



Class 2 Summer 1 Food.

Over this half term we shall be learning about 'Food'.

Our main subject focuses for this half term are: Geography and Design and Technology.

Our key learning skill is: Communication.

We shall also be taking part in activities to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee.

Geography



We shall research where in the world our food comes from as well as identifying which foods are farmed locally. We shall also be comparing Ackworth and West Yorkshire with West Africa, a contrasting non-European place that produces cocoa beans. These are used in making chocolate, a food that we eat.



Design and Technology



We shall be will be developing our understanding of where food comes from and find out what makes a healthy meal. We shall apply our knowledge of healthy foods by designing and making a healthy wrap. After we have prepared our wraps, we shall evaluate our designs by deciding what we liked or disliked and what, if anything we would change next time.





Science



Plants



We shall observe and describe how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants. We shall also investigate the conditions plants need to grow and stay healthy. We shall observe seeds as they begin to germinate, looking closely at the growth of roots and shoots before moving them into soil.



Computing



We will use technology to create, organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content. Our focus will be on digital photography.





Music



We shall link our music to our study on West Africa by listening to some African music and trying to identify which instruments we can hear. Working in groups, the children will compose their own piece of music in an African style.





P.E.



The children will be focusing on football skills, developing tactics for attacking and defending. We shall also be mastering basic movements, in particular running. The children wil then apply their running skills as they play football.



R.E.



In R.E. we shall be developing our knowledge and understanding of another faith. We shall be focusing on Judaism.





PSHE - Health and Wellbeing



We shall be identifying the foods that help to contribute to a healthy lifestyle and exploring a healthy balanced diet. We shall also identify some foods that are not good for us and that should only be consumed in moderation. .

We shall also discussing how it feels to be left out of a group.



Communcation



We shall focus on developing our communication skills, participating in active listening to hear and understand what is being said, as well as communicating clearly, coherently and correctly.



Homework



Children always have reading as part of their homework and are expected to read at home regularly. In mathematics the children need to practise the number bonds to and within 10, initially and then use these to calculate number bonds to and within 20 and then to 100; as well as practising their 2's, 5's and 10 times tables. The children have their log in and password for 'TTRockstars' so that they can practise their times tables at home. Spellings for the half term will be uploaded on to Teams, dated for each week, rather than sending spellings home each week.
