




Carterhatch Junior School

Year 4 Curriculum Newsletter
Spring Term 2022

'Let the Battle Commence!'

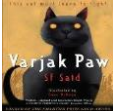


'How a city works'



English

- **The Bogeyman and the Trolls** – Kaye Umansky
- **Viking Voyagers** – Jack Tite
- **Varjak Paw** – S F Said
- **Buildings that made London – How a City Works** – David Young



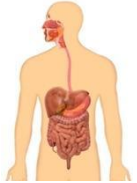
Maths

- **Number** – Place Value
- **Number** – Addition and Subtraction
- **Number** - Multiplication and Division
- **Number** – Mental Multiplication and Division
- **Number** – Fractions
- **Measurement** – Volume and Capacity
- **Measurement** – Time
- **Measurement** – Perimeter, Length, Mass, Volume, Capacity
- **Geometry** – 2D and 3D Shape including Angles
- **Statistics** – Bar Charts, Pictograms and Tables
- **Young enterprise** – **Money Challenge**

Science

Animals including Humans

- Describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans
- Identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions
- Construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators and prey



History and Geography

History

The Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England

- How did Vikings travel to Britain?
- How did life change under Viking rule?
- Who migrated to England?

Geography

- How a city works
- Name, locate and study capital cities in the United Kingdom, Europe and Nairobi in Kenya
- Local study – significant local buildings

The Arts

Art & Design

Pattern and Shades of Colour

- Waruguru Waithira, Green Masks

Design & Technology

- **Food Technology** - cutting, mixing and composition to create a healthy wrap

Music

- **Scaled and intervals** – composing/performing using the keyboard
- **Body percussion** – performing/notating rhythms using body percussion

Composers of the term

- **Claude Debussy**, Clair de Lune
- **Oliver Knussen**, Fantasy Opera

PSHE

Diversity and community

- Describe aspects of identity and recognise similarities and differences between themselves and others
- Recognise differences and respect diversity, including the importance of recognising and challenging stereotypes

Drugs education


- Be informed about medicines, legal & illegal drugs and personal safety.

Computing

Safer Internet Day

Keynote

- Anglo-Saxon and Viking chronology using search engines to create a timeline



Aural media

- Podcast/radio segment on GarageBand linked to Buildings that Made London unit of work

Religious Education

Judaism – Passover

How important is it for Jewish people to do what God asks them to do?

- Investigate the Kashrut rules/being kosher
- Investigate the Passover festival and its importance

Christianity - Easter


Is forgiveness always possible?

- Investigate and compare bible passages on the act of forgiveness and what Christians believe about forgiveness

Home Learning


Seesaw – Word Homework should be a high-quality piece of work completed online or in home learning books

My Maths – MyMaths Homework is completed online weekly



Times Table Rock Stars

– Times Table Rock Stars is completed online daily



Spelling – 10 spelling words are given weekly, to be tested in class the following week

Physical Exercise

Games: Invasion - Handball

Games: Invasion - Dodgeball

Games: Invasion - Hockey

Dance: Cats

The Daily Mile will continue this term

Pupils must wear the correct PE kit to school on these days:

Bird – Thursday & Friday

Sharman – Tuesday & Thursday

Henson – Tuesday & Wednesday

Useful Information

Good hygiene and regular washing of hands will be encouraged throughout the school day

Pupils should bring in a labelled water bottle

School uniform must be clearly labelled

Outdoor Learning Day

9 February

Trips

Epping Forest

Bird 30 Jan Sharman 3 Feb Henson 4 Feb

Tower Bridge

Bird 21 Mar Sharman 22 Mar Henson 25 Mar