



Year 5 Curriculum Plan – Autumn

English

We will start with a focus on the key grammar skills needed for year 5. Spelling and reading will be taught daily. We will be reading 'The boy at the back of the class' and writing instructions, non-chronological reports, poetry and narratives this term.

Maths

Place value will be followed by securing written strategies for addition and subtraction, multiplication and division. We will then focus on fractions. Arithmetic will be a daily focus.

Science

Properties and Changes of Materials

Forces

Geography

Maps

We will be learning about latitude and longitude, time zones and 8 figure grid references.

History

Enquiry:

How did WWII change Chard?

Key vocabulary

Science: gas, liquid, solid, particles, atoms, evaporation, condensation, particle arrangement

Geography: maps, atlas, compass, digital map, eating, grid references, National Grid, northing, ordnance survey maps, symbols

Art

We will be studying Frida Kahlo with Mrs Morton.

DT

For our textiles project, the children will be making T-shirt Cushions.

P.E

Swimming, Hockey, Dance and Football

R.E and Worldview

Enquiry: What do Christians believe about God and incarnation?

PSHE

'Me and my Relationships' and 'Keeping myself Safe'.

Computing

'Systems and Searching' and programming. E-Safety lessons too.

Key information

Children must read at least five times a week. Homework is set and marked on a Monday. Pupils will be asked to complete this at lunchtime if it is not given in. There is after school homework club if needed.

P.E. days will be sent out via ParentPay.

MC48 – conker fight and learning to read a map and compass.

Visits – All dates TBC

Chard Solar Farm and Chard Library

Visitors

WWII day – members of artefact collection clubs and re-enactment groups