

Further Useful Information

The school gate opens at **8:10am**.

Registration takes place between **8:50** and **8:55am**.

Collection time for Year 5 is **3.50pm**.

Trips and Events

Thursday, 10 th September	Meet the Teacher
Tuesday, 29 th September	FOW Parents' Social Evening
Wednesday, 30 th September	Upper School Trip Day
Friday, 2 nd October	Young Shakespeare Company
Monday, 5 th October	Walk to School Week
Tuesday, 6 th October	Maths Curriculum Meeting
Wednesday, 14 th October	Open Classroom
Thursday, 15 th October	FOW Forensic Science Day
Tuesday, 3 rd November	Rippledawn Meeting
Thursday, 12 th November Tuesday, 17 th November	Parent/Teacher Evenings
Friday, 20 th November	FOW Non-School Uniform Day and Christmas Fayre
Monday, 23 rd November	Big Read and Creative Curriculum Week
Friday, 4 th December	FOW Upper School Disco
Thursday, 10 th December	Christmas Church Service

Windlesham School



Year 5 Autumn Term 2015

Cross-curricular topic:

The Victorians

N.B. The enclosed topics are merely what we would like to cover. Please note that as an Independent school, we enjoy the flexibility to explore any other interesting area of learning that may arise during the term, and therefore the list should be taken as a guide only.

ENGLISH

- Using a dictionary and thesaurus.
- Spelling investigations, prefixes and plurals.
- Comprehension skills.
- Classic narrative poetry.
- Instructions and note-taking to write reports.
- Playscripts: myths and legends.
- Narrative structure and story openings.
- Recount.

MATHEMATICS (Continue to enjoy MyMaths)

- Place value and properties of numbers.
- Multiply up to 1,000,000 by 10 or 100.
- Understanding the four operations.
- Using a calculator.
- Relationship between fractions and decimals.
- Ratio and proportion.
- Statistics. Line graphs, bar charts.
- Classifying triangles.
- Co-ordinates. Perimeter. Length. Time.

SCIENCE

- Gravity
- Balanced forces.
- Friction, air resistance and water resistance.
- Gears, levers and pulleys.
- Earth, Moon and Sun.
- Day and night, seasons and phases of the moon.
- Space exploration.

ART & DESIGN

- Observational drawing.
- Colour mixing – greens.
- Gauguin, Rousseau and Van Gogh.
- Collage and pastel.
- Jenks and Goldsworthy – Land Art.
- Drawing and painting in the style of Haring and Lowry.

FRENCH

- Presentation about yourself.
- Going to school in France – the class, objects in your pencil-case, School subjects and opinions.
- Numbers to 200 and beyond.
- Christmas activities.

GEOGRAPHY

- Water – its usages and distribution.
- How water is cleaned and supplied.
- Water around the world.
- Types of transport.

HISTORY

- Understanding the key concepts of Continuity and Change.
- Comparing and contrasting three main English Queens, based on pupil's own questioning.
- Making a judgement about which Queen was best, based on evidence.

COMPUTING

- E-Safety.
- Programming virtual devices.
- Spreadsheet modelling with Excel, using formulae.
- Multimedia – PowerPoint presentations.

MUSIC

- Review recorder notes B, A, G, E, D, C, F and F sharp. Recorder Booklets.
- Guitar: an introduction.
- Learn Harvest and Christmas pieces.
- Music appreciation: a variety of different styles of music.
- Singing in rounds.

P. E.

- Gym: National Gymnastics Awards.
- Games: attacking, defending skills in netball and football.
- Swimming: stroke development, speed and endurance. Water safety.
- Health related fitness: basic fitness testing and training methods.

P.S.H.C.E.

- New beginnings.
- Creating a community.
- Exploring feelings.
- Welcoming and belonging.
- Class rules.
- Role models for others.

RELIGIOUS STUDIES

- Investigating what a celebration is.
- Determining that key characteristics of celebrations can be religious or non-religious community events.
- Investigating different festivals around the world.