

## English

This half term we will be reading Pig Heart Boy as our class text. This links very well with both our Science and History topics.

We will also be working towards our end of year production of... Matilda!



This is a great chance to study the features of a script, making edits where necessary, and being able to read a script accurately. Of course, there will be plenty of acting and singing too! Pupils will be focussing on their reading fluency and expression throughout this project.

## Mathematics

We will be consolidating many of our Year 5 and 6 maths topics as well as extending into some Year 7 work, through group project work and individual tasks.

For example, pupils will be given a brief to design a Theme Park, they must then consider the building costs, running costs, profit margins and overall expenditure – all staying within the original budget!

This is a great way to apply all their mathematical skills into a real-life example whilst challenging their mathematical thinking and business knowledge.

This half term we will be answering the question:  
**How do people make their mark?**

This will primarily be linked to our history topic. However, we will also be exploring how the class and individuals leave their mark, their legacy, at Ark Conway during their final weeks at primary school.



## Sports, Health and Fitness

This half term we will be focusing on our fitness, through circuit training and progressive fitness tests. We will learn how to measure our heartrate, what this means, and how to use this to inform our exercise choices. It will be great to see the progress each week as we increase our fitness as well as our knowledge of how to keep ourselves

## Art and Design

In Art we will be planning and creating our final set pieces for our end of year production. This will include multiple large backdrops, smaller set design and stage props. We will also be tailoring our production costumes, seeing how to alter predesigned outfits as well as adding our own flair to different materials and costumes.

## Computing

This half term students will be developing the necessary computing skills needed to be ready for secondary school. This will focus on the following areas:

- E-safety and how to keep safe online
- How to effectively research online
- Typing skills
- Computational problem solving

## Science – Circulation and Lifestyle

We will be learning about the circulatory system; the different parts, how it works, and how to keep it healthy. We will be answering the following questions through research and investigations:

- What is the role of blood?
- What is the role of the heart?
- How does the circulatory system work?
- How are nutrients distributed?
- How does exercise impact the human body?  
*(Explored throughout our PE lessons)*

## Humanities – Making our Mark (History)

We will be exploring how people have made their mark during history, and how we can leave our own mark. This will include discussions surrounding why people protest and what forms this can take. We will seek to answer the following questions through research and discussion:

- What is protest?
- How have people protested to protect the environment?
- How have people protested for gender equality?
- How have people protested for racial equality?
- How have people protested for justice?