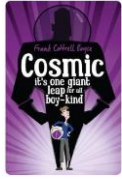


Reading



We will be reading 'Cosmic' by Frank Cottrell Boyce in VIPERS. We will be learning more about using quotes from the text and developing our use of different ways to structure our written answers.

Writing

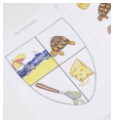
We will be writing instructions on how to make a paper Yoda. We will explore the features of an instruction text and then publish our own set of instructions. We will then be inspired by the picture book 'The General' to write poems and narrative texts.

Maths



We will start the half term by focusing on decimals. We will secure our knowledge of how to add and subtract decimal numbers, learn how to complete decimal sequences and check our understanding of multiplying and dividing numbers by 10, 100 and 1000. We will then learn about converting units of measure. We will also learn about measuring volume and capacity.

Art



Our Art unit this half term is all about 'Design for a purpose'. We will be designing a coat of arms, learning how to work to a design brief, thinking about giving a name to a design and creating an advert for something we have made.

Science



We will be learning about human growth and development in Science this half term. We will learn about the different stages of life from gestation to childhood to puberty to adulthood and finally old age.

Geography



We will be exploring the British National Parks in Geography.

Music



We will be learning about Musical Theatre in Music. Pupils will be introduced to musical theatre, learning how singing, acting and dancing can be combined to give an overall performance.

RE



We will be exploring the question 'What does it mean if God is holy and loving?'. We will be looking at what the Bible says about God, investigating how Christians reflect on their beliefs in God and creating artwork which celebrates a holy and loving God.

PSHE and ARCHIE



Y5 will be continuing their ARCHIE project where they become ambassadors at school, home and in the wider community. They will learn about puberty in PSHE through 1 Decision, which will also link with our science for the half term.

PE



On Tuesdays, we will have outdoor PE and we will be taking part in Outdoor Adventurous activities. On Fridays, we will be doing indoor PE and learning about Tennis.

French



We will be learning more French with Miss Cook on Wednesday afternoons.

Computing



In Computing, we will be learning about how quizzes are made and creating quizzes of our own.

## Home Learning Suggestions

Here are some learning activities related to our different lessons that you can do with your children at home to support their learning in school. This half term Y5 will be continuing to complete their CPG homework books alongside the creative home learning projects they are so brilliant at completing and sharing.

<u>Reading</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Read at least three times a week and record in your reading diary.</li><li>• We love hearing about your recommended reads- you could write and share a book review for a text you think your friends would enjoy.</li></ul>	<u>Writing</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Each week you will have a SPaG quiz to complete in your CPG book. Please return your homework each Monday.</li><li>• Practise your spellings. You can play spelling games on Spelling Shed.</li><li>• We love reading your creative writing- why not write a story, poem or fact file to share?</li></ul>	<u>Maths</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Each week you will have a maths quiz to complete in your CPG book. Please return your homework each Monday.</li><li>• Times tables are a key skill. Practise chanting or writing your times table facts. Play on TT Rockstars to improve your speedy recall.</li></ul>
<u>Art</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Create your own pieces of art which tell a story. You could use digital tools, paint, collage, drawing or printing to create your masterpieces.</li></ul>	<u>Science</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Create a book about the different stages of human life. You could have a page for babies, childhood, puberty and adulthood.</li><li>• Research and present information about what humans need for healthy growth and living.</li></ul>	<u>Geography</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Draw and label a map of one of the UK's National Parks.</li><li>• Make a poster about one of the National Parks.</li><li>• Visit the Peak District and bring some photos to share.</li></ul>
<u>French</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Learn some new French words and share with your class. You could even make an English-French dictionary page.</li><li>• Record yourself practising speaking in French on Seesaw.</li></ul>	<u>RE</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Write a prayer.</li><li>• Design a stain glass window.</li></ul>	<u>PSHE/ARCHIE</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The ARCHIE project comes with lots of tasks to complete at home- keep an eye out for information via email and on SEESAW.</li></ul>
<u>PE</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• We love to hear about how active you are out of school. Keep sharing your enjoyment and achievements from out of school sports.</li></ul>	<u>Music</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• We love to hear about your musical interests and achievements from outside school. Share a song or piece of music you have learnt or you enjoy.</li><li>• Listen to some different music and write about it- who was it by, what do you like/dislike about it, what instruments were used, how did it make you feel?</li></ul>	<u>Computing</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Create your own quiz to share in class.</li></ul>