

# Constantine's Creative Curriculum



## Year 6 - Summer Term Africa



Children will explore the continent of Africa through all areas of the curriculum: they'll compare their own lives to the lives of children living in Kenya and Uganda; examine the key historical topics such as migration, slavery and cultural diversity; and look at traditional African patterns and use these to explore block printing in art as well as using a range of mediums to create silhouette images. Children will also explore African drumming and dance and learn how these are an important part of Africa's history and culture.

For Maths we follow the 2014 National Curriculum - details can be found on our website.

In RE we follow the Cornwall Agreed Syllabus.

Homework: If you would like to explore our topic of Africa at home, there will be a homework grid which will support your child's learning and the tasks will be optional. However, if you choose to complete any, they are a great opportunity to enrich learning and we would love to celebrate them in class.

At times, additional homework may be sent home. If this happens, then I will make sure that the date for handing in is clear.

**Important dates:**

23<sup>rd</sup> May - Class Trip to Truro High school for creative workshops

11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> June - Bike Ability sessions for group 2 (more info to follow)

18<sup>th</sup> June - Penryn and Helston induction day

19<sup>th</sup> June - Helston induction day

25<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup> June - Surf Camp

26<sup>th</sup> June - Mullion transition day

4<sup>th</sup> July - Sports day

9<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup>/11<sup>th</sup> July - rehearsals at the Tolmen Centre all day - **PACKED LUNCH NEEDED**

11<sup>th</sup> July - Daytime dress rehearsal to the school and evening performance of *Oliver with a Twist*

12<sup>th</sup> July - Evening performance of *Oliver with a Twist*

16<sup>th</sup> July - Leavers' BBQ (more info to follow)

20<sup>th</sup> July - Break up for summer!

Dear Parents,

It has been a really busy week for Tresillian Class with their SATs tests this week but they have all coped superbly and have started each test with a positive and enthusiastic attitude. I am incredibly proud of all the children in Tresillian Class and their continuous hard work this year. We are now all really looking forward to getting stuck into our whole school topic of Africa, and of course, our exciting play - *Oliver with a Twist!*

As you can see from the *important dates* above, it is a very busy term with lots of things happening! Please keep an eye on the newsletter and other class letters as these will contain more information about the upcoming dates.

Please ensure your child continues to have their full PE kit in school as we have many sporting opportunities coming up.

If you would like any more information or have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me or book an appointment through Mrs Beswick.

Best wishes,

Miss Paine