- Pupils make drawings and use other methods selectively to explore interpret and record their ideas, and feelings from observation, experience and imagination.
- Pupils experiment practically and imaginatively with a variety of methods, materials, tools and techniques, applying a broad knowledge of visual, tactile and sensory qualities.

#### Science

- Pupils systematically plan their enquiries, making predictions based on scientific knowledge and understanding, including simple models.
- Pupils when planning a fair test, they identify key variables and distinguish between independent and dependent variables and those that they will keep the same.
- Pupils organise and communicate their findings integrating different forms in various presentations and record these systematically, using S.I. units where appropriate.
- Pupils identify bias and start to consider reliability.
- Pupils use scientific knowledge and understanding, including simple models, when explaining their findings and differences between, or changes to organisms, materials and physical phenomena.
- Pupils draw conclusions that are consistent with the findings and consider others' views to inform opinions and decisions.

#### ICT

- Pupils combine a variety of information and media when creating, refining and developing their own ideas and information.
- Pupils create their own models or simulations and investigate the effect of changing data..

### In Literacy we will...

- speak clearly, using formal language
- use a range of strategies for finding information, e.g. skimming for gist, scanning for detail
- show understanding of main ideas and significant details in different texts on the same topic
- Expand upon main idea(s) with supporting reasons, information and example
- Show understanding of main ideas and significant details in texts,
- use language appropriate to writing, including standard forms of English
- use different sentence structures, including complex sentences

# In RE we will

- Describe and begin to explain the religious beliefs, teachings and practices investigated.
- Give specific examples of the ways in which these aspects affect believers' lives and begin to identify the similarities and differences within religions.

# In Numeracy we will...

- check answers using inverse operations
- multiply and divide 3-digit numbers
- transfer mathematical skills to a variety of contexts and everyday situations
- identify the appropriate steps and information needed to complete the task or reach a solution
- select from an increasing range of checking strategies to decide if answers are reasonable
- use mental strategies to recall multiplication tables for 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8 and 10 and use to solve division problems
- represent data using: lists, tally charts, tables, diagrams and frequency tables bar charts, grouped data charts, line graphs and conversion graphs

### In PF we will

- Cooperate with others and observe the conventions of fair play, equality and appropriate
- Communicate our ideas clearly to others

### In Music we will...

Work with others, devise and undertake simple development of musical ideas to produce compositions, demonstrating understanding and appropriate use of musical elements.

### Additional Information

Reading book and learning logs are to be brought to school each day.

Monday/ Dydd Llun: Dinner money

Tuesday/ Dydd Mawrth: Homework returned.

Wednesday/ Dydd Mercher:

Thursday/ Dydd Iau: School Bank, Bug Club Cafe and PTA Healthy Tuck Shop Friday/ Dydd Gwener: PE: t-shirt, jumper/hoodie, joggers, trainers. Homework set. Children will require a waterproof coat EVERYDAY to enable outdoor learning.

Diolch yn fawr, Mrs Moran