YEAR 5 AUTUMN 2

CURRICULUM FLYER

ENGLISH

In English this term, we will be studying 'Beowulf.' Pupils will use this as a stimulus to write their own epic poem as well as writing a persuasive letter from the point of view of a character in the poem.

MATHS

In Maths, we will be exploring multiplication and division particularly looking at multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1000. We will then move onto fractions, looking at mixed numbers and improper fractions, as well as adding and subtracting fractions.

HISTORY

In History, we will be learning all about the Anglo Saxons. We will be looking to answer our enquiry question: How did the Anglo-Saxons change life in the UK?

RE

In RE this half term we will be continuing to look at Christianity. We will be particularly focusing on the concept of the trinity and the importance of Christmas to Christians.

SCIENCE

In Science, we are exploring Earth and Space. During these lessons we will be explaining the movement of the Earth, Moon and other planets; demonstrating how night and day are created and explaining how seasons are caused.

ART

In DT, we will be planning, making and evaluating our very own Christmas themed felt decorations. This will include learning new stitching techniques and applying them to our own designs.

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MUSIC

In Music, pupils are learning about song writing and will listen and sing different songs and add instruments including glockenspiels and ukuleles.

SPANISH

In Spanish we will be undertaking a writing project where pupils will design and write a paragraph about their 'dream town' in Spanish.

PSHCE

In PSHE this half term we will be understanding citizenship and how Parlisment works in the UK, as well as the role of the House or Lords and the G7.

COMPUTING

This half term we will be exploring what a computer is. Pupils will be identifying basic computer components and their function as well as exploring various input & output devices.

HOW CAN PARENTS HELP AT HOME?

Supporting your child with regular reading. We will check reading diaries on a Friday. Supporting your child with their Maths home learning particularly using TT Rockstars and MyMaths. A MyMaths activity will be set each Friday, with the aim to complete this for the following week. There is also an optional Home Learning Menu to enrich our topic learning.

PE

In PE, we will be doing World Games (indoor with Mr Jalland) which will include Danish Longball and Unihoc, and basketball (outdoor) with a focus on developing tactical awareness.