

Year 5 Curriculum – Autumn 1 2024

“Caring for Ourselves and Our World, Valuing Our Education and Our Rights”

Unit Name: Emancipate Yourself

Learning Mission: Recognise and Challenge Discrimination...

UN Right Article 2: The right to protection against discrimination



In **Reading**, children are reading the book "The kidnapped prince" which is a book based in 1975 about a young African boy who was kidnapped and sold into slavery. This story is based on true events and helped end the evils of slavery. In **Literacy**, we are learning all the important features to include in our writing before beginning our writing topics.

In **Maths**, children will develop their learning of number and place value as well as addition and subtraction. They will read, write, order and compare the numbers of up to 1,000,000 with the use of manipulatives such as place value counters/charts. Children will also use formal written method of column addition and subtraction where necessary e.g. calculate word problems.

In **Geography**, children will identify and explore the human and physical features between the UK and a non-European country (Jamaica). They will also discuss the advantages and disadvantages of tourism and trade in Jamaica. Nonetheless, atlases and maps will consistently be used to develop understanding of countries.

In **French**, children will be learning to apply previous knowledge of topic areas such as clothes and parts of the body as well as develop their vocabulary at the same time. They will also learn how to describe their own appearance.

Hook: Trip to the Museum of London Docklands

Beautiful Outcome: Awareness Raising Campaign

In **Personal, Social and Health Education**, children will be learning to talk about and celebrate differences. They will also learn to talk about their feelings with regards to friendships as well as develop strategies for helping other children deal with loneliness.

In **Science**, children will develop their learning about gravity, resistance, balanced and unbalanced forces. They will explore resistance in water and air as well as investigate ground friction. Children will also learn about the operation of levers.

In **RE**, children will explore stories from a range of religious traditions. In each story, children will be encouraged to look for levels of meaning and to apply what they have learned to their own experiences.

In **Music**, our pupils benefit from expert musical tuition and will learn the following instruments throughout the year in their classes: Kamala & Laranja Class – Brass, Orange & Portokalli Class - Fife, Osan Class – Toots.

In **Physical Education**, children will be working on developing their hand-eye co-ordination by learning throwing, catching and volleying skills through the sports of volleyball and netball.

Class assembly: Kamala Class *date TBC*

School Trip: 27th September Museum of London Docklands