



Emmanuel Primary School

3R Topic Sheet

Spring Term 2023

Topic: The Tudors



LITERACY

On-going: Spelling, Handwriting, Guided Reading.

Children should read for at least 20 minutes each night and record their reading in their reading records. During Guided Reading, the children will be reading a range of high-quality short stories to develop their comprehension skills.

This term will be working on an explanation text - 'How A Robot Dog Works' as part of the Jane Considine scheme. We will be developing the skills of including paragraphs as a way to group related material as well as using headings and sub-headings and the use of the present perfect form of verbs instead of the simple past.

NUMERACY

Children will extend their understanding of the number system and place value to include larger numbers. They will develop the connections between multiplication and division with fractions, decimals and percentages. Pupils will also solve a wide range of problems, which demand efficient written and mental methods of calculation. They will interpret data presented in tables and draw pictograms and charts to present data.

Each term, children will study aspects of place value; addition and subtraction; multiplication and division; fractions; measurement; geometry (properties of shapes and position and direction) and statistics.

P.E

Children will have a PE lesson every Tuesday taught by Mr Spadaccini. This half-term, children will develop their indoor athletics skills and fitness.

History - Tudors

In this topic, children will explore the way of life of significant people living in Tudor times, including what clothing they would have worn and what jobs they carried out. We will also look in-depth at the story of Henry the VIII, his reign as King and his marriages.

RE - Hinduism

We will be exploring what Hindus believe and practise in their faith. This includes learning about Brahman (Supreme Being), the Aum sound (the first sound that began the creation of the universe) which many Hindus use at the start of prayers as well as why the Ganges river is an important pilgrimage site in India.

SCIENCE - Forces and Magnets

This term, children will learn about forces, friction and magnetic attraction. They will learn about forces in the context of pushing and pulling, and will identify different actions as a push or a pull. We will also work scientifically and collaboratively to investigate friction, by exploring the movement of a toy car over different surfaces as well as identifying magnetic materials by conducting investigations into the strength of different types of magnets. We will also look at the magnetic poles and compasses.

ART/DT - Tudor Artists, Portraits, Theatre sets.

This term, we will be focussing on some influential artists from Tudor times and use their work as inspiration for us to create our own portraits. We will explore Tudor theatres with a focus on Shakespeare's plays and the Globe theatre. We will design and build miniature theatre sets. In DT we will be designing, making and evaluating CAD - based packaging to protect and display a food product for sale.

Latin

This term children will continue to focus on conversational skills, such as greetings and asking and responding to questions about themselves.

MUSIC- The children will have music every week on a Tuesday with Ms Czula.

Computing

Pupils will be introduced to touch typing. This will involve learning the terminology, the names of the fingers and what is meant by the home, bottom, and top rows. Children will learn how to touch type with both hands.

PSHE - Living in the Wider World.

In our PSHE lessons we will discuss ideas of identity, diversity and equality and look at the notion of universal human rights. We will also look at ideas around career choices and develop economic understanding.