

Wren's Nest Primary School

KS2 Year 6



Curriculum information for parents

Spring Term 2018

Trips:

A trip to the theatre to watch 101 Dalmatians.

Literacy: Children will focus on writing a variety of reports using descriptive techniques. In addition to this, they will work on their persuasive skills writing arguments, balanced reports and letters; both formal and informal. The children will read a variety of classical texts both in class and within literacy lessons, practising their inference and deduction skills.



Numeracy: Children will continue to practise their 4 Rules of Number with a greater emphasis on applying through practical sessions. The children will also develop their understanding of fractions, decimals and percentages.

Science:

Children will investigate Light and be able to explain what a light source is and look at the relationship between light and colour. Following Light we will be studying life processes linked to changes within nature during the spring.



History: South American Culture.

Children will look at the role of the Incas and the importance of the historic site, Machu Picchu

Geography: We will be able to identify the countries of South America and locate these on a map. In addition, they will identify the main physical and human features as well as the different climatic zones.



Design and Technology: The children will plan, design, construct and evaluate a 3D model of a rainforest scene using the specific layers.

Art: We will study art from different cultures, including a Mexican Death Mask and a reflective rainforest landscape.

ICT: Children will learn to use presentation software to present their project work which will be linked to South America.

Religious Education:

We will be learning about Christianity, its beliefs and meaning and also the importance of Easter to the Christian faith.

PSHE: Learning about 'Risk' and how to keep themselves safe in the modern world.

Physical Education: The children will be participating in cross country and indoor athletics.

Home work:

Please help your child by listening to them read and then discussing the story.

Please support them with their homework which will be given out on a Wednesday and due back in the following Monday.

Help your child learn, through talking and sharing their experiences!