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Spelling / Handwriting

Each term your child will be sent home with a spelling and handwriting booklet to complete. The booklet will contain a list of spellings which children need to learn how to read and write in preparation for their weekly spelling test. It also contains a handwriting practise sheet to help children improve their handwriting and presentation of work in class. At the beginning of the year, your child will be given a list of words they should know by the end of the year which you can practise with your child on a regular basis.

Maths

Every Friday your child will be given a piece of maths homework to complete at home. This will be something that they have already covered in school. The homework needs to be completed for the following Friday.

Don't forget...

Your child will be heard read every week in school and this will supplement reading activities in lessons. We would appreciate it, therefore, if you could ensure your child brings their reading book and record into school every day.

Miss Barrow's class have PE every Monday and Miss Albrighton's class have PE every Friday. Please ensure that your child has the correct full PE kit on these days.

Year 5 Curriculum Leaflet Spring 2

In this leaflet you will find out about what your child will be learning during this half term and how you can help them at home.

It gives you information about what is going to be taught in all areas of the curriculum in school and suggests some ways in which you can get involved and help out at home.

We see this as a great opportunity for you to share in your child's education.

On the back page you will find further information regarding homework and what to expect each week.

Thank you for your support!

Year 5 Staff



Miss Barrow



Miss Albrighton

Out of this World!

Journey through space, the final frontier... Navigate beyond the Sun, the magnificent, blazing star at the centre of our solar system! Investigate the eight planets – Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune. Exploring space is probably the greatest adventure that humankind has ever undertaken. Are we alone or are there other life forms out there?



Our Topic

This half term our topic is space. Children will be developing skills in all areas of the curriculum through this topic. They will be understand how the model of the solar system has changed over time; understand how the solar system began; designing and creating an atmospheric piece in the style of Mark A Garlick; creating a programme to control the Mars robot; to design, make and launch a rocket.

We'd love for you to get involved and help your child get a better understanding of the topic. Perhaps you could research successful rocket designs and the eight planets in our solar systems.

Maths

In maths lessons children will be continuing multiplying whole numbers and decimal numbers using grid method; analysing and interpreting distance-time graphs; looking at angles within a shape; and solving word problems related to both time and money. We will also begin to divide whole numbers using grid method and become confident in recalling quick division facts.

Children will also be practising their 6, 7, 8 and 9 times table as well as their quick recall of basic maths facts. These are things you could help your child with at home.

RE & PSHE

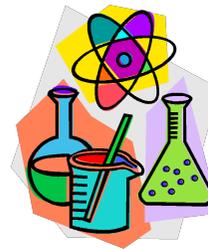
In RE, children will be researching how people who follow different religions make lifestyles choices based on their religion.

Our PSHE topic is 'Growing Up and Relationships'. Children will be discussing how relationships vary and what makes a good friend.

Science

Our topic for science this half term will be completed as part of our thematic topic 'Out of this World'.

During this half term we will have a week dedicated to a science topic.



English

During English lessons children will be reading the following book: George's Secret Key to the Universe. They will also be reading and analysing a range of texts linked to our topic. They will be creating a haiku poem, a persuasive letter from George, a non-chronological report on the solar system and a narrative piece based on their own planet. You could help children at home by taking them to the library to find books to read about different planets.

Children will be writing pieces including semi colons, parenthesis and using adverbials to link ideas in and between paragraphs.

Children will also be practising joining letters correctly and spelling words from the Year 5 word list correctly. You could help at home by practising handwriting with children and choosing some of the spellings from the Year 5 word list to practise with your child.

Reading

Your child will bring home a reading book to read to you. These books are chosen carefully based on assessments to help your child make the best progress with their reading. We would appreciate it if you could listen to your child read regularly and record brief comments in their reading record to let the teacher know how your child is getting on.

Your child will also be bringing home a library book to share with you. These books are chosen by the children and so may sometimes be quite difficult or seemingly easy for them to read. These books are for you to enjoy with your child rather than expect them to be able to read them to you.