

Year 5 Autumn 1 Curriculum Newsletter

This is an overview of the learning that will be taking place in Year 5 this half term. Knowledge organisers can also be found on the Year 5 page on the website with additional information about the curriculum topics.

English

We will be reading 'The Rabbits', 'The Highwayman', and 'There's a Boy in the Girl's bathroom'.

We will be learning about:

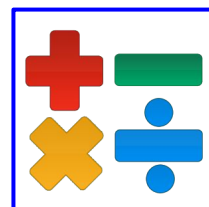
- Expanded noun phrases
- Cohesion
- Metaphors



Maths

We will be learning about:

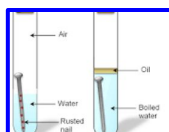
- Reading and writing numbers up to 1,000,000
- Partitioning and rounding numbers up to 1,000,000
- Addition and subtraction



Science

Our topic is 'Earth and Space'. We will be looking at:

- The order of the planets
- The movement of the earth and the sun
- How the earth turns



History

Our topic is 'Anglo-Saxon Britain'. We will be learning about:

- Britain's settlement by the Anglo-Saxons and Scots
- the development of the Anglo-Saxon kingdoms
- Alfred the Great

Art

Our topic is 'drawing'.

We will be learning to:

- Choose a style of drawing and using a range of techniques
- Showing movement, perspective, shadows and reflection



RE

We are focussing on 'Sikhism' this term.

We will be looking at:

- Sikh weddings
- The Golden Temple
- Artefacts
- The 5 Sikh beliefs

PSHE

Our topic is 'Celebrating differences'. We will be learning about:

- Cultural differences
- Racism
- Bullying



French

Our topic is 'En Famille (The family)'. In this unit the children will learn how to:

- Say the nouns in French for members of their family.
- Tell somebody the members and age of different people
- Continue to count, reaching 100,
- Understand the concept of "mon, ma and mes" in French.

PE

Our topics include:

- netball/rugby skills (invasion and target games and ball handling skills)
- developing personal skills relating to ball skills, and reaction and response.