

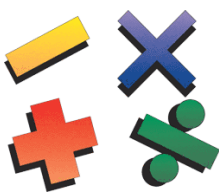
Year 5

Maths

We are starting the term with place value, learning to read, write and order numbers to 1,000,000. After looking at place value, we will develop our understanding of addition and subtraction.

We will also have regular arithmetic lessons, in which pupils will develop quick and efficient strategies to answer questions about the four operations and other areas of maths.

It is important that pupils continue to practise their times tables as all pupils must be secure with multiplication and division facts up to 12x12.



Computing

This term, we will be exploring coding in computing lessons using the 2code programme.

RE

We will be learning about Hinduism. This includes exploring important beliefs and values.



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Children should be reading regularly (e.g. 10 minutes, five times weekly with a brief comment in the reading diary each time). The changing of reading books is now the responsibility of each pupil.

A piece of Writing homework will be set weekly and will need to be completed neatly and returned by **Thursday** morning.

A piece of Maths and Reading homework is set on the Mathletics and Reading Eggs, and occasionally there may also be additional tasks set, linked to other subjects. Online homework should be completed by Friday.

English

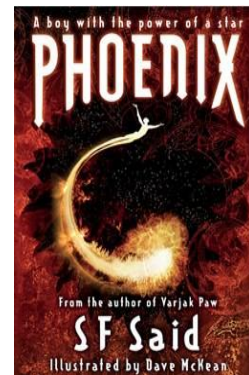
With a focus on SF Said's 'Phoenix', we shall be developing our creative writing techniques. This will include writing a range of different sentence types, use of adventurous vocabulary and use of a range of punctuation.

This book will also be the focus for our reading sessions this term.

Science

This term, we will be studying a range of topics including:

- ⇒ Age-related changes in humans
- ⇒ Life Cycles of Mammals, Insects, Amphibians and Birds
- ⇒ Fossils
- ⇒ Properties and uses of materials
- ⇒ Fair testing
- ⇒ Forces
- ⇒ Light



History

We will be learning about Ancient Greece. We will be looking at Ancient Greek artefacts and learning about key events that happened during the period

Geography

We will be learning about maps, biomes and climate zones. We will be looking at map work and using grid references.

Art

This half term, we will focus on circus art. We will be researching the work of an artist called Carl Crawford and practising his techniques.

PE

H5 have PE on a Wednesday and Thursday.
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This half-term we will be practising our netball skills and improving our fitness through circuits.

Please ensure your child comes to school in their PE kit on these days.

No earrings are permitted to be worn in lessons. Please ensure that if children cannot remove earrings independently, then they should let an adult take them out before school on PE days.