

Year 5 Summer Term Curriculum

English

- * Our key text in the first half term will be the book *Brightstorm* and we will look at newspaper writing, diary entries and working in a fantasy world.
- * After half term our English work will be largely non-fiction. We will focus on several aspects of planning writing, including developing initial ideas, and looking closely at text structure and appropriate conjunctions.
- * The children continue to learn and practise using new words based on the texts. They will also be encouraged to correctly use the words from the statutory word lists in their writing.



Maths

- * We begin with Geometry. We will spend lots of time learning to recognise, measure and calculate angles. We will also look at regular and irregular polygons and 3D shapes.
- * We will learn to read and plot points in the first quadrant, and how to reflect and translate shapes on a grid.
- * Our number work will be around calculating with decimals and understanding negative numbers.
- * Finally, we will learn to convert units of measure and understand volume and capacity.

PSHE and French

- PSHE - Jigsaw
- * Using the Jigsaw programme children will think about healthy relationships and learn about how we change physically and emotionally as we get older.
- French:
- * We learn some basic words and phrases relating to traditions and celebrations.

Science and Computing

- Science:
- * The children will be learning all about life cycles and reproduction in plants and animals, as well as how humans develop to old age.
- Computing:
- * The children will be designing a web page using google sites, and thinking about how we use the internet safely focusing on relationships online.

PE and Music

- PE:
- * We start with Cricket, before preparing for sports day in athletics.
- Music:
- * This term we will be performing our production: Treasure Island. This show will build the children's choral singing skills as well as developing their speaking and listening.

Geography

- * We will be building our geographical skills and developing our field work as we learn about exploration and skills needed to explore, such as map reading, creating field sketches and using a compass.

Art and Design & Technology

- Art:
- * We will create art using printing techniques.
- D/T:
- * The children will develop their sewing skills, making a small felt toy.

RE

- * First we learn why the Torah is important to Jewish people.
- * We will then consider what different world views teach us about caring for the Earth.

INSPIRE ~ DISCOVER ~ SUCCEED