### **English**

Poetry- The Quiet Child by Liz Brownlee



Tom's Midnight Garden- Edith's graphic novel version of Philippa Pearce's classic (writing outcomes: diary/letter/discussion text)

Suffragettes: The Battle for Equality

Class stories

#### **Maths**

- number and place value (to at least 7 digits)
- four operations (add, subtract, multiply, divide)
- fractions
- geometry (properties of shapes/angles)
- geometry (position and direction)
- factors/multiples/prime

#### Science

### **Properties and Changes of Materials**

This will include:

- comparing and grouping together everyday materials on the basis of their properties
- fair testing
- solubility, solutions and response to magnets
- separation through sieving, evaporating, filtering
- that dissolving, mixing and changes of state are reversible changes
- irreversible changes

#### History

Non-European societies from Central America -The Maya and Aztecs.



Were they savages who needed to be changed?

This will include an enrichment visit from Mexicolore: learning about everyday life, rituals and temples, glyphs and codices and Spanish invasion.

#### **PSHE & Values**

Value: Humility

PSHE: Me and My Relationships – friendship, assertiveness, falling out, conflict resolution, respect, emotional need, positive relationships. Valuing difference.

### Computing

We are game developers (using Kodu game lab)



### RE

What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?



Why do Christians believe Jesus was the Messiah? Christmas

### Music

Make you feel my love- Adele Classroom Jazz 1 Livin' on a prayer (Bon Jovi)

### French

Le weekend (talking about what you do/don't do/like/dislike)

Les vetements (talking about favourite clothes and prices-going to a shop)

# PΕ

## Indoor

Dance- Modern Hip Hop Gym- Balances and travels

### Outdoor

Handball Netball



#### Art

Pencil skills – drawing and sketching Artist study: Sybil Andrews (printing)



Food technology: Hand held dish (tortilla/salsa/guacamole)

# **Curriculum Notes Year 5/6** Autumn 2023





### How you can help at home:

Reading - Please engage with your child's reading and sign off the home link book once a week.

Maths – Every child has a login for My Maths. Areas being covered in the autumn term will be 'opened' throughout the term.

Spelling – Every child has a login for Spelling Shed, onto which spellings will be added fortnightly. Regular practice would support class work.

<u>Useful websites</u>	
MATHS www.mymaths.co.uk http://www.snappymaths.com/ www.mathszone.co.uk http://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years/ https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/maths-owl/maths	ENGLISH http://www.sentenceplay.co.uk/sentenceGames.htm http://resources.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/interactive/literacy2.htm http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks2/english/spelling_grammar/sentences/read/1/ http://www.funenglishgames.com/writinggames.html http://www.nessy.com/uk/ http://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/reading-site/expert-help/grammar-punctuation-and-spelling-made-easy https://www.spellzone.com https://vocabularyninja.wordpress.com/about
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