

Briery class (Year 1) Topic Web

English:

This term most of our writing will be themed on our topic. The general outline for our English lessons will be to explore a style of writing, through drama, discussions and exciting examples, then plan our writing during the first week followed by editing and writing up an extended piece over the course of the second week.

Spellings: The children will be receiving spelling lists to learn. These will include two "high frequency" words and the rest will include the sound we are focusing on in phonics that week. These will be given out on Monday and normally tested on the following Monday.

Mathematics:

In maths this term we will be covering multiplication and division, fractions, position and direction, place value within 100, money and, finally, time.

Science:

Our 1st half term's Science will be focused on trees and plants, with some investigations about our tadpoles before they all turn into frogs!. The 2nd half focused on investigative skills and food.

Computing:

Our computing lessons this term will be focused firstly on typing text then programming animations.



Summer term.

You can help by ...

Reading stories with your child and listening to them read.

Playing the games on Ed Shed and / or phonics play.

Looking at the school website and use the maths games there.

Playing with money - recognising different coins

Telling the time - O'clock and half past

If you wish to discuss anything please email me at rgrice@gorsleygoffs.hereford.sch.uk or come and talk to me

The school values for this term, explored through assemblies and linked to British Values, are caring, understanding, love, responsibility, hope and humility.

Trips

This term we will be going to a farm to see where are food comes from and taking a whole school trip to the beach.

Art and DT:

Art and DT will mostly be on a Friday afternoon this term. During the first half term the children will be researching and making sculptures using natural objects.

History and Geography.

Most of our topic work this term will have a Geography focus centred around the children developing their map skills, making and using.

Personal, social and emotional development:

In every lesson the children have opportunities to share their thoughts with their peers and the adults in the room. They will also have one dedicated PSHE lesson from Mrs Barry per week during which every child will have the opportunity to express their opinions and will discuss a range of things often based on our current value.

Physical development:

P.E. lessons will be on Monday and Friday afternoons. During these sessions we will be developing your child's basic movement and sportsmanship skills. We will also regularly be going on runs in the afternoon during which the children are encouraged to run, march or walk quickly for 10 minutes.