

Science:

This term, we will learn about food webs and animal life cycles, including how living things are dependent on one another within a habitat. We will learn about the benefits of eating seasonally and about the pros and cons of importing food.

We will Report and present findings from enquiries, including conclusions, causal relationships and explanations of results, in oral and written forms such as displays and other presentations.



Whole Class Text:

Title: The Secret Garden

Author: Frances Hodgson Burnett



Vocabulary
Infer
Predict
Explain
Retrieve
Summarise



Home Learning:

- *Use the internet and the library to research about farming.
- *Discuss what it might have been like to live as a farmer.
- *Create a diorama farm/allotment
- * Make a movable tractor

English:

In Reading we will be focussing on our retrieval and comparison skills and we will explore the themes from the book. We will focus on looking at the choice of language used and the intended effect on the audience.

In Writing we will be using a specific example of an adventure narrative to apply a range of descriptive language choices and to build up characterisation. We will be using specific skills such as:

- Writing to entertain: Descriptive Writing
- Writing to inform: Journalistic Writing
- Writing to entertain: Narrative poetry
- Use powerful language choices throughout their writing.
- Understand what makes an effective descriptive text using techniques to engage the reader.



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Enquiry question :

What is the importance of agriculture in the United Kingdom?

Mathematics:

This term Year 5 will focus on :

- Fractions
- Equivalent fractions
- Comparing fractions
- Mixed number fractions
- Improper fractions
- Addition and subtraction of fractions of numbers
- Solving worded problems and applying reasoning
- Making links between fractions, decimals and percentages.



Art, D.T and Music:

This half term we will improve our mastery of art and design techniques, including drawing and painting with a range of materials (for example, pencil, charcoal, paint,). We will mix and use tints and shades of colours using a range of different materials, including paint.

Artists who have painted still life compositions include Michelangelo Merisi da Caravaggio, Francisco de Zurbarán, Claude Monet, Mary Cassatt, Vincent van Gogh, Paul Gauguin and Paul Cézanne.



R.E./P.S.H.E:

-This half term we will focus on thinking about the lives of people living in other places and times, and people with different values and customs.

-We will explore the values of being open, honest and truthful. We will follow this with the values of participating and willing to lead.



History/ Geography :

We will focus on: Land use and farming in the UK, Allotments, Maps, Grid references. We will also learn about world farming and how the different climate zones affect where different foods can be grown.



P.E.:

*Every Tuesday afternoons:

- 5AK - Tag rugby and Yoga
- 5AM - Tag rugby and Yoga
- 5J - Tag rugby and Yoga



