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Month's Overview

| Class: 4 | 4th January - 30th January 202 | 1 |
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| Subject | Concepts and Skills | |
| EVS | Theme- Rocks, Minerals and Soils | |
| | Central Idea- Rocks, minerals and soil are natural materials formed on Ea | ırth, |
| | which is important for our existence. | |
| | Lines Of Inquiry: | |
| | How rocks, minerals and soil are formed (Function) | |
| | Types of rocks, minerals, soil and their composition (Form) | |
| | Why we need rocks, minerals and soil (Causation) | |
| | Project- Machines | |
| | Central Idea - We need different kinds of simple and complex machines t | ro |
| | make our life easier | |
| | Lines Of Inquiry: | |
| | Machines work on different principles (work, force, motion and frict) | ion) |
| | Machines are invented and created for various uses | |
| | Impact of machines on human life | |
| | How simple machines are used to develop complex machines | |
| | Work, force and energy are related | |
| | Sources of energy | |

ENGLISH

Phonics and Vocabulary

- Check and correct spellings and identify words that need to be learned
- Use more powerful verbs (e.g. rushed instead of went)
- Seek alternatives for overused words and expressions for e.g. (nice admirable, delightful, pleasant; good - acceptable, agreeable, excellent, favourable, valuable)
- Recognise meaning in figurative language
- Use a dictionary to find spelling and meaning of words
- Explore degrees of intensity in adjectives, e.g. cold, tepid, warm

Grammar and Punctuation

- Identify all the punctuation marks and respond to them when reading
- Practise using commas to mark out meaning within sentences
- Re-read own writing to check punctuation and grammatical sense
- Investigate past, present and future tenses of the verbs.
- Identify prepositions and practice them while writing sentences
- Collect examples of nouns (compound, collective, concrete and abstract), verbs, adjectives (qualitative, quantitative and demonstrative) and pronouns (and use the terms appropriately)

Reading

- Extend the range of reading from a variety of age appropriate books
- Understand how paragraphs and chapters are used to organize ideas
- Distinguish between 'fact' and 'opinion' in reading and other media
- Note key words and phrases to identify the main points in a passage
- Explore implicit as well as explicit meanings within the text

- Read newspapers' reports and consider how they engage the reader
- Identify different types of non-fiction texts and their known key features
- Understand how points are ordered to make a coherent argument
- Explore the different processes of reading silently and reading aloud
- Investigate how persuasive writing is used to convince a reader

MATHS Number system

- Use strategies to add and subtract two or more fractions and / or mixed numbers with like and unlike denominators
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- Reduce a fraction to its 'lowest terms' or simplest form
- Find H.C.F. and L.C.M. of 2 or 3 digit numbers using the prime factorization method and the factor tree method

Measurement

 Measure the sides of a closed figure such as rectangle, square and triangle in cm and mm and find the perimeter

HINDI Listening and speaking

- Evaluate what is heard and give reasons for agreement or disagreement
- Listen carefully in discussions, contributing relevant comments and questions
- Begin to develop ideas thoughtfully and convey opinions
- Understand the gist of the lesson and respond to questions thoughtfully
- Adapt the pace and volume of speaking when performing or reading aloud

Grammar

- Give grammatically correct answers
- Understand homophones and their uses in languages.
- Understand the use of 'kriya shabd'
- Understand the use of 'Dictionary skills.

Reading

- Explore the different processes of reading silently and reading aloud
- Investigate how settings and characters are built up from details
- Understand how expressive and descriptive language creates mood

Writing

- Explore layouts and presentation of writing to share about experiences from personal lives
- Write a simple article using paragraphs to organize information
- Write well structured sentences while following grammatical rules

ICT Skills

- Be able to research on famous Indian and international IT personalities
- Be able to work on presentation by picking appropriate resources

List of Vocabulary for the Coming Month Sedimentary Igneous Sandstone Lava Granite solidification **Pumice** Metamorphic pressure Marble Slate weathering gravel sandy clayey loamy minerals Organic Machines Simple Complex Lever Pulley Wheel Axle **Inclined Plane** Screws Wedge Force Work Gravity Friction Newton Energy

Fulcrum

Screwdriver

Wheelbarrow

Balance

Cylinder

Trolley

Flagpole

Factor tree

Factorization

Equivalent fractions

Simplest form

L.C.M

Liter

Milli-liter

Isosceles

Scalene

Equilateral