

Curriculum Newsletter: Year 5

Our learning for the next half term...

Reading

We will develop our understanding of vocabulary and etymology to derive the meaning of new words. We will also improve our reading fluency across a range of texts whilst developing the comprehension skills needed to become an efficient reader.

Writing

Initially in writing, we are going to be building upon our prior knowledge of the fundamentals of writing. We will then be learning how to write a non-chronological report to inform others about the difference between two animals.

Maths

In Maths, we will be developing our understanding of Place Value and Addition and Subtraction.

Science

Separating Mixtures is our first unit in Science. We are going to use our scientific skills to investigate soluble and insoluble substances.



Geography

In Geography, we will be investigating World Trade. We will be exploring the differences between natural resources and fossil fuels and analysing which countries import and export certain goods.



Art

Illustrations will be our first focus in Art where we will be creating our own comic story boards.

Music

In Music, we will be exploring Egyptian music and how hieroglyphics can be used in musical notation.

RE

This half term in Religious Education we will be building on our knowledge of Hinduism and their ways of worship.

PE

In Physical Education, we will be working on our Outdoor and Adventurous skills by doing activities such as orienteering.

PSHE

In PSHE we will be finding out more about life in the wider world with a focus on careers and future aspirations.