P15 Curriculum Newsletter

Summer Term 2024



Our Values...

Welcoming Teamwork Friendship Trust Independence Fun!

PE is our whole school curriculum priority for the Summer Term.

We will celebrate Sky Arts Week from 17th – 21st June and our

Sports Week begins on 24th June.

We have a Wellbeing Day on 1st July and our Business Enterprise Day will take place on 10th July.

Festivals of the Month

April: Vaisakhi May: Pentecost June: Eid July: Dharma Day

English

Jemma Watkiss' group will be working towards the WJEC Additional English Unit 'Exploring Shakespeare' at Entry Level 3, using key texts including 'Romeo and Juliet'.

Mrs Harley's group will be working towards the WJEC Additional English Unit 'Exploring Shakespeare' at Entry Level 2, using key texts including 'A Midsummer Night's Dream'.

Fitness

During the first half term, pupils will participate in Yoga and in the second half term they will participate in a 'Boot Camp' (athletics themed).

Pupils will follow 'Studioyou' sessions of Yoga in the hall. During Boot Camp pupils will work on aspects of strength, speed, stamina and coordination each week.

Hydrotherapy

Pupils will work towards their individual targets, relevant EHCP targets and follow Physiotherapy Movement Programmes. Pupils will participate in Hydrotherapy on a rota basis.

Maths

Jemma Watkiss' Maths Group

Pupils will continue to prepare for the Edexcel Level 2 Maths Award in Number and Measure by completing Maths revision and past papers. All pupils will be sitting the exam on Tuesday 7th May.

Mr Dill-Russell's Maths Group

Pupils will be working towards OCR Life & Living Skills (Numeracy) Unit, either J8: 'Collecting and Presenting Numerical Information' or J14 'Presenting Information in a Chart', as appropriate. On completion of the unit, pupils will choose topics of interest to research either alone or in pairs.

Mrs. Sabel's Maths Group

Pupils will be working towards OCR Life & Living Skills (Numeracy) Unit, either J8: 'Collecting and Presenting Numerical Information' or J14 'Presenting Information in a Chart', as appropriate.

As part of these units, pupils will be choosing topics of interest to collect data on and present to each other.

Vocational Learning

Pupils will embark on a journey of innovation and entrepreneurship as they develop ideas for a Business Enterprise Day within our school community.

Through collaboration, creativity, and critical thinking, they will explore opportunities to create meaningful ventures that not only enrich their educational experience but also contribute positively to our school environment.

Independent Living Skills

Pupils will develop their independent living skills by running a café which will be set up in the classroom.

Pupils will create signs and decide on a price list for the drinks and snacks on offer. They will lay the tables and learn how to make healthy snacks safely and keep the café clean and tidy.

Community Inclusion

During the first half term, pupils will be visiting 'We Love Carers'. Pupils will have the opportunity to gain work experience in the onsite café, crèche and ebay shop.

We are also hoping to visit some outdoor community venues when the weather improves!

Self Development

Health and Social Care

Pupils will devise a schedule of activities which can be undertaken at a residential care home for the elderly. Pupils will organise and undertake these activities each week.

Media

Pupils will work on WJEC Level 1 Award for IT Users. Pupils will plan and review their use of predefined or commonly used IT tools for activities that are straightforward or routine.

As a result of reviewing their work, they will be able to identify and use automated methods or alternative ways of working to improve productivity.

Art

All pupils will continue to explore the theme of Natural Forms and will continue to be inspired by the work of Georgia O'Keeffe and other relevant artists.

Pupils will explore ideas by creating outcomes in pencil, pastel, print and watercolour.

A final collaborative large scale flower will be completed by the pupils to be displayed outside the Art room.

RSE

Jemma Watkiss' Group

Throughout the Summer term, the pupils will be learning about pregnancy and sexual health. They will participate in a range of activities which will encourage open discussions in a safe space where differences are accepted and valued.

Eleanor Hudson's Group

The class will continue to learn about Human Development and Pregnancy and Birth Responsibilities of Parenthood. They will be using the Books Beyond Words book 'Loving Each Other Safely' and 'Having a Baby.' They will then discuss relationships and divorce.

How is my child's progress being recorded?

Pupils will be working from the National Curriculum and accredited courses, modified and differentiated to their individual needs. They will be assessed using the Chadsgrove P-Steps, SOLAR and their accredited course criteria. Pupils will also follow a personalised Individual Education Plan with their own set targets.