



Banks Lane Junior School



Communication, Collaboration Curiosity, Resilience, Reflection

Year 5

Summer Term Curriculum

Our ambitious, tailored curriculum extends beyond the requirements of the National Curriculum, enabling our learners to develop skills and character that will help them succeed in life. Communication, collaboration, curiosity, resilience and reflection form the bedrock of this curriculum, equipping future citizens to contribute positively to society.

More detail about National Curriculum objectives and progression can be seen in medium term plans.

Communication

Sports Day
Stockport Walks
Conwy residential
Drama work in English
Researching and producing adventure games

Collaboration

Partner and small group fieldwork during residential and local trip
DT day group work and problem solving
Sports Day—house teams

Curiosity

Geography and History topics brought to life with trips to castles, beaches and more!
Researching and exploring the world around us

Resilience

Sports Day
Developing life skills and independence through trips and residential visit
DT day group work and problem solving

Reflection

Humanities end of topic and end of year reflections—what new knowledge have we gained?
Preparing to move to Year 6—what are our next steps?

English

Independent Writing - Setting Description
Animal Non-Chronological Report—Linked with Science topic of Animals/Living Things.
The Scarecrow Writing - Diary Writing
Explanation texts—How Stockport has changed through the ages

Maths

Geometry—properties of shapes, angles, co-ordinates, position and direction, translation and reflection
Decimals - Adding and Subtracting, multiplying by 10, 100 and 1000.
Measurement—converting between metric units (mm, cm, m, km, g, kg, ml, l) and common imperial units (inches, pounds, miles), volume
Negative Numbers

Science

Life Cycles
Comparing the life cycles of birds, mammals, insects and amphibians
Life process of reproduction in plants—dissecting flowering plants to understand the role of each part
Forces
Gravity, air and water resistance, friction

Computing

We Are Cryptographers!
Understanding and creating a sequence of Morse code messages and linking this with encryption on the internet.
We are adventure gamers!
Creating an interactive adventure game using powerpoint.

Geography

Marvellous Maps
Exploring a range of maps, understanding eight compass points to give directions and give grid references to locate places on a map.
Contrasting localities
Comparing Stockport and the North-West of England, with Conwy and North Wales
Fieldwork skills (local trip and residential) Using map work skills in a real-life context

History

Local History
The Industrial Revolution in Stockport—why do we have so many old mills?
Using historical information (for example, collected from graveyards or buildings) to explain how an area has changed over time (Stockport trip and Conwy residential)

RE and PSHCE

Judaism in Britain today
Beliefs in Judaism, synagogues, rites of passage (bar and Bat mitzvah), Shabbat, Shavuot
Citizenship
Contributing to the community, learning about parliament.
Economic Wellbeing
Money, budgeting and careers.

Art and Design

Artists linked to our Geography topic
Lowry (Stockport)
Gaudi (Spain)
Design and Technology Day
Making a healthy Salad - Using our knowledge of nutrition and healthy eating to make a salad that encourages others to eat healthily.

Spanish

Los deportes
Sports
I play/ I do - which sports use which verb
Days of the week

PE

Athletics (running, jumping, throwing)
Rounders
Invasion games and fielding skills

Music and Singing

Introduction to Composition
Listening to and singing music in different genres
Performing songs using sign language

Enrichment

Stockport Walks Trip
Conwy residential
Sports Day
Transition to Year 6 activities