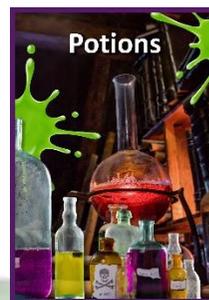




Medium Term Planning

Swan Class (Y3-6)

Autumn 2 2020



English

See separate plan

Through our topic we will look at a range of texts. We will be studying labels and descriptions of potions for a wide variety of things. We will write letters from patients who've tried the first medications/ anaesthetics. We will study extracts from Alice in Wonderland and Harry Potter.

Maths

See separate plan

Through cross curricular work we will explore capacity and volume of potions.

Science

In science we will be studying materials. Compare and group materials together, according to whether they are solids, liquids or gases.

Observe that some materials change state when they are heated or cooled, and measure or research the temperature at which this happens in degrees Celsius (°C).

Identify the part played by evaporation and condensation in the water cycle and associate the rate of evaporation with temperature.

History

We will use a range of historical source materials to find out about how potions were used in the past for both everyday medicinal and magical reasons. Make potions using a range of herbs and ingredients known for their mystical or medicinal properties.

PE

We will be working alongside Gloucester Rugby Club this term playing tag rugby. Miss Loomes will be teaching netball (y3/4) and football (y5/6).

MFL: French

We will be looking at all around town. Talking about where I live.

RE

What does it mean if Christians believe God is holy and loving? Celebrations: Diwali and Christmas.

Potion: a poison, a mixture, an aromatic brew, a vapour, a liquid or sticky goo. Welcome to the amazing magical world of potions and their properties. Now scientists, beware. There are some powerful and deadly potions out there, dangerous, unpredictable or tragic (just ask Romeo and Juliet.) Use what you know about materials and their properties to create incredible potions in Professor Hazard's Potions class. Feeling sleepy? That orange juice did taste a little strange...

Art and design

We will be studying the painting The Love Potion by Evelyn de Morgan. We will create our own versions. We will also be looking at perfume bottles and creating our own.

Computing

We love games
Children will use gaming apps to develop computational thinking skills and develop a simple program as a final project.

PSHCE

We will be looking at respecting differences and similarities; discussing difference sensitively.