

Personal, social and Emotional Development

This half term we will be learning about the geography of the British Isles. Explore your local area and draw a map showing how to get from your house or the bus stop to our school.

RE –

Why might a Muslim visit Makkah or a Sikh visit Amsitar? You can create a blog entry, write a postcard or use or draw a picture with an explanation.

The Empty Box – Its your choice!

Communication, Language and Literacy

- Imagine you are organising a time travel BBQ. Explain which three explorers you would invite and why.

- Write a short biography about an Explorer who inspires or interests you. It can be anyone from present day or from the past.

- Collect a grammar sheet from Mrs Laverick to complete in your homework book.

- Keep learning your spelling bee words!

- Complete the 'Five books in a term' challenge: Read and write a review of 5 five chapter books by the end of term, include a drawing. We will use your reviews on the 'Book Review' board. Five HP to those who manage five books.

MFL – Spanish

- Collect a Spanish worksheet from Mrs Laverick to help practise your family vocabulary.

Physical Development

Watch 15 minutes of a sport on the TV- choose a player and write a review of their performance. Write 3 tweets (140 characters) analysing their performance.

Silver Birch Homework

Spring 1 2019 Pick and Mix

Each half term, Year 4 children should complete 5 pieces and Year 5 children should complete 6 pieces.

Knowledge and Understanding Science –

Create a poster/ fact file showing a comparison between two living things and their habitats.

Geog/History-

- Find a map of the world online and draw the routes of three famous explorers.

- Create a timeline showing when important discoveries were made by explorers.

Design and Technology-

Can you draw and describe the objects a Victorian explorer would have used on their journeys?

Create a list of supplies for an explorer, based on how long they will be away and how many crew are on board.

Creativity

Art – Explore different African art, can you make your picture in an African style? Can you create a piece of jewellery or artefact inspired by South Africa?

Music – Sailors used to sing 'sea shanties' while they worked on board ship. Find three examples of sea shanty from the days of the explorers.

Numeracy- Keep practising your times tables!

- Collect a worksheet related to your current maths target.

- Create a poster/ table which shows the relationship between decimals and fractions to help you remember.

- Look through an atlas and write a list of the ten nearest geographical neighbours of your home country. Organise them in order of distance.

-Log on to Abacus The Zone and play Maths games set to develop your skills.