

### RE/PSHE

In RE, we will look at creating a loving and caring environment within the family unit and explore generosity across different religions. In PSHE, we will look at health and wellbeing including sleeping and sun safety.

### Computing

In computing we will focus on creating a vector drawing for a specific purpose. Year 5 will be able to understand how digital images can be made using shapes or pixels. They will be able to compare vector drawings to freehand paint program drawings.

### French

This half term, we begin to give detail to our greetings by adding opinions to our vocabulary. We do this by expanding our French phonics.

### Reading

In reading, we will continue to look at a range of texts and focus on fluency and comprehension skills.

### Maths

We will continue to revisit addition and subtraction with exchanging throughout the whole of Autumn 2. It is important that the children are fluent in this to be able to access our further topics. Additionally, we will begin multiplication and division, and will be exploring the formal methods for these and applying them to problem solving contexts.

## Year 5 Autumn 2 Curriculum Map

### Writing

The children will study *The Tempest* by William Shakespeare and focus on playscripts. They will write character and setting descriptions as well as dialogue. They will also read *Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief* by Rick Riordan with a focus on mythical narratives.

### Humanities (History/Geography)

In geography, we will continue to explore North America and consider how the people compare to us in the UK. In history, we continue to investigate how the Islamic Civilisation influences the modern world and take a deep dive into the impact of Baghdad and the Silk Road.



### P.E

During one PE lesson, the children will learn the skills needed to play badminton. With our Aston Villa coach, they will continue to develop their gymnastics skills.

### Music

The children will focus on Classroom Jazz which will involve them listening to Bossa Nova and Swing pieces. They will play notes on instruments and perform to an audience.

### Science

The children will learn about Earth and Space this half term. They will learn the reasons why we have day and night and how the solar system works. They will learn about how the Moon orbits the Earth and the Earth, and other planets, orbit the Sun.

### Art and Design Technology (DT)

Our art focus has been to explore the concept of 'perspective'. Children are now able to identify the vanishing point within an art piece and are able to create their own perspective artwork. Their research will now allow them to create their own structure using a number of resources.