



"We can't wait to visit Ordsall Hall and experience how Tudor lords and ladies used to live!"

How did the Tudors shake up England?



HISTORY/GEOGRAPHY

We will be exploring what life was like in the Tudor times. Who were the King and Queens? How was life different for rich and poor people? What jobs did typical Tudors do? What did Tudors wear? What important battles occurred in Tudor times? What was Tudor food like? What gruesome forms of punishment were doled out to criminals? What parts of the world did the Tudors explore? We will also be comparing England with Spain.

MATHS THROUGH TOPIC

We will be linking lots of fun maths to our topic this half term including:

- Measures for baking
- Word problems
- Tudor money
- Budgets for the rich and poor
- Patterns/symmetry



WRITING

We are now becoming fantastic writers, ready for Year 5. We will be investigating and creating our own stories set during the Tudor period, using all we have learnt during our topic to give them a true Tudor feel!

P.E.

We will continue our swimming lessons. We will also be taking part in outdoor athletic activities in preparation for sports day!

PSHE

Children will be offered our 'Changing Me' curriculum. Please refer to letters and resources offered from school around these lessons.

RIGHTS AND RESPECTING

We will be investigating Article 27 of the UNCRC (*the right to a good standard of living*) by comparing the lives of the rich and poor in Tudor times. Also, we will be taking a look at Article 37 (*the right to be treated fairly if you break the law*) and considering some of the cruel and wicked punishments that were common during the Tudor era.



Parent/Carers reply slip. Please send in your suggestions and comments by returning this slip to your child's class teacher.