

Curriculum Overview – Year 5 - Term 2

Computing

In Computing we will be looking at how networks search for and pass on information.

DT

In DT we will be exploring the properties of different materials and using this knowledge make a musical instrument.

Science

We will be looking at properties and changes of materials. We will be exploring what makes a good conductor or insulator as well as how substances can change and whether these changes are reversible or irreversible.

History

We will be looking at the Anglo-Saxons and how the Vikings came to invade. We will be learning about how Saxon life changed after the Viking invasions.

R. E.

We will be continuing to explore the reasons that different people believe in a God with a focus on how religion and science refute and support each other.



P.S.H.E.

Our topic for PSHE this term will be 'Getting on and falling out.' We will explore the skills needed to work in a group and how to effectively solve conflicts.

P. E.

In P.E. this term we will be developing our hockey skills. We will be looking at different types of hitting and how safely stop a ball.

Home Learning

Your child should read their AR reading book every evening and take quizzes in school to work towards their target.

Homework will also be sent home and your child should complete a Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner before the end of term.

Please remember that your child will need a water bottle every day.

English

This term, we will be focussing on writing balanced discussions. We will think about how we can use the third person to ensure we remain unbiased. We will be considering how to use relative clauses to add extra information to our writing.

Maths

This term we will be learning to multiply by 2 digit numbers using long multiplication method. We will also be exploring the properties of regular and irregular polygons, looking at telling the time using digital and analogue clocks and solving problems involving time.

French

To learn the names of some instruments in French and how to give our opinion about them.

Music

This term, we will be appreciating some classroom jazz music thinking about style, rhythm and the different instruments used.