

SMUGGLERS

Topic: Life in 18/19th Century Britain

What was life like in 19th century England?
Lifestyle? Leisure? Law and order?
The British monarchy of the 1800s.
Who was on the throne at the time?
What were they like as a ruler?
How many monarchs were there of that period?
Leisure in the 1800.
What did people do for leisure in the 19th century?
What did the gentry do?
What did the impoverished do for leisure?
Crime and punishment.
What could you be punished for?
How would you be punished?
Smuggling ...



Literacy Development

TOPIC SECRET TEXTS

Poetry Focus - The Smuggler's Song by Rudyard Kipling

- Poem talk: talk about the poem in detail, poetry devices, what kind of poem it is, new vocabulary, context linking with topic.
- Performance poetry.
- Writing poems.

The class will also have a class text that we will begin after SATs.

We continue to read the Book Award texts.

GPAS - SATs revision to cover all areas.

Parents/carers: if any parents would like to come and talk about aspects supporting our topic or to come and hear children read please let us know.

Mathematical Development

Converting units:

- Convert between different units of metric measure
- Convert between metric and imperial
- Area, perimeter and volume
- Fractions, decimals and percentages - revise and consolidate

Geometry, angles and shape:

- Angles - degrees in shapes, straight line, around a point
- Properties of 2D and 3D shape
- Regular and irregular shapes
- Translations, rotations and reflections
- Using coordinates in the four quadrants

Y6 general SATs revision to cover all areas of maths.

PSHE - Living in the Wider World

- Dealing with stress
- Transitions
- Puberty and how we change as we grow older

Science - Evolution and Inheritance

- Inheritance - the scientific concept of inheritance.
- Adaptation - how animals/ plants adapt to suit their environment
- Theory of Evolution - fossils
- Charles Darwin - his theories
- Evidence for evolution - understanding how humans have evolved
- Puberty and human reproduction

Useful websites:

http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/primaryhistory/victorian_britain/

<https://www.historic-uk.com/CultureUK/Smugglers-Wreckers/>

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/guides/z9qs4q>