

Honesty  
Kindness  
Responsibility

## Year 5 Curriculum Newsletter

### Autumn Term 2

Resilience  
Ambition  
Respect

#### English:

In English, we will be reading 'The boy, the Mole, the Fox and the Horse' by Charlie Mackesy. We will be focusing on developing our narrative skills and work towards writing a continuation of the story or writing the story from a different viewpoint. After, we will move on to a poetry unit about dangerous animals. In Whole Class Reading, we will be looking at a range of text types: The Highwayman, classic books such as Peter Pan and the Wizard of Oz, songs and Christmas Carols. The children will also have a chance to choose a book of their choice for our class book.

#### Maths:

In Maths, we will be continuing with the unit covering Multiplication and Division started towards the end of last half term. We will be focusing on mental mathematic skills in solving multiplication and division sums before revisiting and learning new strategies for formal written methods for calculation. Following this, we will be exploring Statistics and Graphs as we look at unpicking and problem-solving with data and embedding new vocabulary and new challenges.

#### Science:

Properties and Changing:

<https://www.kapowprimary.com/subjects/science/science-upper-key-stage-2/year-5/changes/>

#### PE:

Street Dance with Miss Farr

Hockey with class teacher

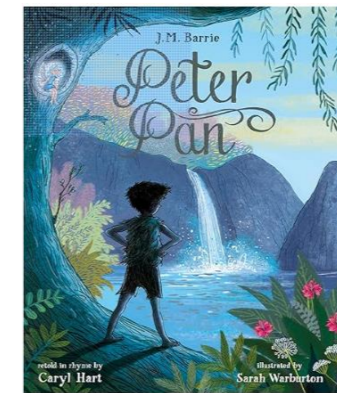
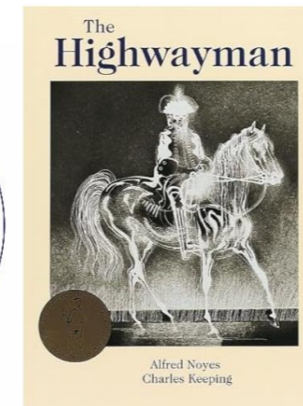
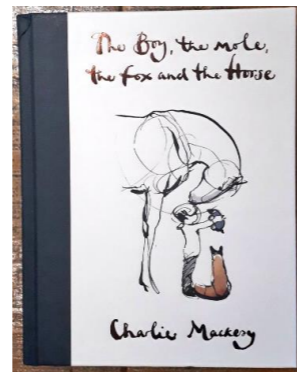
#### Geography:

Why does population change?:

<https://www.kapowprimary.com/subjects/geography/upper-key-stage-2/years-5-6/why-does-population-change/>

#### Music:

In music this half term we will be developing our rhythmic notation skills. We will be building our own groove compositions by learning about drumkits, basslines, riffs and melodies.



#### DT:

Navigating the world:

<https://www.kapowprimary.com/subjects/design-technology/upper-key-stage-2/year-6/digital-world-navigating-the-world/>

#### Computing:

Mars Rover 1:

<https://www.kapowprimary.com/subjects/computing/upper-key-stage-2/year-5/mars-rover-1/>

**French:** Shopping in France

<https://www.kapowprimary.com/subjects/french/upper-key-stage-2/year-5/shopping-in-france/>

#### Enrichment:

This half term we will be going to the pantomime on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December.

#### RE:

Why doesn't Christianity always look the same?

<https://www.kapowprimary.com/subjects/religion-and-worldviews/religion-and-worldviews-upper-key-stage-2/year-5/why-doesnt-christianity-always-look-the-same/>

#### Reminders:

PE days: Wednesday and Friday

Mathletics tasks to be completed by every Tuesday.

Reading record check every Friday

Class 5: Mr Harris

Class 6: Mrs Ball and Mrs Sanham