

Leylands Class Curriculum Letter

SUMMER 2: Tour of Terling

Stunning Starter: Walk 'n' Talk

Fantastic Finale: Tour of Terling farms/Be a tour guide

English

We will continue writing class and personal projects. The class project will be to write fables to publish in a book, which the children will read to EYFS and KS1. The personal projects will be short 500 word stories, which the children will enter into an online writing competition.

In guided reading we will be practising dictionary work, rapid retrieval and flying solo (inference, prediction and summarising) using various text types and media. We will also focus on the author's voice.

PSHE

We will continue to discuss our community and how we can be responsible for the environment that we live in.

Year 4 will also be focussing on the SRE curriculum throughout the last part of the term.

Maths

Times-tables mastery will be a focus throughout this year, with each age group focussing on their target tables. We will use TT Rock Stars, Kung Fu Mathsters, and Daily 10 to accomplish this.

This half-term, we will be working on fractions and decimals, followed by time. We will also continue to focus on applying our mathematical understanding to answer mental maths problems. We will finish the term with a mathematical project.



Art/DT

We will be working on making a textile mosaic that links to Terling School, to be exhibited in the school hall. We will learn what an architect does and how buildings and gardens are designed, applying this to designing an outdoor area for the school.

Music

We will study music by Vivaldi, and link this to creating a piece of graffiti art and continue to use Charanga for singing lessons.

Topic

This topic will extend across the whole term, where the focus is on the history, geography and plant-life around Terling.

History: We will learn about the history of our school from artefacts and stories told by local residents.

Geography: We will learn about rivers around the world and their features and apply this to our own geography study of the river Ter.

We will also be studying maps, photographs and other documents to gather information to become a tour guide for Terling village.

R.E.

We will be learning about creation stories from different world religions, looking at similarities and differences in beliefs. This will also include the humanist and evolutionary viewpoints on how we came to exist.

Science

We will be focussing on discovering the importance of different forces in our daily lives, which will include gravity, friction and air resistance. We will also investigate magnets and their properties. At the end of term we will have an investigation inspired by the book *Egg Drop* by Mini Grey.