

# St Mark's Weekly Learning - "This week, we'll be...."

Week Beginning: Monday 17th June 2024

<b>Year 1</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● In maths this week we are focusing on recognising different coins and their values. We will also be ordering coins from the smallest to the largest value.</li><li>● In English, we will continue exploring recounts and practise writing effective sentences using a range of adjectives and verbs.</li><li>● PE will involve throwing and catching bean bags and tennis balls in preparation for learning the basic fielding skills needed to play rounders.</li><li>● We will enjoy exploring the school grounds in science, looking at the variety of plants we have and identifying key features.</li></ul>
<b>Year 2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● In maths, we will be continuing answering questions about different tables and charts.</li><li>● In English, we will be writing a recount of our amazing trip to Hillier's Gardens.</li><li>● In D and T we will be designing our moving model using different linkages.</li><li>● In science, we will be learning about a rock pool habitat and how the animals have adapted to that environment.</li><li>● In history, we will be learning about the moon landing!</li></ul>
<b>Year 3</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● In English, we will be planning and writing our own exciting adventure story based on the 'Secret of Black Rock' by Joe Todd-Stanton. We will be working hard to engage our reader using descriptive techniques so that we can take them through the highs and lows of the story and keep them on the edge of their seats!</li><li>● In History, we will be learning about why Boudica stood up to the Romans.</li><li>● For maths, we will be comparing angles, measuring lines accurately and thinking about the properties of 2D and 3D shapes.</li></ul>
<b>Year 4</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● In Music this week, we will recall with the children what ragtime and Dixieland jazz is. We will listen to these. We will then move on to start singing 'Sing, Sing, Sing' by Benny Goodman.</li><li>● Our spelling focus for next week will be words with c before i and e. We will continue to segment words into the correct syllables and phonemes. Our focus words will be circle, century, centaur, circus, princess, voice, medicine, celebrate, celery, pencil.</li><li>● In French we will be working on describing different rooms within a house for example un garage - garage or Une cuisine - the kitchen.</li></ul>
<b>Year 5</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● We are learning to use Micro:bits in Computing and this week we are going to be learning how to program them to display a short animation. The children really enjoyed tinkering with the equipment last week so we are excited to now learn some new programming skills.</li><li>● In PE, we will be learning about the different running skills associated with sprinting, compared to the long distance skills that we practised last week. Less stamina, more power!</li><li>● Maths will involve converting between units - km and m, kg and g, m, cm and mm.</li></ul>
<b>Year 6</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● We will be coming together with other Church of England schools to have our Leaver's service at Winchester Cathedral. We will be rehearsing our songs to sing and reflecting on how to be a 'Gamechanger'.</li><li>● In science, we will be carrying on looking at evolution and how characteristics are inherited from parents, yet there are variations amongst siblings which allow natural selection to occur.</li><li>● In PE, we will be looking at our rounders skills and how to make the best decisions under</li></ul>

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