









Courtney Primary – Topic Sheet

Term 5 – Year 6

Teachers : Mrs R Green and Mrs R Parker and Mrs Reardon and occasionally Mrs Castle!

What is this topic sheet for?

This sheet shows you the topics your child is covering this term and gives you ideas and ways you can help your child at home. The library is always a good starting point and the internet has many great sites. If you visit www.courtney.eschools.co.uk and click on the 'Links' section, you will find useful websites listed there.

 <p>English</p> <p>In term 5 the children will be developing their fiction writing skills, including grammatical structures used for formality and informality in a variety of text types. They will also develop further their conversation writing and cohesion within paragraphs.</p>	 <p>Maths</p> <p>In maths lessons we will be revising all aspects of the Y6 curriculum in preparation for the sats tests. We will continue to develop and push the children to make progress through tiny informal tests and class based practise. We will also have smaller sessions for basics like operation use and bodmas.</p>	 <p>Science</p> <p>The children will be learning about light- how it travels, how we see and how the eye works too. They will discover aspects of the sun (and the shadows it creates) the builds on the knowledge of space from Year 5 science lessons too.</p>		
 <p>Computing</p> <p>The children will be introduced to software to create multi-media presentations. They will choose either a place to present and will spend several lessons planning and creating a multi-media presentation to share with an audience.</p>	 <p>RE</p> <p>In RE, we will consider what religions say to us when life gets hard, focussing on exploring death. By this age, many children will have experienced grief and death. This term will allow them to talk about these ideas when emotions are less raw than after a bereavement.</p>	 <p>Art</p> <p>As well as taking part in Art week at the end of term, the children will be creating some work based around the Australian artist Peter Thrope using, mixed media methods</p>	 <p>PSHE/Jigsaw</p> <p>We will be looking at the Jigsaw theme of 'relationships' which links to our Crown Value: we are kind to each other in work and play. We will consider how to make friends and how to solve friendship problems when they occur.</p>	 <p>PE</p> <p>Cedar class have PE on Thursday afternoons with myself or Mrs Castle. These session will be continuing our work on hockey using the proper wooden sticks and heavy balls, so there will a safety focus and an opportunity to enjoy larger team games.</p>