



A note from the Teacher

A massive welcome back to all of our fabulous children, we hope you have had a super Christmas break and are ready and raring for what promises to be a fun filled Spring term! This half term will see lots of different events, from trips out to Horizon for Y5 to the all important SATs preparation for Y6.

Below are just some of the interesting and exciting topics that we will be covering over the next six weeks...

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PE Timetable

Year 5	Year 6
Monday	-
Tuesday	Friday

Subject News

Reading



This half term UKS2 will be reading the novel *Shackleton's Journey*. We will be using our VIPERS to answer comprehension questions.

Science



In Science we will be learning all about SPACE! We have lots of fun sessions planned, learning all about the different planets and our solar system!

Writing



In writing we will be learning how to write narratives. We will retell the stories of *Jumanji*, *Elephant's garden* and *The Wolves in the Walls*.

History



In History, we will be learning all about the Roman era. We will understand the growth of the Roman Empire and the effects of Roman invasions.

Maths



In maths this half term we will be focusing on Geometry and all things shape! Children will learn about length, angles and how to use protractors accurately.

Art



In art this half term we will be studying the Artist Morag Myerscough, a modern artist who is famous for her bright and bold paintings/ murals.

Home Learning

Each week your child will receive various pieces of home learning:

- 1 x reading comprehension with questions
- 1 x maths based sheet/ times tables
- 1 x SPAG/ Spelling sheet to practice skills from SPAG week,
- 1 x Theme task- based on a topic we will be covering this term.

Your child will also bring home a reading book. Reading books will be changed once the child has finished their book so please ensure reading records are signed by an adult and then brought in daily.

Thank you for your continued support - Mrs Barraclough, Mrs Ashton and Miss Topham

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