Curriculum Guide

Northwood Community Primary School

In Starlings this half term our topic is

‘The Iron Man’

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Topic Overview (CHOCOLATE)

This unit of work is part of the Power of Reading (POR) We will be finding out:

Life in the Iron Age'

Locate countries around the world and concentrating on their environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics

Enrichment Opportunities

Visit to Spaceport in Wallasey to enhance Science – Earth and Space topic

Visit to the sensory room to look at space and enhance science topic.

Please remember:

To help your child develop their multiplication skills by practising their times tables with them and helping them to speed up their mental calculations.

Working with families

To watch historical programmes relating to the Iron Age and their culture.

To visit the local library to look at resources and extend their knowledge of this subject.

Can you help?

Please check to see if your child has homework and encourage them to complete the task and return it to school.

Its a great way to help your child progress in their reading if you could spend some time listening to them each evening.

Subject	Overview
English	To explore narrative plot, settings, characters and draw inferences. To broaden understanding of writers' use of language To write non-fiction texts based on fictional experiences To write newspaper reports based on the narrative
Maths	Recall and use multiplication and division facts. Write and calculate mathematical statements for multiplication and division. Recognise and write fractions, comparing then to objects and ordering them.
Science	Children find fascinating facts about the Sun, Moon and Earth and develop an understanding of day and night, the four seasons and the Moon's phases. The Sun and the planets making up our Solar System are investigated, along with the other stars in their constellation.
Computing	Coding- 'Scratch' Pod casting and iMovie.
Humanities (History/ Geography / RE/MFL)	**Geography**: Use a map / atlas to find locations within the story. **History**: 'The Iron Age' Investigate life as an Iron Age villager. **R.E**: To study the six religions of the world. **MFL**: To know colours, numbers and to greet people.
Creative Arts (Art / DT / Drama / Dance / Music)	Art: To make figures of the 'Iron Man' D/T: To make robot masks with light up eyes. Music: To use pitch and tone, rhythm and beat
PE	Tennis Swimming

We have been learning about

The 6 R's.

Resilient Learner

Responsible Learner

Resourceful Learner

Responsive Learner

Reflective Learner

Respectful Learner

In Monday assemblies this term, we are also looking at the Acts of Kindness. Please ask your child about these and encourage these at home too!

Homework Project

Weekly homework is given out on Fridays and needs to be returned each Thursday. A spelling test will also take place each Thursday so please practice.