

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:

The Boy, The Mole, The Fox and the Horse

– Narrative

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

ART & DESIGN

In art we will be studying architecture. Through detailed observations, artist study and exploration of a range of mediums we will be creating our own sketch of a house using basic shapes to form the final composition.

R.E.

Our question this half term is –What do religious and non-religious worldviews teach about caring for the Earth?

We will be looking closely at the Green Religion enabling us to describe some key environmental problems and religious teachings about the Earth.

COMPUTING

In computing this half term we will be studying programming. We will be looking at creating loops and writing algorithms using random numbers.

SCIENCE

Our science topic this half term is: **Living Things and Their Habitat**. We will be learning how to classify living things using the Linnaean System enabling us to classify and describe a living organism.

PSHEe

Our PSHEe topic this half term is: **Safety and the Changing Body**. This topic will look at the importance of staying safe online, first aid and - for year 5 and 6 - physical and emotional changes during puberty.

P.E.

This term our topics are **Cricket** and **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 family.

We will be learning to say to understand and use the names of family members, parts of the face and how to describe a person using French vocabulary accurately.

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.

GEOGRAPHY

This half term, we will be looking at the Rainforest.

In our lessons, we will be studying the climate, geographical features and wildlife that inhabit the rainforest and the importance of our planet's rainforests.

