



Year 5 - Autumn term 1

What are we learning...



ENGLISH

In English, the children will learn how to write instructions, an information text and an informal letter.

MATHS

In maths, the children will be learning about place value with numbers up to 1,000,000 as well as continuing with addition and subtraction.

SCIENCE

In science, the children will be learning about forces including friction, air resistance, water resistance and gravity.

HISTORY

In history, the children will be learning all about Ancient Egypt and looking at how much they achieved as a civilisation.

MUSIC

The children will be celebrating Harvest and extending their skills in pitch, rhythm and pulse.

ART

In art, the children will be researching Canopic Jars as part of our history topic. They will then design and sculpture their own jar using clay.

COMPUTING

This term children will understand computer networks, including the internet; how they can provide multiple services, such as the World Wide Web, and the opportunities they offer for communication and collaboration.

RE

In RE, the children will be exploring the main beliefs of Hinduism and looking at how Hindus worship at home.

MFL

In French, the children will be looking at objects within the classroom as well as recall previously learnt language.

PSHE

The children will be looking at how to face new challenges and explore democracy.

PE

Gymnastics
Swimming



MESSAGES

- Our PE days are Monday and Thursday.
- Each day, children must bring: a water bottle (water only, not juice); their reading book and reading diary and a raincoat.
- Children are allowed to wear stud earrings but these must either be removed, or covered with tape, during PE lessons (this is following health & safety guidelines).
- All other jewellery is not permitted.
- Please be aware that makeup, nail polish and dyed hair are not allowed at school.