

Year 4 Summer Term - Wonderful Water



Languages, Literacy and Communication

Oracy: We will develop our talking skills with our talking partners, in small groups and to our class.

Reading: Each day we will take part in guided reading through reading egg challenges, independent or paired reading or comprehension tasks in our group with an adult.

Writing: We will improve our writing by building sentences using better adjective lists, adverb starters and figurative language like similes, alliteration and personification. We'll be using the local area and be inspired by rivers to create persuasive writing and narratives.

In **Welsh**, along with day-to-day incidental Welsh, the children will learn to use phrases to describe themselves and where they live. We will also apply our understanding in writing tasks.

Health and Wellbeing

We will remember the Dewstow Values, **Ready, Respectful, Safe** developing our positive relationships in class and maintaining happy, safe working environment. In PE, we will be using our wonderful school grounds to practice for Sports Day as well as using our creativity through gymnastics and dance.



Mathematics and Numeracy

We will be developing our shape, data and measuring skills by learning all about perimeter and area and how to calculate both. Fractions will be covered and how we can find fractions of amounts and using them practically to solve problems involving money. We will be learning about the 12 and 24 hour clock and how to tell the time and the difference between.

Throughout the term we will be also problem solving and reasoning to help us deepen our knowledge.



Expressive Arts

We will explore texture and line techniques in art using cross hatching to create 3d effects. In sewing we will develop simple running and back stitches to make independent designs.

We will be using a mixture of instruments and digital technology to help us explore, compose and reflect upon the music and musicians we see and hear all around us.



Science and Technology

This term our focus will be around the water cycle, detailing how water constantly moves between the land, sea, and air through evaporation, condensation, precipitation, and collection. It is taught as a continuous process powered by the sun that changes water states (liquid, gas, solid).

We will be looking at 3D design and 3D modelling software to design and make 3D models using the 3D printer, following a design brief. We will act like scientists and think about how this can impact on our society.

Humanities

We will continue our enquiries about differences and diversity within our community and the world through storytelling, PSHE sessions and independent research.

We will use JIGSAW to help us understand about setting goals, managing resilience, helping others and working hard to achieve our goals.



Together we learn. together we grow