



Westleigh Methodist Primary School – Year 5 Summer Curriculum Overview

With God All Things Are Possible – Matthew 19:26

Love Teamwork Thankfulness Generosity Peace Forgiveness Equality Justice



English

As readers, we will be continuing to develop our skills by answering questions about our book as a hook and our story time book. We will be regularly completing reading comprehensions. We will continue to develop our retrieval skills with regular Word Wednesday challenged to test our SPaG knowledge. **As writers**, this half term our book as a hook is Macbeth. We will be producing a variety of different pieces of writing, including our own spells, newspaper reports and a narrative piece about our own version of Macbeth.

Maths

As mathematicians, we will be developing our knowledge of fractions. Using skills we have learned throughout the year to add, subtract and multiply fractions. We will continue to develop our knowledge of the four operations. We will then develop our understanding of percentages and negative numbers. We will build on our arithmetic skills through daily fluent in fives and regular arithmetic practice tests.

Religious Education

Our RE focus question is: Why do believers see life as a journey?

Spiritual: We will reflect on the practices and values that are important in pupils' lives.
Moral: We will consider the concept of community.
Social: We will reflect on the impact of religious expression and belief in daily life.
Cultural: We will explore the traditions and practices that are central to multiple religions.

Science

As Scientists, we will be studying space. We will study the solar system and the different planets within it. We will study the shape of the Earth, its orbit and how it affects our days. We will create our own sun dials to investigate changes of light throughout the day.

History

As Historians, we will be learning all about the Victorian era. We will investigate the life of Queen Victoria. The children will learn about the lives of Victorian people and compare and contrast them with experiences of people today. We will study

Geography

As Geographers, our learning will be linked to our history topic, Victorians. We will study the impact the Victorians and the Industrial Revolution had on the local area, looking at environmental impacts.

Computing

In Computing, we will be learning about creating and developing games. We will use Purple Mash to create 3D games. We will learn about graphics and images and their role in games.

<p>the impact of the Industrial Revolution on the UK and the local area.</p>		
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>French</u></p> <p>As linguists, we will be learning key phrases to connected to school life. We will use a range of vocabulary to discuss schools, what we find in the classroom and what activities take place in school.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>PE</u></p> <p>In PE, our focus will be badminton. We will develop of understanding of how to win a game of badminton. We will learn how to serve and forehand and backhand shots.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Music</u></p> <p>As Musicians, we will be learning how to improvise. We will be learning and following along to songs using instruments. We will discover the freedom to improvise in our playing.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>PSHE</u></p> <p>In PSHE, we will be learning all about being our best selves. We will learn about how to keep ourselves physically and mentally healthy. We will discuss what makes us special, what skills we have. We will also look at some basic first aid skills.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Art and Design</u></p> <p>As artists, we will be we will be taking inspiration from artist Rosalind Monks. We will research the artists, use view finders to create pieces and create final pieces inspired by insects.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Design Technology</u></p> <p>As designers, we will be exploring mechanisms. We will explore devices that use pulleys and gears.</p>