

Plantation Primary School



Year 4 - Spring Curriculum Map 2022-23



English

As Readers, we will be studying:

Weslandia
The mysteries of Harris Burdick

As Writers, we will be learning:

The grammatical difference between plural and possessive –s.
Expanded noun phrases
Direct speech
Apostrophes for plural possession
Fronted adverbials
Correct use of pronouns
Produce the following text types:
Non-chronological report, retelling of a narrative, diary entry, mystery story, poem.

Maths

As Mathematicians, we will learn:

Fractions and Decimals
Multiplying and dividing by 10/100
Decimal equivalents
Rounding and comparing decimals
Recognising tenths and hundredths
Equivalent fractions
Fractions of quantities
Addition and subtraction of fractions with the same denominator across 1 whole.

Length and Perimeter

Add and subtract lengths
Measure perimeter on rectangles and rectilinear shapes.

Science

As Scientists, we learn about **Eating and Digestion**, studying the importance of teeth and teeth of other animals. We will also learn about the journey that food takes from being eaten to being digested.

We will also learn about **Circuits and Conductors**, exploring circuits and their different components, investigating conductors and insulators, and planning our own experiments using switches and bulbs.

English - Spellings

As Spellers we will be learning the following rules and patterns:

The /g/ sound spelt 'gu',
Words ending in 'ture',
Possessive apostrophe with plurals,
Homophones,
Prefixes 'anti' and 'inter',
Words that end in 'cian', 'sion', 'tion', 'ssion',

As Historians, we will learn about the **Anglo-Saxons**, particularly their connection to the Romans, and what life as an Anglo-Saxon would have been like.

History

As Geographers, we will learn about where and why **earthquakes** occur. We'll look at the frequency and strength of earthquakes and relationships between the environment and people in places they occur.

Geography

As Sportspeople, we will learn how to **Dance** using a range of moves and **Swim** confidently using a range of strokes.

PE

As Coders we will be learning about **Data and Information**; using data loggers to collect and record results.

Computing

As Theologises we will learn about the religious festival Easter, and why Easter is important to Christians, by studying **Christianity**.

RE

As Citizens we will study **Fake News** and the risks that it poses to us and society; **Homelessness** and the realities of life on the streets and shelters; and why **Sight**, and eye safety are important.

PSHE

As Musicians we will be learning how to play the Ukulele as part of our **Wider Opportunities** project

Music

As Linguists we will develop our listening, speaking, reading and writing skills in French following the three stages of learning: repetition, recognition and recall. Our topic is **'Parts of the Body'**.

French

As Designers we will learn about **Seasonal Food**, and the variety of food that grows and is produced in our country and make our own fairy cakes and vegetable filled peppers.

DT

As artists we will learn about **Mountains Art** where we will recreate landscape paintings in the style of various artists, and **Japanese Art**, exploring the style of ukiyo-e.

Art