



What are Willow Class learning in Term 5?

English (Class Read - *Secrets of a Sun King* - Emma Carroll)

Fiction: First Person Narrative - Retelling the Tin Forest

Poetry: Simple Poetry - The Tin Forest

Non-Fiction: Letters to inform and persuade - environmental issues

Guided Reading - Once upon a picture - Cottage in the Woods/Fiction - The Railway Children/Non-Fiction - India/Poem - Owl and the Pussycat/

Maths

Place Value

Four Operations - Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division (+ in arithmetic sessions)

Measure - Capacity and Mass

Fractions

Money (including addition and subtraction)

Science: Plants

Identify and describe the functions of different parts of flowering plants: roots, stem/trunk, leaves and flowers

Explore the requirements of plants for life and growth (air, light, water, nutrients from soil, and room to grow) and how they vary from plant to plant

Investigate the way in which water is transported within plants

Explore the part that flowers play in the life cycle of flowering plants, including pollination, seed formation and seed dispersal.

Art -

Focus - Printing: Children to experiment creating art by using printing in the style of the focus artists.

Focus artists: Georgia O'Keefe/Andy Warhol/M.C. Escher

Why are plants so important to us and the environment?

Music:

South Glos music Hub -
Delivered by Sue Davey

PSHE

Jigsaw: Relationships

French

Delivered by Andrea Lewis

PE:

Net/Wall Games -
Tennis
Invasion Games

Discovery RE:

Do Sikhs think it important to share?

Computing

Data Handling (Cross-Curricular data using J2code and Microsoft excel)

History

History of farming - Children to explore how farming has changed over time.

Exploration of advantages/disadvantages of modern day farming

Geography/DT

Seasonality

Start to know when, where and how food is grown (such as herbs, tomatoes and strawberries) in the UK, Europe and the wider world;

Atlas Work: Revision of countries/cities studied so far
Country of the Term: New Zealand

Additional: If you are interested in helping the class with reading or maths support then please feel free to contact the school office or Mr. Monks to arrange

Additional: Swimming - You will have been informed if your child is due to go swimming on Wednesday afternoons. Please ensure they bring their swimming kit in on these days.

Additional: Forest School (Monday 18th and Tuesday 19th April). Please ensure children have the correct kit and it is placed on the named peg in the outdoor classroom.