

# Topic Planning - Summer Term, 2017

# Oak Class Year 5 & 6

<p><b>English:</b> This term our English work will focus around story composition and play scripts. We will be re-writing classic fairy tales to give them a modern twist. We will be having a look at some examples of this such as Roald Dahl's Revolting Rhymes. Once we have written our modern day fairy tales we will be turning them into scripts for a radio play. We will think very carefully about the difference between scripts for the stage and the radio and how we can make our plays exciting to listen to. We will then make recordings of our plays so the whole class can hear them. Following on from our play script work will start rehearsing our Summer production. We will learn all the skills we need to be a good actors from how to learn your lines to how to project your voice so you can be heard at the back of the hall.</p> <p>During daily skills sessions the children will work on their grammar skills as well as vocabulary, connectives, openers and punctuation in their writing.</p>	<p><b>Numeracy:</b> This term we will be carrying on with Maths No Problem Singapore maths books.</p> <p>Year 5 children will spend this term concentrating on decimals and percentages and how they link to their previous work on fractions. They will also work on how to present and interpret statistics in charts and line graphs; area and perimeter and measures (such as time, length and volume).</p> <p>Year 6 children will start by revising previous topics to ready them for their SATs tests. They will then practise using the maths skills they have learnt in real life contexts such as presenting data in graphs; mapping the school field and preparing activities for the younger children.</p> <p>We will also be taking part in weekly problem solving activities and times tables practice. Weekly times table tests and rapid recall sessions will focus on speed of recall of vital maths knowledge such as times tables and number bonds.</p>	
<p><b>Science:</b> In science we will be looking at electricity and then moving on to think about the habitats of humans and animals.</p>	<p><b>ICT:</b> Mrs Chadwick will continue to further develop skills in ICT linked to other areas of the curriculum. The class will focus on e-safety and internet research.</p>	
<p><b>TOPIC</b> - This term we will be learning about the Ancient Maya: when they lived; where they came from; what they ate; what their beliefs were. We will also be thinking about the human geography of our area.</p>	<p><b>R.E.</b> Mrs Comerford will be teaching RE this term and Oak class will be thinking about the question 'Who is God?'</p> <p><b>MUSIC:</b> We are learning about melody and accompaniment in our music lessons focussing on the accompaniment part of the music. We are performing individually in pairs and small groups on glockenspiels and ukuleles.</p>	
<p><b>P.E.</b> Athletics, Tennis and pitching and fielding games (such as rounders). We will also be having some tag rugby sessions.</p>	<p><b>Art/DT:</b> We will be practising our drawing and modelling skills - focusing on our facial features. We will also be producing some artwork inspired by our ancient Maya topic.</p>	<p><b>P.S.H.E.</b> This term we will be thinking about changes and moving on - this will include work on transitioning to secondary school for Year 6. We will also continue working on our Philosophical thinking in P4C.</p>

