

Giggleswick Primary School

Harrison Class

Spring Term 2

MATHS

Year 4 – Continuing with length and perimeter, fractions and decimals.

Year 5 – Continuing with decimals and percentages, perimeter and area and statistics.

Year 6 – Continuing with decimals and percentages, perimeter and area and statistics.

ENGLISH

We will be developing our writing skills through the following texts:

Gorilla – Narrative

Postcard from Prison – Non-fiction

We will also develop our understanding of grammar, spelling and punctuation and 'VIPERS' questions to help us with reading comprehension.

ART & DESIGN

Children will be studying Design Technology in class three this half term. We will be looking at mechanical systems, air resistance, net and structure to create our own slingshot car.

R.E.

Our question this half term is – What would Jesus do? We will be looking at the teachings of Jesus in the bible and how to follow them in the modern day.



DIARY DATES

Back to school – Mon 19th February 2024

SATS Booster class Yr 5 and 6 pupils – Tues 3.30-4.30pm

Easter Holidays – Monday 25th March 2024



SCIENCE

Our science topic this half term is Living Things and Their Habitats. We will be looking at biomes, climate and classifying animals that belong to specific habitats. We will further develop our skills in collating and recording data.

PSHEe

Our PSHEe topic this half term is about economic wellbeing. We will learn about budgeting, loans and the risks associated with money. We will also be looking at jobs, income, expenditure and how to track money.

P.E.

This term our topic is Gymnastics and will take place on a Monday afternoon with Mrs Mercer.

HOMEWORK

Reading – Children should read at home every day to an adult.

Spelling – Each child has their own list of words to work on every week. Spelling tests every Wednesday.

Times Tables – Each child has their own individual log in to access Times Tables Rockstars at home.

Homework Challenges – English Comprehension and maths to hand in each Wednesday.

FRENCH

This half term we will be learning how to say nouns of items of clothing, to read and understand outfit descriptions using adjectives and nouns and to describe an outfit, by speaking and writing in French. We will continue to develop our skills in reading, writing and speaking in French.

MUSIC

This half term, we will continue to develop our singing, composing and improvisation. We will be learning about the music associated with the civil rights movement in the USA and continuing to develop our skills in song writing, performing chords and rhythmic accompaniments.

Geography

This half term, we will be looking at the Alps. We will be developing our knowledge of what life is like in the Alps, the climate and mountain formation.

