

Toffee and Pie

Suggestions for Extension Works (KS2)

1. HORSES

Types of horse - characteristics of different breeds.

- Varied uses of horses - pulling loads, riding, racing, police horses - which breeds suit which activity.
- Evolution of the horse.
- How to care for a horse - feeding, grooming etc.
- Ways of training / commanding horses.

2. FRUIT (Blackberries)

Different types of fruit - characteristics.

Which fruits make good jam.

How to make jam.

Survey - ingredients of different commercially produced jams - percentage of fruit, sugar, any other ingredients.

Survey - favourite jams or favourite fruits throughout school.

British grown fruits - what conditions they need for growth - when they are harvested and how.

Origins of fruits - which countries they come from - map of world showing fruit growing regions.

Exotic fruits - find examples, draw, taste, write descriptions.

3. COUNTRYSIDE CODE

John closes the gate - what rules should we observe in countryside?

Devise own countryside code, as class or group activity.

Make posters to illustrate the code, with slogans.

Differences between country and town living - discuss.

4. PETS

Needs of different pets.

Write manual of how to care for a specific pet, with illustrations.

Advantages/disadvantages of various pets.

5. MAPS

Map of area around school.

Map of area around own village.

Map of nearest town / village.

Maps to seaside - use computer programmes to find route. Find out about towns on the way and illustrate with feature of the area, e.g. castle, canal boat, shopping centre, market stalls, library, theatre etc.