

Maths

This half term we will be exploring fractions. We will be looking at the difference between unit and non-unit fractions, finding equivalent fractions and counting in and finding tenths. During our maths spot activities we will also be consolidating how to solve multiplication questions using short multiplication.

PE

Our focus for this half term is Athletics. We will be teaching the children different skills such as javelin, relay and sprinting. These skills will be put into practice ready for our Sports day.

Science

Our science topic this half term is all about plants. We will learn about the main areas of a plant, including the roots, stem, leaves, flower etc. As well as exploring the more challenging areas such as the stigma, anther, filaments, petal, and sepal.

PSHE

We will continue using the Jigsaw scheme, as well as discussing current issues through our P4C sessions. This half term we will be exploring puzzle 1, 'Healthy Me'. We will be looking at the importance of keeping both body and mind healthy.

FAIRTRADE



ICT

Our unit this half term is 'Powerpoints', we will be exploring all the different

Geography

This half term we are going to be continuing to look at where Fairtrade products are located, comparing the distance to the UK. We also be consolidating our knowledge on mountains and rivers.

Literacy

In Literacy we will be immersing ourselves into the world of magic. Our learning will come from the book, 'The Place Between'. We will be using descriptive phrases to describe the 'place between'. We will also be learning our own magic trick and exploring the word of Dynamo.

Reading

This half term we will be reading different non-fiction texts that link to our topics. For the first few weeks will be reading texts all about Fairtrade, retrieving key information and facts.

History

This half term we are going to be learning all about The Anglo Saxons, the Scots, the Vikings and Normans. We will be exploring key questions such as: What did life look like? What did they believe?

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Important dates for your diary:

- Parents Evening – Tuesday 14th March 2023
- Break for half term – Friday 31st March 2023

Swimming

We have blown away by the children's progress during our swimming lessons. We look forward to continuing with our swimming lessons this half term. Just a reminder, the last swimming lesson will take

Spelling

We will be continuing to practice our spellings each day. Spellings will be sent home on a Monday and dictation will take place on a Friday. Please ask your child to verbally explain that weeks spelling rule to you – this will help with retention. We will also be continuing to learn how to read and write the Y2 and Y3/4 common exception word list.

PE

This half term we will be delivering PE alongside our swimming lessons to ensure the children are prepared for sports day. PE will not be on a set day as these lessons will be additional to practice key skills. Please could children bring their PE kits on a Monday and