

Year 5 Learning Journey

Summer 2



English

Much of our writing this half term will be linked to the story 'The Tempest'

We will read regularly with all children throughout this term and ask that you support your child/children at home with their reading as often as possible. Please record any reading they do in their reading records.

Spelling, grammar and punctuation skills will continue to be taught and will form an important part of each piece of writing.

We will continue to work very hard to develop letter formation and neat, joined handwriting.

History and Geography

In History we will look at Cordoba: city of light and How the worlds come together in Muslim Cordoba.

In Geography we will look at Deserts and the ways that deserts around the world are similar and different?

Science

Our topic this term is 'The Scientific Method'. In this topic we will be learning to understand investigations, variables, range of equipment and accurate, precise data.

PHSE

In PHSE, we will look at how we are 'Created to Live in Community'. This explores the individual's relationship with the wider world. Here we explore how human beings are relational by nature and are called to love others in the wider community through service, through dialogue and through working for the Common Good.

Parents as Partners

Please read with your child everyday and practise their spellings and times tables.

Art and Design / Design Technology

The theme this term is Textiles.
Children will experiment with and combine materials and processes to make multiple unit hangings, batiks and layered collage images.

Religious Education

In RE in the Summer term we will look at Stewardship and how the Church is called to the stewardship of Creation. We will also look at Ramadan and Pilgrimage of Islam.

Physical Education

We will be focusing on athletics. Children will understand pace and apply different speeds over varying distances. They will develop fluency and coordinating when running for speed. They will practice different skills in readiness for sports day.

Mathematics

We will be starting the term by looking at decimals. We will look at rounding decimals with 2 decimal places to the nearest whole number. Read, write, order and compare numbers with up to 3 decimal places and solve problems involving number up to 3 decimal places.

'Learning together in faith and love, we shine as children of God'

Computing

In this unit, we start to develop our knowledge of 'selection' by revisiting how 'conditions' can be used in programming, and then learning how the 'if... then... else...' structure can be used to select different outcomes depending on whether a condition is 'true' or 'false'.

Music

In this unit, we consolidate the learning that has occurred during the year. All the learning is focused around revisiting songs and musical activities, a context for the History of Music and the beginnings of the Language of Music.

Modern Foreign Languages

¿Habras español?

We'll be learning to express likes and say what I and others do.