



SAMS Curriculum Overview

Year 5 - Miss Bush

English / Literacy

This term children will be writing to persuade and discuss. Reading skills will be developed through weekly Guided Group Reading. Weekly spelling rules taught and practiced. Oracy skills developed through English and across the curriculum.

RE / Values **Perseverance and Justice**

Understanding Christianity - The Big Frieze

Children will be learning about Incarnation and Salvation as part of the Christian Story. They will develop an understanding of key events in Holy week and how Salvation includes the ongoing restoration of humans' relationship with God.

Term: Spring 2019

Maths

Number skills - Place value; addition/subtraction; multiplication/division; decimals/fractions; factors/prime numbers and money

Measuring skills- Area/volume/perimeter; shapes/angles; time and temperature.

Data skills - Represent and interpret data using tally charts, tables and graphs

Numerical reasoning will be developed through weekly reasoning and problem-solving activities.

Science

Develop skills, knowledge and understanding through the themes of 'Plants for Life' and 'Energy'.

Topic - Dizzy Heights (mountains)

All skills taught in English, Maths and Science will be applied across the curriculum and through the topic of Dizzy Heights wherever possible.

- **Music** - Compose music (linked to mountains)
- **PE** - Folk dancing/Gymnastics **Games** - Football
- **DT** - Design and make a torch
- **Welsh** - Hobbies and Leisure
- **Art** - Landscape artists (including Kyffin Williams and Cézanne)
- **ICT** - Digital Competence Framework skills will be taught throughout the curriculum

Parent's Role

Spellings will come home on a Monday to be learnt for the following Monday. Homework will be sent out on Friday to be returned the following Tuesday. Please ensure that all children complete homework and return it to school at the correct time. Could you please revise the times tables at home regularly with your child and encourage your child to read regularly using Bug Club.

General Guidance

- Please could we have PE kit in school at all times as lessons may need to be rearranged due to inclement weather. All items of clothing must be clearly labelled with your child's name.
- If you feel you have any resources to complement any of the units, we would be most grateful to borrow them and use them to support learning.
- Whilst every effort is made to see parents at your request it is preferred that parents make an appointment so that any issues can be discussed thoroughly, rather than just before school.