



AMAZING AFRICA

Welcome to the curriculum notes for Skylarks! Here you will find an overview of work that Skylarks will be working on throughout terms 5 & 6. Information on when children will need their P.E kits, as well as homework days can be found here. All staff are incredibly excited for the start of the summer term and are looking forward to all the learning that will be taking place.

Who's who?

Skylarks remains unchanged this term with the class teacher, Mr.S teaching 4 days a week and Miss Dunn teaching 1 day. The class teaching assistant in the mornings is Mrs. Xavier.

Roots to grow, wings to fly

P.E

P.E lessons are Mondays and Tuesdays this term however please ensure PE kits are left in school all week.

Homework

Homework will be given out on Fridays and will be posted on Classdojo. Pupils will be given their homework books to take home and should be returned by the following Tuesday of the following week.

Areas of Exploration

Science

This term for science we are looking at teeth, digestive systems and food chains. The children will be learning parts of the digestive system and their functions, different types of teeth and various food chains.

French

In French the children will be looking at a unit called 'On the move' which includes learning about transport and direction.

History

For terms 5 & 6, Skylarks will be learning about Benin Art and the Victorians. This will be really enjoyable unit of the children where they learn about the Benin Kingdom, dynasties and the famous Benin Bronzes!

Geography

Mountains, mountains, mountains! We will be learning all about mountains. This will include learning about different kinds of mountains, where they are found and what they are used for.

English

Every term brings a big variety of writing that Skylarks have the opportunity to cover. This will include narratives, newspaper articles, advertisements and persuasive leaflets. Below are some of the books we will be looking at during this term.



Computing

This term for computing we are focusing on photo editing. This includes manipulating images and assessing the impact.

DT

For DT the children will be learning about textiles and, in particular, cushions. The children will have the opportunity to learn about cross stitching and appliqué in this unit.

Religious Education

In Term 5 we will be looking at the Kingdom of God and thinking about the impact on Pentecost when Jesus left. In Term 6 we will explore Hinduism and learn about the pilgrimage to the river Ganges.

P.E

In P.E this term we are going to doing Athletics, cricket and rounders.

Music

In music in Term 5 we are learning all about music from South and West Africa. In Term 6 we will be learning to create compositions from animation.

Maths

Year 3 pupils will be looking at fractions before moving on to time, properties of shape and mass & capacity. Year 4 will be learning about decimals, time, statistics, property of shape and geometry.

Art

In art Skylarks will be looking at how to use resources such as observation and drama to create paintings.

PSHE

PSHE this term is all about a unit called 'Growing Up' where the children will learn about changes in boys and girls and human reproduction.