Autumn term curriculum newsletter Year 5

English

This term, our Talk for Writing will be based around our key text, Percy Jackson. Children will explore traditional tales, fantasy stories, information texts and acrostic poetry.

In Reading, children will explore a range of texts while developing key skills including retrieval, inference, prediction, summarising and vocabulary.

Maths

This term in Maths, children will develop their knowledge across the following areas:

- Place Value
- Addition and Subtraction
- Multiplication and Division
- Fractions

Children will develop their fluency, reasoning and problem-solving skills throughout each unit.

Key information

Educational Visits: During Autumn 2, children will visit a church and the Space Centre.

Home Learning: Home learning books will be sent home every Friday and should be returned by Wednesday.

Science

This term in Science, children will explore Forces, Space and Global Warming, developing their scientific knowledge and enquiry skills.

History and Geography

This term in History, children will explore whether the Vikings were raiders, settlers or something else.

In Geography, children will investigate what life is like in the Alps.

Art and D.T.

This term in Art, children will explore sculpture and interactive installations, inspired by Yayoi Kusama.

This term in DT, they will explore electrical systems by designing and creating Wobble Bots.

Computing and Music

This term in Computing, children will explore the Internet and audio production.

This term in Music, 5JS will be learning to play the ukulele.

P.E.

This term in P.E. children will develop their skills in football and gymnastics.

Our P.E. day is Thursday. Please ensure children have removed earrings for this.

R.E., R.S.H.E. and M.F.L.

This term in R.E., children will explore Christian beliefs and places of worship.

In R.S.H.E., children will learn about wellbeing and healthy relationships.

In M.F.L., children will explore monster pets and space exploration.