



## Year 5 Curriculum Newsletter – Summer 1

### **Maths**

In Maths, we will be looking at decimals and percentages.

### **English**

During this term, we will be reading a range of stories about space. We will be looking at writing narratives, diary entries, newspaper reports and explanations. We will continue to broaden our vocabulary and use this in a range of different sentence types. We will be using a range of punctuation which will include brackets and dashes.

### **Science**

In Science, we will be finding out about space. We will be finding out about the planets and looking at why we have day and night. We will be writing our own explanations to show what we have learnt.

#### **Art**

In Art, we will be studying the artist David Hockney, and will create a landscape using paint. We will focus on the skills of drawing with

#### **History**

We will be learning about Baghdad in 900AD. We will compare it to Britain at the same time and look at a range of sources of

<p>perspective and mixing colours to create different moods.</p>	<p>information to help us to make decisions.</p>
<p><b>PE</b> We will be looking at Athletics and focusing on developing speed and agility and sustaining a constant running pace. We will look at hurdling and jumping a distance.</p>	<p><b>PHSE</b> Personal Safety. We will be learning all about how to keep ourselves safe online as well as in the community. We will look at how other peoples actions can affect us.</p>
<p><b>RE</b> We will be focusing on ‘The Journey of Life: What is so special about marriage?’</p>	<p><b>Music</b> We will be looking at notation and how we can plan different instruments. We will continue with brass band on a Monday morning too.</p>

**Important Information**

- PE is on Monday and Wednesday. Your child may come to school in their PE kit.
- It is important your child reads 3 times a week and their reading log must be signed and brought to school on a Friday.
- Homework will be handed out every Friday and uploaded to your Class Dojo portfolios. Please complete the homework each week and upload a picture to dojo.

