

Food and Farming Curriculum Overview for Lower Key Stage 2 (Autumn Term 1 2020)



English

Reading & Writing

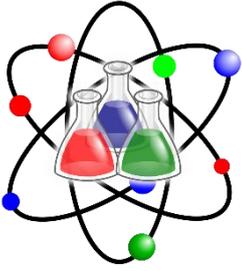
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>'The Three Pigs'</u> <u>by David Weisner</u></p>  <p>Narrative writing focusing on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • settings • characters • plot • descriptive language • use of accurate punctuation 	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>'Jim and the Beanstalk'</u> <u>by Raymond Briggs</u></p>  <p>Letter writing focusing on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • paragraphs • formal language • layout 	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>'I am the Seed that Grew the Tree'</u> by F. Waters</p> <p>Poetry writing focusing on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intonation • Vocabulary • expanded noun phrases <p style="text-align: center;"> verb adverb noun pronoun adjective vowel consonant </p>
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Mathematics

(taught in separate year groups)

Year 3	Year 4
<p><u>Place Value 3-digit numbers including:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Counting in 100s • Writing numbers in words • Representing numbers to 1000 • Ordering and comparing numbers • Addition and Subtraction with 3 digits 	<p><u>Place Value 4-digit numbers including:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Numbers to 1000 • Rounding to the nearest 10, 100 and 1000 • Counting in thousands • Comparing 4-digit numbers • Negative Numbers



Science

- Explore the requirements of plants for life and growth
- Construct and interpret a food chain
- Food groups and nutrition
- The balanced diet food plate
- Set up investigations, record findings and evaluate

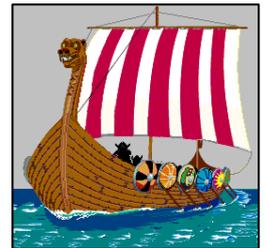
History

This academic year we are studying these periods of history:

- ❖ Early Stone Age to Iron Age
- ❖ The Roman Empire
- ❖ Anglo Saxons and Vikings

In this unit, we are *learning about and comparing food and farming in the different periods:*

- Changes in farming from Early Stone Age to Iron Age
- The Roman Empire and its impact on food and farming in Britain
- How the Anglo Saxons and Vikings farmed



Geography

- Countries of origin and food miles
- Human geography: types of settlement and land use through Anglo Saxons and Vikings; understand how these have changed over time



Art & Design

In this unit the whole school art and design theme is: sketching

In Year 3 & 4 we are:

- sketching using pencil and charcoal, showing line, tone and texture, as well as shading to show light and shadow.
- making observational drawings
- studying the work of a great artist: Cezanne



Design & Technology

Food and Nutrition

- Sampling different types of bread and evaluation
- Designing a healthy sandwich
- Food Hygiene
- Seasonality

Music



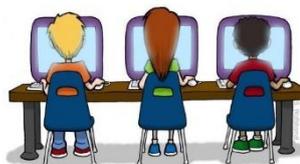
Year 3	Year 4
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Musical appreciation • Famous composers- Beethoven and Saint Saens. • Recognising repeating patterns in music 	Weekly peripatetic music lessons learning to play Percussion <i>(Whole Class Ensemble Teaching provided by the Suffolk Music Service)</i>

Computing

Focus: Digital Media

In this unit we will cover:

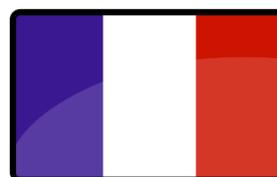
- Inputs and outputs
- Digital paint program
- Learning about what a computer network is



Modern Languages – French

In this unit we will cover:

- Saying hello and goodbye
- Asking and saying our name
- Asking and saying how you are
- Counting numbers 1 - 10



Physical Education (PE day is Wednesday)

Focus: Net, court and wall games

In this unit we will be developing skills in:

- Hand eye coordination
- Throwing and catching
- Team building



Religious Education

Food and Fasting

- How food is used to celebrate important occasions
- How food is used in different religions



RSE (*Relationships Sex Education*)

Health and Wellbeing - In this unit we cover:

- How to manage thoughts and feelings



Homework

- Daily reading to an adult (record in your reading record)
- Weekly **maths skills** to earn Maths Badges
- **Weekly spellings** (linked to the weekly spelling rule)
- Continue to learn the **National Curriculum statutory spellings**

Times tables: Year 3 Autumn 1 (*ongoing for the half term*)

- Learn 4x multiplication and division facts
- Recap on 2x, 3x, 5x, 10x tables

Times tables: Year 4 Autumn 1 (*ongoing for the half term*)

- Learn 9x multiplication and division facts
- Recap on 2x, 3x, 4x, 5x, 6x, 8x, 10x tables