

## 7D Curriculum Leaflet

### Summer 2



**Form tutor:** Ms. D'Arcy

**Teaching assistants:**

Ms. Williams/Ms. Osei-Mensah, Ms. Osei

**Tutor Time Focus:**

We will be using tutor time to develop out social interaction skills, such as taking turns and playing as part of a team.

## English

**We will be learning about:**

We are continuing with our book study of Fantastic Mr Fox, investigating characters and motivations. We will also be using speaking and listening exercises such as debates about if Mr Fix is right to steal from the farmers.

## Maths

**We will be learning about:**

Length, Weight and Capacity

We will be learning how to measure things using non-standard and standard units. We will be using lots of words which measure length, weight and capacity such as bigger, smaller, narrow, wide, tall, short, heavier, lighter etc.

## Science

**We will be learning about:**

Forces

Year 7 are learning about Forces this term. We will be exploring how all forces are pushes and pulls, looking at the difference between contact non-contact forces, and researching a range of forces in more detail. These will include magnetism, water resistance, air resistance and friction. We will be learning about how force is measured in newtons and using this to explore balanced and unbalanced forces.

## Geography and History

**We will be learning about:**

Middle Ages/Medieval Britain

- Henry II and Thomas Beckett
- Richard I – Lionheart
- King John
- Magna Carta
- Black Death and Peasants Revolt

Rivers/Local Area

- Visit Stratford Canal – look at river parts; bridges; canals
- Understand why rivers are important

## Computing

**We will be learning about:**

Learners will develop their understanding of a range of tools used for digital painting. They then use these tools to create their own digital paintings, while gaining inspiration from a range of artists' work. The unit concludes with learners considering their preferences when painting with and without the use of digital devices.

## Personal Social Development

**We will be learning about:**

Healthy Bodies, Healthy Minds

- What a healthy diet would look like.
- The benefits of keeping active physically and mentally
- The importance of mental health
- Personal hygiene
- The importance of shared experiences
- The importance of learning or mastering something.

## Spanish

We will be learning this term about clothes and describing what we are wearing. We will then learn about how to describe the weather in Spanish and talk about our favourite weather and make links between different weather and the clothes we would wear.

## PE

### We will be learning about:

#### Athletics + Tennis

- To perform the technique for a 60 meters sprint race.
- To understand the rules and take part in a relay race.
- To perform Shot Put and follow the 3 golden rules of throwing.
- To perform Javelin throw and follow 3 golden rules of throwing.
- To perform the basic technique for a long jump. To record distance achieved.

## Design Technology

### We will be making: A wooden salad server

- What are the shapes and how can we draw them?
- How can the computer help us to draw shapes?
- What is a design brief?
- What is the design process?
- What makes a good salad server?
- What materials and processes can we use to make our salad server?
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## Home Learning Opportunities

English – Encourage your child to read when they can. If your child is reading a book at home, ask them to bring the book in as they can be given the opportunity to read and share it with the class. Continue to use Lexia.

Maths – Encourage your child describe where items are in their house/on their journeys in the community. Talk about directions and where you are going (use left/right). Continue to use SumDog at home.

PE – Ask your child to complete some of the exercises that they have been doing in their PE Lessons. Practice throwing and catching in the park.

Computing – Give your child the opportunity to type on the computer.

If your child completes anything that they would like to share with the class, please send it in with them.

## Art

### We will be learning about:

#### **Aboriginal Art**

- Know what an aboriginal symbol is
- Design and draw a shark
- Make sharks using papier-mâché
- Paint shark using aboriginal symbols



## Music

### We will be learning about:

#### **Singing**

- Singing in a group
- Performing confidently
- Learning a song by heart for the Hackney music festival
- Attend the Hackney music festival
- Learn songs from the musical Oliver

## Preparation for Adulthood

### We will be learning about

#### Understanding our own health needs

We will be looking at understanding our own health needs and look at areas such as: regular exercise; a balanced diet; proper sleep; taking medication; physical health, and mental wellbeing.