

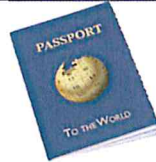


SHENSTONE LODGE SCHOOL – CURRICULUM OVERVIEW – AUTUMN 1

CLASS: Centaur

CLASS TEACHER: Miss H Keyse

It is proven that children make accelerated rates of progress when they talk about their learning/learn with their parents or carers. To enable this we are providing you with information about what the children are learning and what they may need to prepare/practice at home.



SCHOOL THEME: ALL ABOUT ME



English – this includes reading, writing, phonics, grammar, punctuation, speaking and listening

In English we will:

- Read wishing stories
- Draw inferences about characters' actions thought and feelings
- Write a wishing tale
- Use past and present tense correctly and consistently
- Use adverb and prepositions for describing a character
- Use capital letters and full stops consistently and independently



Maths – this includes learning about using maths in real life situations

In Maths we will:

- Read, write, order numbers to at least 1 000 000 and determine the value of each digit
- Recall multiplication and division facts for multiplication tables up to 12 x 12
- Round any number up to 1 000 000 to the nearest 10, 100, 1000, 10 000 and 100 000
- Read Roman numerals to 1000 (M) and recognise years written in Roman numerals.
- Measure and calculate the perimeter of a rectilinear figure in centimetres and metres
- Identify acute and obtuse angles and compare and order angles up to two right angles by size
- Identify lines of symmetry in 2-D shapes presented in different orientations
- Solve questions about line graphs
- Interpret negative numbers in context on a graph and on a number line



Science

Our Science topic is Earth and Space

- Describe the movement of the Earth, and other planets, relative to the Sun in the solar system
- Use the idea of the Earth's rotation to explain day and night and the apparent movement of the sun across the sky.
- Describe the movement of the Moon relative to the Earth

- Plan different types of scientific enquiries to answer questions, including recognising and controlling variables where necessary
- Recording data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrams and labels, classification keys, tables, scatter graphs, bar and line graphs

Cornerstones

Our Cornerstones topic is 'The Mayans'

- Discover facts about the Maya civilisation
- Discover where the Mayan people settled.
- Learn the religious beliefs of the Maya people and about the many Gods that they worshipped.
- Learn about the Maya writing system and how words are made.
- Explore Mayan food and try some of their most popular dishes.

Computing

In Computing, we will be using Scratch to make games. We will create characters and programme them to move, following a set of rules.



PSHE/SMSC/Citizenship

Our theme in PSHE is All About me. We will have special assemblies where we think about our character, skills and personality. We will identify different emotions and consider how to deal with them.

Physical Exercise

Your child will take part in a range of physical activities which may include football, rugby and swimming. There will also be a range of extra-curricular sports activities available at lunchtime.

RE

Our RE focus this half term is special places. We will find out about the places of worship for a range of religions including Christianity, Islam and Hinduism.

Have a go at home

If your child has a go at anything at home then please feel free to send Shifa photographs or information. headteacher@shenstonelodge.co.uk

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