



Theme Overview ~ Waste Warriors

Breadth of Study

Science

As scientists we will be exploring different materials and their properties. We will learn about the uses of materials and why they are chosen for that particular use. We will develop our science investigation skills, focusing on gathering evidence to come to a conclusion.

Art

As artists we will look at the work of weavers and the skills they use to develop their final pieces. We will develop our own loom and use this to create our own piece of weaving. After completing our art work we will learn to evaluate our finished article.

Geography

As geographers we will be out and about in the local environment using our field work skills. We will be investigating the facilities in Stockbridge for waste disposal and whether these are used. We will record this information using aerial maps.

PHSE

Our PHSE links closely with our geography work this half term as we will be learning about the British value of respect and how we need to look after our local environment.

Curriculum drivers

Enterprise

We will be looking at waste and recycling within school. We will be using our findings from our geography work to decide whether we need to contact Test Valley council to ask for support to improve our local area.

Outdoor learning

We will be exploring our school grounds and local environment as part of our geography and PHSE work. To help improve our school grounds we will be out litter picking!

Active Learners

We will be using our findings in geography and PHSE to create our own campaigns to improve the environments around us.

Multicultural

We will be looking at how we should look after the things we have and not waste them and link this to our knowledge of world poverty.

Enterprising is a service to others which provides something of value.

Making best use and getting most value from the outdoor environment, people and places including local settings.

We want children to be active rather than passive learners; to be enquiring, physical and have NO WORKSHEETS!

Broaden children's horizons, empathy and understanding of other cultures outside of Stockbridge.

Enrichment

Visit: The solar farm at Eveley

Visitor: Whitchurch Silk Mill, Test Valley Recycling Stars

Small scale visit: Local environment