



Hawthorn Community Primary School

UKS2 Forecast Sheet

Term 1 2023

English Writing

The Witches –

Narrative – Descriptive writing based on the reveal of the Grand High Witch.

Non-chronological Report – How to spot a witch.

English Reading

The books we will be covering this term include the following: The Witches by Roald Dahl, Cosmic by Frank Cottrell-Boyce, Wonder by R.J. Palacio and a non-fiction text based on space.

Reading lessons will focus on developing fluency skills, retrieval and inference.

To support with the children's reading skills, please listen to your child as often as possible. The bookmark your child will be given has some key questions on it which can support with this.

Your child will be given a reading book, reading bookmark and reading journal by the end of the first week back. We use accelerated reader to determine the ZPD range your child will be selecting books from.

Maths

It is important for your child to continue quickly recalling their times table knowledge. TTR is a great way to keep recall these facts rapidly. Little and often supports with this. You child has a login for this app.

Maths is taught in mixed ability year groups.

Year 5 (Mr Dix and Mrs O'Keefe) and Year 6 (Mrs Tinto and Mr J)

Both year groups will be developing their fluency and reasoning skills, building on their prior knowledge in the following topics:

Place Value

Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division

PE Days

Maples – Tuesday and Friday/ Cedars – Tuesday and Wednesday/ Oaks – Monday and Tuesday

This term our theme is:

Race to Space and Space



History

The children will learn about reasons for space travel, the Apollo missions and significant figures involved in the missions to land a human on the moon. They will learn about the significance of this historical event.

Science - Space

The children will learn about the movements of the Earth and moon. They will learn about the length of day and night as well as the phases of the moon. They will also name and order the planets.

Other Subjects

RE – Expressing spiritual guidance through art.

French – Les fruits

Music – Composition notation

Art – I need space

Computing – Sharing information

PSHE – Being me in my world

Homework will be set on Class Dojo every Wednesday. Please keep in touch via this platform if you wish to speak to us.