

# Year 5 – Term 1

Enriching generations to serve and flourish

## Empathy through time

This term our curriculum theme is 'Empathy through time'. This is all about looking at how our local area has changed.

In **Creative**, we will be looking at how Ditton has changed throughout time, and this will enable the children to have an insight into how their local community has changed and show empathy towards those who lived in Ditton at that time.

In **Maths** – we will be consolidating and extending our knowledge of place value before moving onto addition and subtraction in context.

In **Art** – we will be learning about famous artists that have created 3D sculptures, how to manipulate different materials and a range of new drawing techniques.

In **P.E.** – For Term 1 of Year Five, the children will have two sessions of PE a week: tennis and street dance.

In **French** we will be learning how to plan a trip to France, developing our speaking and conversational skills.

For **ICT** – we will be creating our own computer webpages and developing our coding skills.

For **Music** – This will focus on exploring genres of music from across the decades and we will then be creating our own pieces of music in the style of a chosen genre.

In **PSHE** – we are learning about the importance of family and links to the wider community.

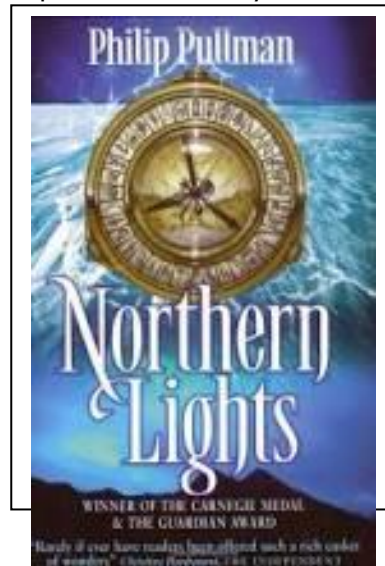
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In **R.E.** we are learning about God. We will be looking at the different books within the bible and sharing the stories and messages it provides Christians with.

### Class Prayer

Dear Lord,  
Thank you for schools and the chance to come together and learn. Thank you for our teachers and all the hard work they put in to giving us an education. Keep us in your heart as we challenge ourselves.

Amen



## Contact and Support

If you have any questions or would like to speak to us, please feel free to make an appointment through the office. It would be preferable that this appointment is made after school as the mornings are taken up with setting up and preparing the learning resources for the day ahead.

Miss Nazer, Mrs Nicholls and Mr. Hawkins

## Enrichment

### Trips

We are trying to arrange some local trips and will keep you informed as soon as these arrangements are finalized. Please be reassured that all the planning and risk assessments relating to such trips will be thorough and in line with government guidelines and COVID – 19 secure.

### Events

Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> September – Meet The Teacher via Zoom.

### Celebrations

We will continue to embrace celebration assemblies on a Friday morning via the zoom meeting platform and nominated children will continue to be recognized and rewarded for all their hard work with reading and across a variety of other subjects within the curriculum.

**PE days** - P.E. kits need to be in school on Thursdays and Fridays and taken home at the end of the week to be washed, ready for the following week.

**Homework** can be found on Kidblog.

Our Year 5 blog can be found at:  
[www.kidblog.org/5lnhn](http://www.kidblog.org/5lnhn)