

Science

In Term 1, we will be creating and separating mixtures. We will be identifying factors that affect the rate of dissolving and consider methods of separation. In Term 2, we will be investigating materials by their properties and how we apply these properties to different uses. We will also look at reversible and irreversible changes of everyday materials.

Computing

In Term 1, we will be reviewing the basic features of the keyboard and understanding computational thinking. We will also be data handling using information about the weather. In term 2, we will review the basics of programming using Scratch.

Art & Design / Design and Technology

In Art in Term 1, we will be researching portraits and the media chosen. We will be sketching and painting. Our final piece will be to create a mixed media portrait.

In Term 2, our focus will be on designing and making healthy food options.

Year 5 Term 1 and 2 2023



Recommended Reads

The Secret Diary of Thomas Snoop by Philip Ardagh

My Friend Walter by Michael Morpurgo

The Queen's Fool by Ally Sherrick

Music

In Term 1, we will be considering why we sing, through investigating Gospel songs. We will also be learning about beats, hooks and dot notation through sea shanties.

Languages

In French, we will be learning how to introduce our family and to say the date.

Geography/ History

In Term 1, we will be looking at what life was like in Tudor England. We will research the wives of Henry VIII and look at inventories to find out about the rich and poor in Tudor England. In Term 2, we will find out about life in the Alps and how mountains are formed.

PSHE

In term 1, we will be focusing on how to make and manage friendships and how to deal with issues as they arise. In Term 2, we will discuss prejudice, discrimination and stereotyping.

PE

For outdoor PE, over the next two terms, we will be focusing on attacking and defending through Unihoc, Ultimate Frisbee, Netball and Basketball. Indoor PE in term 1 will be focused on linking movements.

Religious Education

In Term 1, we will investigate the question: Why do some people believe God exists? We will do this by looking at faith in different religions.

In Term 2, our focus question is: If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship?