



Year 5 Learning

Autumn 1

We'd like to welcome you to Year 5. We hope that you had a lovely relaxing summer away from the normal routines but are already feeling back in the swing of things.

We are very excited to continue this year with our new classes: getting to know the children, finding out about their hobbies and interests and ensuring they make progress in their learning. We're confident that this year will be full of new challenges for the children and there will be lots of exciting learning opportunities.

Autumn Term Topic – Create: Is there art without light?



We will be learning:

- About light, shadow and two- and three-dimensional forms
- To analyse sculpture and create our own from clay
- To explore architecture and styles of art
- How materials and colours interact with light
- The science of light and vision
- To plan and then create our own art installation in preparation for an exhibition

Our project concepts this term are *curiosity, innovation, exploration* and *the unknown*.

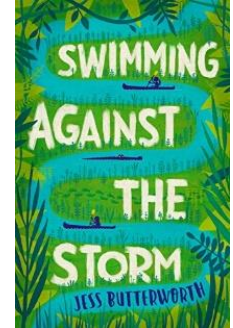
English Learning

In English, we will be looking at poetry and instructional writing in our unit “Revolting Rhymes and Recipes”.

We will learn to:

- Read and perform different poems
- Plan, draft and edit our own poems
- Write our own revolting rhyming recipes

We will then move onto our English text for the autumn term: *Swimming Against the Storm* by Jess Butterworth.

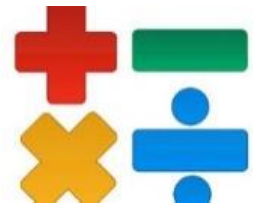


Mathematical Learning

This half term we are looking Place Value.

We will be:

- Reading, writing and ordering numbers up to 10,000 and beyond
- Understanding the value of each digit in numbers up to 10,000
- Looking at efficient methods for using the four operations to calculate numbers
- Using the inverse to check for errors in calculations
- Revising times table facts for up to 12x12
- Looking for multiples and common multiples



PSHE Learning

We will be learning about Family and Relationships as well as settling into our new place as role models for the school in Year 5.



French Learning

This half term we will be working through the unit *En Famille*, learning vocabulary and describing members of the family.

La mère	Le père	La belle-mère	Le beau-père
Le frère	La sœur	Le beau-frère	La belle-sœur
La grand-mère	Le grand-père	La tante	L'oncle (m)
La nièce	Le neveu	Le cousin	La cousine



How can you help?

Encourage your child to read regularly at home, both independently and to an adult.

- Lots of regular times table testing and quick maths skills following the instructions indicated on the home learning sheets. The faster the response, the better!
- Supporting your child with learning their spellings, discussing the meanings of words, putting them into sentences and reviewing spellings from previous weeks.
- All of this will be on the weekly home learning sheets.

Dates to be aware of for this half term:

- Tuesday 17th September – Individual/Family photos
- Friday 20th September – Parents/carers invited to “Meet the Teacher” at 2.30pm
- Wednesday 2nd October – Harvest Festival at St Margaret’s Church (9.15am Years 4-6; 10.00am Years 1-3; parents/carers welcome)
- Wednesday 9th October – Legacy Games event for all current Year 4 and 5 pupils at Angmering School (postponed from Summer Term).
- Monday 14th October – official opening of Tomlin Centre by author/illustrator Nick Sharratt
- Tuesday 15th / Thursday 17th October – Parents’ Consultation Meetings after school

Further dates and information may come out from the office throughout the half term.



If you have any resources you are happy to loan to us or have any particular knowledge about any of our learning focuses, please let us know.

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