

ENGLISH

We will be using Wonder to practise and develop our reading comprehension skills. We are learning about democracy by writing persuasive speeches and having elections for our School Council reps. We will continue to develop our writing through learning weekly spelling rules or practising words from our Spelling Lists; we are going to consolidate and learn new grammar through our Perfect Sentence sessions. We will be reading and responding to a range of poetry on the subject of Senses.

MUSIC

Year 5 will learn to play a musical instrument as part of the VIP music programme run by Mr C. Lloyd.

MATHS

In Maths we are focusing on place value, number, addition and subtraction. Year 5 need to be confident writing, ordering and comparing 5-digit numbers, Y6 work with 6 and 7-digit numbers and bigger.

Our On The Boil targets require quick recall:

Y5: Number bonds to 1000 (multiples of 5)

Y6: All number bonds to 1000

Please see our website for On The Boil resources.

Years 5 and 6

AUTUMN 1

WE'RE ALL WONDERS

SCIENCE

In science we will be finding out more about the Earth in space including the solar system, shadows and the lunar cycle.

P.S.H.E.

Lessons on the theme of 'Getting on and falling out' will allow children to consider ingredients for successful friendships, how to manage anger and strategies for rebuilding friendships.

P.E.

During our outdoor P.E. we will be acquiring rugby skills. In swimming this term, we are learning to use a range of strokes effectively such as front crawl, backstroke and breaststroke.

TOPIC

During these lessons we will gain a thorough knowledge of the water cycle, coasts and rivers, mountains, volcanoes, earthquakes, climate zones and biomes. In art, we will be exploring and recreating textures of materials found in Space.

COMPUTING

We will be learning about internet safety and how to deal with online dangers. We will then learn some presenting skills.