



TOPIC OVERVIEW FOR PARENTS

Please find below information regarding what your child will be learning in school this term.

English Focus:

- Story writing
- Discussions and debates
 - Poetry
 - Drama

Maths Focus:

- Groups cover different activities:
Mr Senior's group will be learning about:
- Revise reading, writing,
 - Revise adding and subtracting whole numbers and decimal numbers using mental and written
 - Revise scaling, using mental strategies for multiplying and dividing;
 - Revise using short division to find unit fractions of amounts,
 - Revise equivalence simplifying fractions and changing improper fractions into mixed numbers and vice versa;
 - Revise properties and classification of 2D shapes,
 - Use mathematical reasoning to investigate and solve problems,
 - Explore binary numbers;

Science Focus:

Investigating life cycle of plants, pollination, flower dissection and needs of living things.

ICT Focus:

- Creative multimedia
- Exchanging and sharing information

PSHE and RE will be delivered by Mrs Rhodes during the term.

Our Topic this term is called:

Local Area

WOW

Drayton Manor!

Skills of Thinking, Communication, ICT and Number will be developed throughout our topic in all curriculum areas undertaken this term!

Other Curriculum Focus:

- **History/Geography** - Child led activities into the every changing world of Abercarn Primary School, maths challenges at the skate park, local area shops, building bridges and local art.
- **Welsh** - Write to a pen pal and investigate literary and non literary texts. .

Other Information:

The national test will be starting on May 2nd. On the school website you can find links to documents that will support your children's understanding at home. Abacus homework is also being given out weekly and should be completed and caught up on if they are behind. This will provide a good way of catching up.

PE:

Athletics

Athletics - Thursday (Friday if wet of Thursday)

- Completing a range of activities that can be linked to track and field events.
- Using numeracy skills to apply understanding in a range of contexts.
 - Complete activities competitively.

**PLEASE REMEMBER
TO READ WEEKLY
NEWSLETTERS**