



## YEAR 3 - SPRING TERM 2020-21

Teachers - Miss Eaton and Miss McKenna

Welcome back! We hope that you and your families have had a wonderful, relaxing and fun Easter break. Our topic for the Summer term is 'Going for Gold'. We have enjoyed finding out from the children what they would like to learn about in this topic by reading their 'Wonderings'. These ideas will be put into our planning during this term. Below is some information about some of the things that we will be learning about during this term.

### LANGUAGES, LITERACY AND COMMUNICATION Oracy:

**Reading:** Whole class Guided Reading of fiction and non-fiction texts linked to our topic.

**Writing:** Enquiry-based learning, instruction writing, commentary, comprehension, persuasive writing and authentic writing tasks.

**Spelling and grammar:** Focus on weekly spelling rules including from Set 3 RWI sounds. Looking at topic vocabulary and weekly spelling patterns.

Identifying and using adjectives, similes, verbs and adverbs to uplevel writing tasks.

**International Languages:** Welsh sentence patterns, vocabulary and reading.

Continue with basic French greetings, numbers, colours and sentence patterns and cross-curricular French as part of our topic.

Regular Mandarin sessions.

### MATHEMATICS AND NUMERACY

**Addition and subtraction:** Use Frog method by counting up to subtract. Subtract multiples and near multiples of 10. Use column addition and subtraction methods.

#### **Number and place value:**

Find fractions of shapes and amounts, including odd numbers. Place value in 4-digit numbers up to 10,000. Compact addition and subtraction using 3 and 4 digit numbers. Division problems including those with remainders. As part of a mini enterprise project the children will be calculating the costs and profit of their products.

**Data Handling** - creating pictograms and graphs as part of a mini enterprise project.

**Measures** - measure length in cm and mm. Measure from different starting points. Find the perimeter of shapes. Identify right angles and angles greater than and less than a right angle.

### SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Opportunities to grow fresh ingredients and look at the life cycle of a plant.

During this term the children will look into what makes a healthy diet.

Create their own food product to sell as part of a mini-enterprise project.

Learn about the impact sport and a healthy diet has on your body.

Create their own sports outfit to wear as part of the celebration day at the end of our topic.

### HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

Recapping our learning assets - we are resilient, we are curious, we are resourceful, we are reflective, we are a team.

Wellbeing work based on our value 'Friendship.' Activities related to health and well-being from our PSHE scheme Jigsaw.

Fitness sessions to build flexibility and improve on personal best targets, based

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	<p>on targets children set in their Jigsaw lesson.</p> <p>Also during this term children will be planning and creating their own fitness videos using Adobe Spark to share with their peers.</p>
<p><b>HUMANITIES</b></p> <p>Learn about some famous sports men and women from the past in France and Wales.</p> <p>Opportunities to look at distinctive features of places, landscapes, etc in France and comparing to Wales.</p> <p>Learners will explore the religion and traditions in France and Wales.</p>	<p><b>EXPRESSIVE ARTS</b></p> <p>As part of our Going for Gold topic, children will:</p> <p>Explore traditional dance and music from France.</p> <p>Design Olympic medals from clay and create some leaf crowns.</p> <p>Design and sketch a logo which can be displayed on their sports outfit.</p> <p>Create a fitness video for other class members to take part in.</p>
<p><b>OTHER INFORMATION</b></p> <p><b>PE</b> - PE lessons will be on a Monday and Wednesday for Miss Eaton's class and on Tuesday and Wednesday for Miss McKenna's class. Please come to school dressed in PE kits.</p> <p><b>Homework</b> - Homework will be set every Tuesday using google classroom.</p> <p><b>Equipment</b> - The children do not need to bring in any equipment to school with them as this will be provided.</p> <p><b>Snacks</b> - Snacks will need to be provided every day as there is no longer a fruit tuck shop operational in school.</p> <p><b>Lunch</b> - Children can choose to have their own packed lunch or school dinners every day. School dinners consist of a hot meal, baguettes or jacket potatoes.</p> <p><b>Useful websites</b> -</p> <p><a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.topmarks.co.uk">http://www.topmarks.co.uk</a></p> <p><a href="http://www.ictgames.com/">http://www.ictgames.com/</a></p>	

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