

Wren's Nest Primary School

KS2 Year 6



Curriculum information for parents

Autumn Term 2009

Trips:

Warwick Castle Thurs 24th September

Cinema , Madagascar 23th October

2nd Half term

Visit to Chester Zoo – to be arranged

Literacy : Children will be reading, writing and acting out stories from a variety of genres. They will be developing their writing skills using 'Talk for Writing' and improvising various Drama activities to analyse and develop characters and events.

Numeracy: Children will be practising their 4 Rules of Number and applying these to problem solving. We will investigate properties of shape (2D and 3D) and analyse data using a selection of graphs and charts to record information.

Science:

Interdependence / Separating Materials 1st half

Forces/ Changing Circuits 2nd half



History: Castles :

- Understand how castles developed from Motte and Bailey to fortified houses.
- Compare and contrast lifestyles in Medieval Times with modern day.



Design and Technology:

Plan and design the construction of a castle using everyday objects.



ICT: Use Asus Netbooks to develop our research skills using a personalized area on Dudley portal. Use J2E as a writing tool and pilot the use of Smart Wristbands to support our learning through ICT at home.

Art: Will be closely linked to our History topic where we have the opportunity to work with a variety of materials.

Religious Education:

1st half Bread of Life 2nd half Christmas celebrations, Festivals of light.

Music: Children will have the chance to sing as a group or individually and explore and improvise sounds through various instruments.

PHSE: Seal

1st New Beginnings 2nd Getting on and falling out

Physical Education: Developing ball skills leading to team games.



Home work:

Please help your child by listening to them read and then discussing the story.

Please support with their homework which will reflect the weeks Literacy/Numeracy lessons.

Help your child learn, through talking and sharing their experiences!