



English

We will be basing our learning around a number of texts: Farther and Tom's Midnight garden

A variety of genres will be completed in connection with the novels such as: setting descriptions. Persuasive writing, stories written from different view points and information texts. The children will be able to discuss, identify and use the features of the genres.

We will have a big focus on spelling this term.



Science

Describe the movement of the Earth. Moon and Sun. Name the planets in the solar system and talk about their properties. Properties materials - dissolving, separating, filtering, reversible and irreversible change.



PSHCE/SRE

Keeping ourselves and others safe linked to internet safety. Pressure groups and the impact they can have.



Maths

We will be deepening our prior knowledge about place value during mental starters. We will also continue to focus on times table and mental maths.

During main lessons, we will be focusing on fraction, decimals and percentages. The children will be taught to compare, order and convert fractions, decimals and percentages.

Problem solving and convince me will continue to be at the centre of deeper understanding.



PE

We will be focusing on athletics and tennis. The children will be taught to participate in a variety of event and will study the Olympic athletes. In tennis, the children will study how the use a racket correctly.



Music

We will be developing ongoing singing skills linked to local history. The children will compose their own music linked to space.

Spring

Term

Year 5



RE

We will be learning about the Bible and why is it important to Christians? The children will also study why is the Last Supper so important to Christians?



Computing

We will be studying e-safety and cyberbullying. Computing skills including word processing, internet research, data handling will be taught cross curricular.



History

We will be learning about local history. The children will study how the shipbuilding industry grow so rapidly and the impact it had on Sunderland and the surrounding areas.



Geography

We will be studying how to use an atlas. The children will develop their atlas skills and improve their geography knowledge. The children will be taught how to read a map and use grid references.

Homework/Spelling

Spellings and homework will be handed out every Friday. Homework is to be returned by a Tuesday. Spellings need to be learnt for the following Friday.



Art

We will be studying the style of a variety of artists and link our work to ship building.



DT

We will be working with a variety of materials to create structure that will resist water. The children will design and test their own design. This will be linked to Science and foundation subjects

Reading books

Reading books can be changed as often as possible. Children must return their book to be checked on a weekly basis. If books are not return they will be provide with time during breaks to catch up catch.