

RSE

Year group: 6

Term: Summer



Topic overview

To keep the body in good health is a duty, otherwise we shall not be able to keep our mind strong and clear.

By the end of this unit, I will be able to:

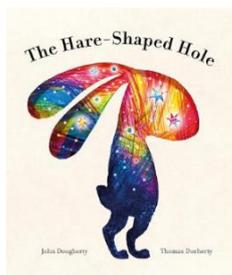
Physical health and Mental wellbeing

What affects mental health and ways to take care of it; managing change, loss and bereavement; managing time online and allergies

Prior knowledge

- how sleep contributes to a healthy lifestyle
- healthy sleep strategies and how to maintain them
- about the benefits of being outdoors and in the sun for physical and mental health
- how to manage risk in relation to sun exposure, including skin damage and heat stroke
- how medicines can contribute to health and how allergies can be managed
- that some diseases can be prevented by vaccinations and immunisations
- that bacteria and viruses can affect health
- how they can prevent the spread of bacteria and viruses with everyday hygiene routines
- to recognise the shared responsibility of keeping a clean environment

National Curriculum Objectives



By the end of primary school:

Pupils should know

- the importance of self-respect and how this links to their own happiness.

Key vocabulary

- that mental health is just as important as physical health and that both need looking after
- to recognise that anyone can be affected by mental ill-health and that difficulties can be resolved with help and support
- how negative experiences such as being bullied or feeling lonely can affect mental wellbeing
- positive strategies for managing feelings
- that there are situations when someone may experience mixed or conflicting feelings
- how feelings can often be helpful, whilst recognising that they sometimes need to be overcome
- to recognise that if someone experiences feelings that are not so good (most or all of the time) – help and support is available
- identify where they and others can ask for help and support with mental wellbeing in and outside school
- the importance of asking for support from a trusted adult
- about the changes that may occur in life including death, and how these can cause conflicting feelings
- that changes can mean people experience feelings of loss or grief
- about the process of grieving and how grief can be expressed
- about strategies that can help someone cope with the feelings associated with change or loss
- to identify how to ask for help and support with loss, grief or other aspects of change
- how balancing time online with other activities helps to maintain their health and wellbeing
- strategies to manage time spent online and foster positive habits e.g. switching phone off at night
- what to do and whom to tell if they are frightened or worried about something they have seen online

Conflict, support, changes, bereavement, balance, online