



BROOKFIELD JUNIOR SCHOOL

NEW CURRICULUM



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Dear Parents/Carers

Block teaching of the foundation subjects, in Term 5, has had many positive benefits to the children at Brookfield Junior School, we have found that children are able to become more engrossed in their learning and have more opportunities to consolidate and extend their understanding.

To ensure you are aware of the topic areas your child will be learning each week, to enable discussion and support at home, below is a table outlining the learning for Year 3, 4 and 5 in Term 6:

	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
Week 1	Art (Volcanoes)	Science (Living things and their habitats)	History (The Aztecs)
Week 2	Geography (Volcanoes)	Geography (Europe, including Russia)	Art (Anderson Shelters)
Week 3	Health and Fitness Week		
Week 4	Science (Light)	Geography (Europe, including Russia)	Science (Living things and their habitats)
Week 5	Science (Light)	Science (Living things and their habitats)	History (The Aztecs)
Week 6	History (Ancient Egypt)	Science (Recap of Year 4)	Science (Recap of Year 5)
Week 7	Science (Recap of Year 3)	Art (European Artist)	Science (Recap of Year 5)
Week 8	The final week of term will allow children to finish off any incomplete areas of learning and prepare themselves for the transition into their next Year group.		

Please be aware that Week 3 is our school's Health and Fitness Week. During this week is the school's annual Sports Day; however there are physical activities planned for each year group, on each day. It is important that children ensure their full PE kit (including their house colour PE t-shirt), along with suitable footwear (plimsolls or trainers) is in school each day during this week.

Yours sincerely

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Curriculum Leader

