

Blue Class Half Termly Newsletter Spring 2



English: We are going to be reading a book called Traction Man by Mini Grey. We will be retelling parts of the story and writing letters. Linked to our history topic we will also be writing a tour guide about our local area.

Maths:

We will learning about measure. We will be learnig how to measure length and height and then about mass, capacity and temperature.

Science: In Science we will be learning about materials and their properties. We will be learning about different materials and how materials are chosen for different purposes depending on their properties.

History: This is a topic about the local area and how it has changed over 100 years. The children will find key dates around school and look how the local area has changed over the last 100 years.



DT—mechanisms- The children will be doinf a unit of work called Moving Mechanisms. in this unit they will make a sliding mechanism, use pivots and levers and a wheel mechanism

PSHE: What will be using My Happy Mind and looking at Module 2 - Celebrate. We are learning all about character and why it matters.

Computing: In computing the children will be learning about spreadsheets. They will then use spreadsheets to solve simple puzzles and create block graphs

Music this unit of work is called Zootime.. This is a Reggae song for children writing by Joanna Mangona.

PE: This unit is a creative skills unit. The children will link movements together to fit a theme and they will also focus on their balk skills.

Homework: Homework will be set every **Friday** and must be returned the following **Friday** This includes reading books which need to be returned to be changed. Children need to read their books and change them at least once a week.

Key Information: PE lessons are every Friday morning and full kits should be in school for these lessons. To see what we will be learning about in class this year and other information such as PE kits etc, please visit our school website http://www.stannesroyton.oldham.sch.uk/ and navigate towards the ----Blue Class tab. Newsletters are also archived here. There is also a calendar of events on the website. If you do not have internet access or cannot use this website for any reason, then please come and see me.