

Mathematics

Week 1: Converting units of measure - Km/m, Kg/g, MI/l

Week 2: Multiplying 3 and 4-digit numbers by 1 using the grid method and formal method.

Week 3: Division using the bus stop method.

Week 4: Equivalent fractions.

Week 5: Counting in hundredths and finding decimals by dividing by 10 and 100

Week 6: Time and converting units of time.

PSHE

Healthy Me:

Children learn to understand how different friendship groups are formed and how dynamics change within different groups of people. Children will learn the facts about smoking and alcohol and the effects each have on health. Finally, students will learn about what makes a healthy friendship and how to celebrate inner strength.

Literacy (Year 5 in brackets)

Class Text: How the Tortoise Got Its Rough Skin

Learning how to write a story with a moral, followed up by writing instruction texts on how to survive in the jungle.

SPAG:

Commas to mark grammatical boundaries, plural and possessive apostrophes, (brackets, commas and colons for lists).

D&T / Art

Children will create silhouette art of African animals. They will have the opportunity to make African masks with paper mache.

P.E.

Mrs Ridpath

Science - Animals Including Humans

This unit focuses on the digestive system in humans and animals and the functions of teeth. Children will learn more about herbivores, carnivores and omnivores in the context of teeth, digestion and the food chain. In addition, they will extend their understanding of food chains to more complex chains and food webs.

Benin (A city in Nigeria)

Year 4/5 – Spring 2

I.C.T

Chrome Books: Students will explore Chrome books and learn about the different apps available on them. Year 4s will begin to use Ipads and Chrome books to practice for their times table tests.

Music

Lean on Me: The material presents an integrated approach to music where games, the interrelated dimensions of music (pulse, rhythm, pitch etc.), singing and playing instruments are all linked.

Religious Education

What is the Bible: Students will finish off learning about Christianity and the Bible by exploring passages found in the text.

Geography

Children will learn about Benin as a city in Nigeria on the continent of Africa. Students will learn that Africa is a continent and not a country and how to locate countries in Africa. They will learn how to read maps and find distances using scales on maps in relation to the UK. Students will write postcards from the perspective of a tourist in Benin incorporating aspects of local culture in their writing and compare and contrast the similarities and difference between life in Benin and their own, including reading graphs.