



Do What Matters Most

Be Yourself, Always

Show You Care

Succeed Together

English

This half term, Year 5 will be continuing to read and analyse a range of fiction, non-fiction and poetry texts during Shared Reading. The children will immerse themselves in and analyse, then plan and write a survival narrative as well as a survival guide. The children will continue to develop their spellings through 'No Nonsense Spelling'.

Maths

This half term, children will be expanding their knowledge of fractions, measurements linked to shapes and converting measurements. Arithmetic work will continue to focus on securing and practising core knowledge.

History/ Geography

This half term, the children will have a Geography focus during Theme lessons, looking at the topic of migration. The children will be learning about the history of migration in the UK, different types of migration, push and pull factors and how migration has shaped Manchester.

Science

This half term, Year 5 will continue learning about life cycles by focusing on a variety of animals. After completing this unit of work, we will begin a unit about Earth and space. The children will learn about celestial objects and their movements in space.

RE

This half term's big questions are 'What would the prophets do?' and 'Can we live by their values in the twenty-first century?'

Children will learn about religious teachings of the prophets across the Abrahamic faiths (Islam, Christianity and Judaism) and discuss whether we can continue to live by these values today.

PSHE

Using the Kapow scheme of work, this half term will focus on citizenship, rights and responsibilities.

Computing

The half term will always begin with E-safety. This half term's focus will further develop skills and understanding to enable the children to 'Be Internet Brave', practising being an upstander not a bystander. The children will also use Scratch to develop their coding skills, building on knowledge and understanding transferred from using Discovery Education's block coding. In our digital and multimedia work, we will be looking at what a search engine is and using Google effectively to search, narrowing search results and identifying safe websites.

<p>Art</p> <p>This half term's Art will be developing knowledge, skills and understanding of collage work, linked with Manchester and its changing population thanks to migration.</p>	<p>Spanish</p> <p>This half term's theme is 'Out of this World'. The children will learn and practise some planet related vocabulary. They will continue to look at masculine and feminine nouns and how noun gender affects adjective endings. They will also build upon previous learning to describe themselves.</p>	<p>PE</p> <p>During the half term, children will focus on developing striking and fielding skills through cricket and rounders.</p> <p><i>The children will need suitable footwear for outdoor PE lessons.</i></p>
<p>Music</p> <p>This half term, the children will continue to build upon their understanding of simple rhythms and notation covered during the Spring term. Each child will continue to learn how to play the ukulele with Ms Kent.</p>		