



Curriculum Map – Autumn Term 2024

Year 5 – Attenborough and Darwin

ENGLISH / MATHS

Reading/Writing

We will be exploring a range of texts this term, including:

- The Boy, The Mole, The Fox and The Horse
- The Nowhere Emporium

We will be focusing on a range of writing outcomes, including:

- Characterisation
- Explanation text
- Setting descriptions
- Newspaper article

Maths

- Number: Place value (up to 1,000,000)
- Rounding numbers to 1 million
- Roman Numerals
- Number: Addition and Subtraction (4 digit numbers, inverse, problems)
- Fractions – improper, mixed, compare, add, subtract and order
- Multiplication and division

HISTORY

- World War 1
- Timeline and chronology
- What was life like in the trenches?
- Home front

MEMORABLE MOMENTS

Christmas Pantomime
Swimming

OUR FOCUS VALUES

- Resilience
- Responsibility

PSHE

- Collaboration
- Friendships
- Emotional needs

RE

- What do Christians believe God an Incarnation?

SCIENCE

- Space – solar system, moon rotation, night and day and changing shadows.
- Forces – gravity, air, water resistance, friction

MFL

- Listen to spoken language
- Explore patterns and sound of language

COMPUTING

- Online safety
- computing systems and networks
- sharing information
- vector drawings

ART

- ICT – green screen and animation

DT

- 3D globes – linked to Biomes (Geography)

MUSIC

- Rock
- Bossa Nova and swing music

PE

- Netball
- Invasion games
- Dynamic dance

GEOGRAPHY

- Bristol – studying an area of the UK.
- Focus: describing and understanding location and key aspects

DAILY READING

We expect children to read 5x a week at home. Home reading is vital to help your child make progress. We will regular check reading diaries - at least 3x a week. Please bring reading books in every day as they will not always be changed on a set day. It is important to not only read the book but to ask your child questions about what they have read to draw out their understanding and comprehension.

HOMEWORK

Homework will be set on a Friday to be completed and handed back by the following Friday. Homework will include a range of challenges set on Times Table Rock Stars, Spelling Shed as well as a range of writing activities, arithmetic and maths problem solving.