

**YEAR 5/6
SPRING 2
CYCLE 2**

THE TUDORS



We are excited to share an overview of our learning journey for this term as we explore the fascinating Tudor period. Below is a breakdown of the key objectives across various subjects to help you support your child's learning at home. We look forward to an exciting and engaging term ahead! If you have any areas of expertise related to these topics, please feel free to reach out.

SCIENCE

- Year 5 - investigate gravity, including the contributions of Galileo and Newton. Explore forces such as friction, water resistance, and machine mechanisms.
- Year 6 - conduct practical investigations on floating, sinking, and the impact of forces.

HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY

Child-led Tudor project, including:

- Justifying historical interpretations.
- Using primary and secondary sources to make deductions.
- Understanding the reliability of historical sources.



DESIGN TECHNOLOGY & ART

- Design and create a pop-up book.
- Apply artistic techniques such as layering and using spacers.
- Write and illustrate a high-quality product suitable for a target audience.

RE

Year 5 - explore concepts of suffering, free will, and morality through religious perspectives.

Year 6 - to investigate concepts relating to death and exploring the concepts of reincarnation and karma.

PSHE

- Recognize how relationships develop and change over time.
- Understand diversity in family structures and strategies to manage relationship pressures.

COMPUTING

Year 5 - Create and manage databases, compare data visually, and use search tools effectively

Year 6 - Build and format spreadsheets, apply formulas, and use real-world databases to answer questions.

MUSIC

Engage in various musical activities related to the Tudor period and develop performance skills.

PE

Year 5 - Swimming lessons focusing on:

- Swimming 25 meters competently and confidently.
- Using different strokes effectively.
- Performing safe self-rescue in water-based situations.

Year 6 - Rolls, jumps and leaps in gymnastics.



FRENCH

Year 5 - Learning about French-speaking countries, directions, and climates.

Year 6 - Developing conversational skills for travel, using the near future tense, and planning a holiday in France.