

English:

As a school, we have adopted "The Write Stuff" - an approach to the teaching of writing. We will continue to use sentence stacking in our lessons with drama and other experiences intertwined in each unit. This term our focus will be on narrative writing using 'Cosmic' by Frank Cottrell Boyce as a stimulus. Balanced arguments based on children's use of electronic devices and persuasive letter writing.

In reading we take on a whole class reading approach and focus on a different content domain each week. Children will also receive weekly

Maths:

Year 5 will cover a variety of units over the next term. These include the following:

- Decimals
- Properties of shape;
- Position and direction
- Converting units.
- Negative numbers
- Measurement (volume)

Previous learning may be recapped if required. Additional maths workshops at 8:30am Tuesday-Thursday morning will continue for selected pupils.



Curriculum:

History - In our final history unit, we will learn about life in Baghdad during the 10th century and compare it to those who lived in London at the same time.

Geography - Year 5 will be investigating what is to be a Global Citizen, explore what is happening to our oceans and have an understanding of fair trade.

Computing - Year 5 exploring coding and how it can be used for selections in quizzes

DT - Children will have the opportunity to explore electrical systems where computer programming will be required in order to achieve a design brief.

French - This term, our units of study will be 'Olympics' and 'Clothing'. Children will focus on vocabulary and pronunciation and will have opportunities for role play. We will continue to use Language Angels a platform to deliver our lessons.

Art - Children will be expressing themselves through 3d sculpture. They will look at Giacometti's sculptures for inspiration and look at the work of many artists that create 3d sculptures.

RE:

- God - What does it mean if God is holy and loving?
- Gospel - What would Jesus do?

PE:

- Children will participate and house competitions throughout the summer term and will be actively involved with Athletics and Handball.
- OAA (Outdoor and adventurous activities), and Rounders

PE day is on Thursday

Science:

Properties of changes and materials
Pupils will explore different materials, their uses and their properties, as well as dissolving, separating mixtures and irreversible changes
Exploring everyday materials based on our

Homework:

Homework will consist of Maths, reading and spelling. Children are expected to read daily. Google Classroom will be used as a digital