

P.E.	<p>On Tuesdays and Thursdays PH Sports will be teaching invasion games, including tag rugby, hockey and football outdoors. In addition, for the first half of term, on Fridays Footie for Dorset will teach football.</p> <p>(P.E. KIT: Track suits/P.E. kit, pumps/trainers, & water bottle)</p> <p>Please note P.E. kit should be in school at all times to take advantage of any extra opportunities.</p>
Music	We will be following the Music Express scheme of work, before learning carols and songs to perform for the Christmas Carol concerts.
Computing	We shall be continuing to follow the Espresso coding program, using iPads to create self-portraits and using the internet for research, checking the accuracy of our sources while always ensuring that we use technology safely and responsibly.
Design Technology	Linked to Science, creating lights and buzzers for a burglar alarm
Art & Design	We will be continuing to expand our drawing and painting techniques on the theme of self-portraits; looking at how artists have depicted themselves through the centuries.
MFL	Madame Ferguson will continue to teach pupils so that they become familiar with the sound of the French language and its culture.

Thornford CE Primary School

Information for Autumn Term 2019



Oak class - Years 5+6

Mrs Brooking and Mrs K Frost Lewis,

TAs: Mrs K Davies,

Mrs Z Dycer and Mrs J Jeffery

General Information

Welcome to Oak Class!

We will have an exciting term ahead of us, exploring the theme of 'Justice', which will include the British Values and The Rule of Law, Crime and Punishment through history and forensic techniques in Science. Children will be grouped for spelling, guided reading, English and Maths; these groups may change during the year due to ongoing assessment. For all other subjects pupils will be in mixed ability groups.

If you wish to contact me please note that in KS2 the home-link books are checked weekly, so if you have an urgent message could you ask your child to notify me or see me before/after school in the classroom.

Please note that the day homework is due in and for spelling tests has changed this year!

Here are some links to websites which may help the children with this term's topics:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z2882hv>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvhhvcw>

Mrs K Frost Lewis

Homework

To be given out on a **Tuesday** and handed in the following **Monday**.

This will include:

Maths

English- Grammar

Spellings, to be learnt for a test the following **Monday** [books to be returned on **Monday**].

Reading- Preferably every night, but at least **3** times a week and recorded in Home-Link books. These should also be handed in on **Mondays**.

English	We will explore the features of fiction writing in the context of creating our own interpretations of a Robin Hood myth and then studying the power of imagery in our poetry. In Non Fiction we will write instructions and explore discursive texts, in addition to following the punctuation, spelling and grammar requirements of the curriculum.
Maths	Following our Maths Mastery approach, we will read, write, order and compare numbers to at least 1,000,000 (Y5) or 10,000,000 (Y6), explore problem solving and reasoning, use addition, subtraction, multiplication and division methods to solve calculations and increase our knowledge of fractions, including decimals and percentages,
Science	We will explore the Classification of Living things, then find out about Evolution and inheritance in animals, including humans. During the second half of term we will also investigate the properties of Electricity.
History	We will explore the history of crime and punishment, while developing our historical enquiry skills.
Geography	We will study world geography, including transportation routes to America and then to Australia.
R.E.	We will explore aspects of Christianity this term: we will reflect upon what God means to us, then consider the concept of Incarnation, before preparing for Christmas.