



The Oaklands Primary School
SUMMIT LEARNING TRUST

The Oaklands Year 6

Autumn 1 Curriculum Overview



Dates for the Diary

Tudor Workshop—13th September

Stratford-Upon-Avon trip—Thursday 14th September 2023. **Leaving school at 8.15am and returning to school at 4pm**

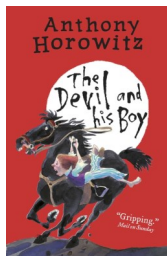
PE days—Thursday and Friday (bring in PE kits)

In Reading, we will be learning about:

We will be practicing a variety of questions to start to prepare us for our SATs. We will look at a variety of texts to ensure that we have a broad range of reading opportunities. We will be focusing on inference skills and practicing reading between lines (like reading detectives) so we can full understand the characters.

We will also be reading for pleasure in class and hope that you and your child will continue with this at home.

We are starting off with a book



In Maths, we will be learning about::

In Maths, we will be learning about Numbers and the Number System. This will include reading, writing and ordering numbers to 10 million. Also, we will multiply and divide whole numbers by 10, 100 and 1000 including the use of decimal numbers. Following that, we will identify common factors, multiples and prime numbers. In this half term, we will also calculate using negative numbers.

In Writing, we will be learning about:

Using our curriculum project focus 'Off With Her Head' we will be writing a diary entry based around a meeting between a boy and a villain. We will then be writing a balanced argument to discuss whether we believe the Tudor era was a good time to be alive (comparing past and present). As well as this, we will be writing both character and setting descriptions.

We will be learning skills such as:

- Writing in first person and in past tense
- Creating atmosphere using precise vocabulary



Our curriculum project is named: **Off With Her Head (The Tudors)**

Our main subject we will be focusing on is: **History**

We will be investigating:

- Key chronological events in Tudor times and where the era is on a timeline
- War of the Roses, Battle of Bosworth
- Significant figures—King Richard III; King Henry VIII; Anne Boleyn; Thomas Cromwell and many more.
- How this time in history has shaped Britain today.



In Art, we will be learning about:

Painting and Mixed Media. In this unit, we will be comparing between artist Louaina Himid and David Hockney. We will look at how they use art techniques in their individualistic manners.



In French, we will be learning about:

How to greet others, sharing personal information and talking about brothers and sisters.



In Music, we will be learning about: Pop

In this unit we are learning to sing 'Happy'. The music style is Pop/Motown and allows pupils to consider all the things that make us happy and that make us feel good.



In P.E, we will be learning about:

For indoor PE, we will be learning about fitness with the amazing PECS teachers.

In outdoor PE, we will be learning basketball and some of the key skills to be excellent play-

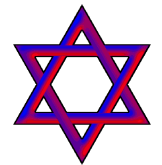


In P.S.H.E / R.H.E , we will be learning about:

Being Me in My World— in this unit we will be discussing our year ahead; how to build a positive community in school and thinking about everyone's right to learn; caring about other's feelings and working with people.

In R.E, we will be learning about: Judaism

In this unit, we will learn concepts such as repentance and how Yom Kippur/ Rosh Hashanah impact on the lives of believers. As well as this, we will be looking at objects in a synagogue.



**In Computing, we will be learning about:
Online safety and coding.**

Online safety will focus on benefits and risks of mobile devices, safe sites and sharing personal information. In our coding unit, we will be designing and making more complex programs, using various tools and functions.

Useful Curriculum websites, activities and places to visit:

[The Tudors - KS3 History - BBC Bitesize](#)

[An Introduction to Tudor England | English Heritage \(english-heritage.org.uk\)](#)

[The Tudors | The Royal Family](#)

Discover the secret lives of the Tudors - Visit Tudor World in Stratford upon Avon

Useful English websites:

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/7-11-years/spelling-and-grammar>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zv48q6f>

Useful Maths websites:

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Search.aspx?Subject=16&AgeGroup=3>

<https://play.trockstars.com/auth/school/student>

<https://www.whizz.com/maths-games/year-5-maths-games/>