

Autumn Term 2023

In **English**, the children are exploring **Stories** on a theme: difference, adventure stories, biographies, recounts, poems on a theme: hope and our planet.

In **Maths**, the children are focusing on **Place value**, **Addition and subtraction**, **Multiplication and division** and **Fractions**.

Some reminders....

Homework is sent out on **Fridays** and is to be returned on the following **Wednesday**. A **spelling challenge** will also be completed on **Fridays**. Homework may be complete on **Google Classroom**.

Reading books are changed once the children have read their reading book and returned it to school.

Library books are changed on **Wednesdays** and can be changed during our **Library Lunch Club** on **Thursdays**.

PE will take place on **Mondays** and **Wednesdays**. Please ensure that the children's belongings are clearly labelled and that they bring their water bottles to school.

Please can long hair be tied up.

In **Science**, the children are learning about **light** and then **living things and their habitats**.

In **RE**, the children are exploring **Christianity**, **Sanatana**, **Dharma** and **Pagen** and focusing on **How is belief expressed?**

In **Art and Design**, the children are working on **portraits** and **sculpture and 3-d making**.

In **Computing**, the children are working on **music programming** and **stop motion animation**.

This term,
Year 5 will be
learning...

In **Design and Technology**, the children are learning about **textiles: combining different materials and shapes**.

In **Geography**, the children are learning about **oceans and why they matter**.

In **History**, the children are exploring **the Tudors**.

In **Music**, the children are working on **music and technology** and developing **ensemble skills**.

In **PE**, the children are partaking in **hockey, running, gymnastics** and **football**.

In **French**, the children are exploring **the journey to school**.

In **PSHE**, the children are reflecting on **Being me in my world** and **Celebrating differences**.

Some useful websites...

Education City -
<https://www.educationcity.com/>

Reading Plus -
<https://student.readingplus.com/seereader/api/sec/login>