

RATIONALE:

In the Spring Term, Year 3 will be learning about the Tudor period focusing on Henry VIII. We will also be looking into the lives of rich and poor people in the Tudor period, their clothing, houses and lives. We will be going on a trip to Holdenby House to experience a range of Tudor activities first hand and find out about Tudor life.

By the end of the unit, all children will understand what life was like in the Tudor period, Henry VIII and his wives and some of the differences compared to our lives.

HOOK:

Trip to Holdenby House on 09.01.2018 to experience what life was like in the Tudor period. Children will be taking part in a range of Tudor activities.

D&T / Art

- We will be looking at Tudor portraits and creating our own for either Henry VIII or one of his wives. We will be looking at how to draw a face proportionally and learn how to use sketching skills to make our portraits look realistic.

English

- Biography. We will be looking at biographies of Henry VIII and writing our own biographies about Henry VIII wives.
 - Narrative. We will be looking at alternative fairy tales and writing our own.
- Throughout the English units, the pupils' studies of the Tudor period will directly impact and thread through to create rich learning opportunities.

History

- Chronological skills. We will be learning about where the Tudor period fits into our current historical knowledge and ordering events in the Tudor period.
- We will be learning about Tudor lives, using a range of different sources.

PE

Pupils will be practising their gymnastics or working on their Sportshall athletics. We will also be working on invasion games followed by striking and fielding.

Science

We will be learning about forces and magnets, looking at the properties of magnets, followed by Scientific Enquiry.

HOME LEARNING

Pupils will be completing a project about the life of children during the Tudor period. This will be set during our topic.

OUTCOME:

Children will create their own Tudor portrait and a biography about one of Henry VIII's wives.

10 WEEK
PROJECT