

In Maths, we will be looking at number work related to squared, cubed and prime numbers. We will continue to embed addition and subtraction whilst at the same time brushing up on our multiplication and division facts.

In Science, we will be looking at the properties of materials and changing states. We'll be investigating filtering and dissolving and exploring reversible and irreversible changes. We'll have fun working scientifically and completing lots of fair test work.

Dates for your Diary

November

16th—Visit from local archaeologist

Linda Beever

22nd – KS2 SPAG evening 18.00-19.00

23rd – school closed for staff training

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5th – Maths workshop

7th – non-uniform day + Pantomime.

9th- Christmas Fair, Jaggar Lane site

12.30-15.30

21st-Christmas performance at St Mary's Church 10.30-11.30

21st – School closes for Christmas.

our Year 5

Learning Question:

“What can we learn from pre-historic man?”

Autumn Half Term 2

In English, the children will be starting their class reader, 'Wolf Brother', by Michelle Paver. We will be exploring the characters and using drama to gain a deeper understanding of each one and the situations they find themselves in. They'll work on their speaking and listening skills by taking part in the drama activities throughout the half term, including work on tableaux.

In Topic, the children will work through the Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age; carrying out various written tasks. This will include the children using their skills to present a Dragon's Den Style pitch of a Stone Age invention such as the wheel or fire!



How can you help?

Please continue to encourage your child to read regularly and send in the Reading Diaries to earn those extra Dojos. Don't forget 'Spelling Shed' to support the use of the Year 5 weekly spellings.

Please continue to support them with their homework which is sent home every Monday and their practise of times tables. Please ensure that your child comes to school with their PE kit and swimming kit, whilst also encouraging them to start to take responsibility for this themselves.

In Music, we will be underscoring the Flintstones cartoon and 'foleying' the action with musical instruments.

In RE, we are looking at the alternative stories of Baboushka and in Art we are building Szopkas with integrated nativity scenes.

In PE, we'll be continuing to go swimming every Friday afternoon and in our other lesson we'll be focusing on basketball and gymnastics.

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