My Learning in Literacy

I will be learning about	Reading short stories and watching films that use flashbacks as part of the narrative structure. We will evaluate the text, commenting on the theme, mood and atmosphere. We will note how the author/director of the film indicates shifts forwards or backwards in time. We will use the findings to create a plan to support our independent writing.
The aim is to	Use different narrative techniques to indicate the passage of time between past and present to engage a reader (paired response, marking and feedback against agreed success criteria).
What will success look like? I will be able to	Children will write their own short narrative using paragraphs to structure and pace the ideas and a range of techniques to indicate the passage of time.
Helping at Home	 Provide a range of books of different genres (adventure, spooky, historical, funny, fables books) to support the children to generate ideas for their own short stories When reading together discuss how the author demonstrates drawing the ideas together. Check your child's literacy homework for spelling, grammar and punctuation mistakes.

My Learning in Mathematics

I will be learning about	How to explain what each digit in a number represents in whole numbers and decimals with up to 2 decimal places, and partition, round and order these numbers We will use knowledge of place value and addition and subtraction of two-digit numbers to make sums and differences and doubles and halves of decimals
	We will use written methods to add and subtract whole numbers and decimals with up to two places We will draw frequency tables, pictograms and bar and line graphs to represent the number of events and changes over time
The aim is to	Answer questions relating to the 5 strands of mathematical learning: Numbers and the number system Calculations Solving Problems Handling Data Measures, Shape and Space
What will success look like?	I will be able to complete my weekly homework which is linked to what I am learning in maths during the week. Examples of types of question may include:
I will be able to	 recognise and describe number patterns. recognise and describe number relationships including multiples, factors and square numbers. use place value to multiply and divide whole numbers by 10 and 100.
Helping at Home	Ask your child to explain the calculations they are solving for their maths weekly homework. Assist your child in learning any of the timetables they are not confident with.

Class Projects

We will be learning about the Tudors through the story of Henry VIII's marriages. We will develop our ability to use written and pictorial sources, ask and answer questions, give reasons for actions and identify changes.

We will explore these questions:

- 1. How many times did Henry VIII marry?
- 2. What was Henry VIII like as a person?
- 3. What did Henry VIII do all day?
- 4. Why did Henry divorce Catherine of Aragon?
- 5. Did marrying Anne Boleyn or Jane Seymour solve Henry's problems?
- 6. Why did the marriage to Anne of Cleves fail?
- 7. Why did Henry marry Catherine Howard and Catherine Parr?
- 8. Why did Henry marry six times?

Your child's class teacher will always be able to talk with you should you have you have any further questions about the information in this guide, or want to discuss your child's progress.



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Information for Parents

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