LUDLOW PRIMARY SCHOOL Year 5 Medium Term Planning



Spring 2024 - Beliefs

Honesty



Independence

Kindness

Happiness

DRIVERS and VALUES

Curriculum Drivers

Confident Communicator * Citizen of the World * Growth Mindset *Healthy Body, Healthy Mind

School Values

Honesty, Happiness, Independence, Kindness

Termly Focus Values

Independence

BRITISH VALUES

Democracy

Making decisions together and making sure that everyone has a voice and the right to express their opinion.

Rule of Law

Understanding the rules set in place for everyone and why they are important.

National Curriculum

As Writers, we will read and appraise poetry with figurative language, and write our own winter poems using similes and metaphors. Use Talk for Writing (Manchester Ridge-back) to write chronological reports. We will also use Talk for Writing to write a portal story: Eye of the Storm.

<u>As Readers</u> we will read Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets by JK Rowling and Varjak Paw by SF Said.

<u>As Mathematicians</u>, we will develop our understanding of fractions. We will learn efficient methods for calculation using the four operations $(+, -, x, \div)$. We will develop our problem solving and reasoning skills, focussing on multiplication and division.

<u>As Scientists</u> we will study Space and focusing on the size and movement of the Earth and other planets. We will also be studying properties of materials, including solubility and investigating reversible changes.

<u>As Historians</u> we will be looking at key beliefs throughout history from the Stone Age to the 17th Century. We will also learn about beliefs in Ancient civilisations.

<u>As Geographers</u> we will describe and understand human and physical geography by studying South America.

<u>As designers</u> we will explore the use of axles and wheels, make catapults, explore cam mechanisms, levers and gears in order to create a range of movements. Finally, we will be using all of our knowledge to design and make a device to pop a balloon.

As artists we will be looking at the artwork of different cultures and creating our own batik

<u>As Musicians</u>, we will be using Music Express to explore how our universe inspired composers like Debussy.

<u>In P.E.</u> use the Real PE program to focus our physical development in Real Dance and Hockey.

<u>In Computing</u>, we will develop our understanding of spreadsheets and databases.

In R.E, we will answer the following questions: What do Christians believe Jesus did to "save us"? And Why is the Torah so important to Jewish people? [God/Torah]?

<u>In PHSE</u> we will use the Jigsaw programme. Our topics are dreams and goals and healthy me.