

Giggleswick Primary School

Harrison Class
Summer Term 1



MATHS

Year 4 – Continuing with decimals, money and time.
Year 5 – Shape, position and direction.
Year 6 – Shape, geometry, position and direction.

ENGLISH

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

Postcard from Prison – Non-Fiction

Arthur and the Golden Rope – Narrative

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 Art in class three this half term. We will be focussing on the work of Magdalene Odondo and experimenting with a variety of materials to create our own Mega Sculpture.

R.E.

Our question this half term is – When Jesus left, what was the impact of Pentecost? We will learn to make clear links between the story of the Day of Pentecost and Christian belief about the Kingdom of God on Earth.

DIARY DATES



Back to school – Tuesday 9th April 2024
PE Kits need to be in school on a Monday morning for PE.
SATS Week - Monday 13th – Thursday 16th May.

SCIENCE

Our science topic this half term is Forces. In years 5 and 6 we will be looking at gravity and the work of Isaac Newton, exploring air resistance, friction and mechanisms. In year 4, we will be studying contact and non-contact forces, exploring the properties and uses of magnets

PSHEe

Our PSHEe topic this half term is about Safety and The Changing Body. Lessons will focus on staying safe online, what it means to give consent, giving first aid and the dangers of alcohol and drugs.

P.E.

This term our topic is athletics 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 about Café culture and restaurants.

We will be learning to say key vocabulary and phrases for food, writing and using our own role play to practise ordering food in a café and creating themed menus in French.

MUSIC

This half term, we will be taking part in our instrumental project where we will learn to play and develop our technique on the ukulele. We will learn how to read and follow music from notation and by ear as a soloist and as part of an ensemble.

History

This half term, we will be looking at the Greeks focussing on the big question, What did the Greeks do for us? We will learn about when and where the ancient Greeks lived, states, their beliefs and achievements.

