

Year 5 - Spring Term 2010

Ideas to work on at home.

LITERACY.

Continue to read as widely as you can, including some classic stories and narrative poetry.  
Read some poetry or a story Roald Dahl or Anne Fine.

NUMERACY.

Continue to thoroughly learn and practise times tables - forwards, backwards and randomly and related division facts.

Count on and back through boundaries (10, 50, 100, etc) in regular steps, starting from different numbers

EG: 87, 92, 97, 102, 107, 112.....

Or 45, 43, 41, 39, 37, 35.....

Look for everyday shapes which have symmetry, and examples of parallel and perpendicular lines.

Look for percentage price cuts in the shops.

ICT/HISTORY

Investigate Tudor jobs, houses and costume on the internet and at the library. Look for Tudor artifacts in Dartford museum. Have a look at the Priory Manor House at Prospect Place.

DESIGN TECHNOLOGY

Look for small boxes and containers which could be the basis for a musical instrument.

Literacy

Narrative poems such as the Pied Piper.  
Classic stories.  
Written reports and explanations.

History

Tudors – Life in towns and countryside, children and education, rich and poor.  
Tudor Dartford.  
Elizabeth I and Tudor explorers.

Numeracy

Lines of symmetry.  
Properties of triangles.  
Measuring angles up to 180°  
Measuring capacity with metric units.  
Collecting information and using it to make charts and graphs.  
Investigating percentages.  
Using x, -, x and / to solve word problems.

Visits etc

February 23<sup>rd</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> Visit to Hall Place, Tudor house.

Music

Exploring and combining sources of sound.  
Recorders.

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Exploring our world

P.E.

Gym – developing and recording sequences.  
Tudor dance  
Short tennis and football

Science

Changing Sounds – Changing the pitch and volume. Investigating sound insulation.  
Life cycles – Looking at the life cycles of plants, frogs, butterflies and human beings.

Design Technology

Designing and making a simple musical instrument from found materials.

RE

Judaism and Islam.  
Places of worship and religious leaders.

I.C.T

Exploring the internet and using spreadsheets.

Art

Collage based on familiar stories using fabrics and other materials