



Roby Park Half Term Curriculum Overview

Year 5 Spring 1 - 2016

English

- Reading novels and stories by significant children's authors.
- Daily opportunities to improve reading skills using taught comprehension skills will be provided across the curriculum.
- Basic skills - spelling, sentence structure, grammar and punctuation as appropriate.
- Writing - descriptions, character studies and settings.
- Explanations through science.
- Philip Pullman is the featured author for year 5.

Physical Education

- Gymnastics- Every Monday

French

- Basic French vocabulary and phrases used in everyday life.
- "In the Classroom"- "Notre école"

Music

- Appreciating, responding to and performing jazz music.

Science, History, Geography, Art, D&T and ICT

- **Science** - Continued work on forces. Investigating the three states of matter, solids, liquids and gases.
- **Art** - Artists through the decades
- **ICT** - Using a range of APPs to design and create an animation.
- **History/ Geography** - Looking through History at Leisure and Entertainment in the 20th Century.

Mathematics

- Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division will be covered on a rolling programme using age related targets as appropriate.
- Mental maths strategies, consolidation of number facts, multiples and factors.
- Problem solving using the four rules of number in real life situations, co-ordinates.
- Measures such as time and length are taught through topic work and in the context of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division
- Data handling through topic work

PSHCE and RE

- **PSHCE** "New Beginnings" topic based learning focussing on our goals and targets.
- **RE** Christianity

Homework

- **English/Maths:** Homework is set to consolidate skills taught in class. Sent out on a Friday to be returned by the following Tuesday.
- **Spellings/ Tables** to be learned and tested weekly.
- **Reading:** To be practiced regularly. Books are changed when necessary.