






Focus Weeks 2022-23	 Black History Month <i>Autumn 1</i>	 Challenging Stereotypes Week <i>Spring 1</i>	 Wellbeing Days <i>1 per term</i>	 Save the World Week <i>Summer 1</i>	 Pride Week <i>Summer 2</i>
What will happen?	<p>During Black History Month this year, we will be celebrating by having a 'See It to Be It' event. Black people from the local community will be invited in to share their stories and what they do for work.</p> <p>Our October themed assemblies will look at Black Inventors and there will be a focus on: Garrett Morgan, Lewis Latimer, Madame CJ Walker, Elijah McCoy and CJ Boone.</p>	<p>This was brought into George Spicer last year to huge success.</p> <p>Each year group are given a stereotype and then they go about challenging it and proving how it is incorrect.</p> <p>Last year's statements were:</p> <p>R: Are all nurses women? 1: Do children only like unhealthy food? 2: Do real men cry? 3: Is Africa a country? 4: Do disabled people need pity? 5: Do women need rescuing? 6: Who defines beauty?</p>	<p>At George Spicer, we take the health and wellbeing of all our community seriously.</p> <p>This year our three focus days will be:</p> <p>October 10th – World Mental Health Day. Each year group will be given a negative emotion such as: jealousy, anger and loneliness. We will explore how to turn these emotions from a negative to a positive.</p> <p>March 4th – World Unplugging Day – On this day, the school will be turning off as many electronic devices as possible in a bid to show that we can survive without gadgets and try and save the planet.</p> <p>June 21st – Yoga Day – Each child will have the opportunity to join in with a yoga session, learn about the practice and discover how it can help our wellbeing.</p>	<p>This year we have updated our geography curriculum to have a greater emphasis on climate change.</p> <p>Each year group will be given a country from across the world which has been negatively impacted by global warming.</p> <p>R: Why are the ice caps melting? 1: Why are forest fires happening in Australia? 2: Why is Kenya experiencing flash flooding? 3: Why is Holland experiencing rising sea levels? 4: Why is China experiencing a rise in temperatures? 5: Why are droughts becoming more frequent in the United States of America? 6: Why is Bolivia experiencing deforestation?</p> <p>The children will learn what is happening and what can be done to rectify the situation.</p>	<p>Every year we celebrate pride week to show our support for the LGBTQ+ community.</p> <p>Each year, our phases look at a question linked to Pride, linked to our Jigsaw PSHE scheme.</p> <p>EYFS –What makes a family? KS1 – Do all relationships look the same? LKS2 – What does it mean to be an ally? UKS2 – What can someone do if they need support?</p> <p>There will also be assemblies explaining to the children why we have Pride Week.</p>
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