

SALTERHEBBLE JUNIOR AND INFANT SCHOOL

CURRICULUM COVERAGE

Class: Y6

Teacher: Mr Weatherby

HLTA: Mr Finch

Date: Summer Term 2018

Literacy

Text-based Literacy

Macbeth by William Shakespeare
(Parts of the original text alongside a modern narrative version)

Biography

Write a biography of a family member.

Balanced Argument

Discussion / debate on ethics of animal testing for medical research.

Persuasive Letter

Letter from Henry VIII to the Pope requesting permission for divorce.

Fictional Recount

A day in the life of a Tudor child.

Playscripts and Performance

The Year 5 / 6 leavers' production.

Grammar and Punctuation

Revision of all areas for SAT tests in May.

Maths

Revision of all areas in preparation for SAT tests in May.

- Art through Maths (including Islamic art, radial designs and tessellations)
- Famous Mathematicians and their work (Brahmagupta, Fibonacci, Pythagoras, John Napier)
- Problem solving and mathematical puzzles
- Binary numbers and digital roots

Geography/History

History

- Historical background to the Tudors – the houses of York and Lancaster
- Henry VIII and his wives
- Religious turmoil – the dissolution of the monasteries
- Group projects on: Fashion and clothing, Tudor medicine, Crime and punishment, Tudor towns and homes, Entertainment

Class Trip – Murton Park

Children will dress in Tudor costume and take part in Tudor farming, a Tudor classroom and Military training

Geography

- Personal project about Tudor explorers

Topic: **Life in Tudor Britain**

Computing

I am a Programmer: free-choice coding activity to demonstrate abilities towards end of key stage

We are Yearbook Publishers

Science

Electricity

- History of electricity
- Circuit symbols
- Voltage
- Investigating circuits
- Series and parallel circuits

Animals including humans

- Human growth and changes
- Puberty
- Human reproduction
- Personal hygiene
- Changes in old age
- Life expectancy

Scientific Inquiry Skills

RE/PSHCE

RE

- Sikhism
- What do religions teach about conflict and compassion?

PSHCE

- Positive relationships
- Change



Music

- The 'Big Sing' performance
- Year 5/6 production
- Tudor music and instruments

French

- Food
- Hobbies

PE

Mr Richardson – Extreme Golf and Volleyball

Mr Finch and Mr Weatherby – Cricket and Athletics

Art/DT

- Portraits of Henry VIII and his wives (Tudor Gallery)
- Tudor roses
- Coats of arms
- Moving toys
- Plants and Flowers

You can help by...

Ensuring that your child comes to school with the equipment needed every day such as planners, homework books and PE kit; helping your child with their organisation of homework; encouraging your child to read a range of fiction, non-fiction books and newspapers; ensuring that your child knows their times tables and division facts; encouraging your child to research further the topics that are being covered in class.

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