

Honesty
Kindness
Responsibility

Year 5 Curriculum Newsletter

Spring Term 1

Resilience
Ambition
Respect

English:

In English we will be finishing our poetry unit about animals. In the next unit, we will be studying a no-chronological report about Emperor Penguins and working towards writing our own report with a different focus. In Whole Class Reading, we will be finishing reading *Rooftoppers*.

Maths:

For the first few weeks, Year 5 will be continuing to develop their understanding of fractions and numbers less than zero. During this unit, children learn equivalent fractions and will add and subtract fractions with different denominators. Following this, we will explore decimal numbers up to three decimal places.

Science:

[Forces: Earth and Space](#)

RE: What happens when we die?

[Part 1](#)

History:

What did the Greeks ever do for us?

[Ancient Greece Kapow Primary](#)

Music:

We will be singing and listening to music with a 'Space' theme this half term, whilst continuing to develop our notation reading skills. Composition and improvisation opportunities will be based on music by Gustav Holst and Hans Zimmer.



French:

Verbs in a French week
[Verbs in a French week](#)

Art

[I Need Space Kapow Primary](#)

PSHE: What are the risks of handling money online?

[Economic Wellbeing](#)

Enrichment:

We will be visiting the Space Centre in Leicester on Tuesday 28th January.

PE: Tag Rugby on the field every Wednesday. Pupils will get muddy in this lesson so don't wear your best trainers! Friday is gymnastics in the hall.

Computing:

[Online Safety](#)

[Mars Rover](#)



Reminders:

PE days: Wednesday (Tag Rugby on the field) and Friday

Class 6 Forest School: 7th and 14th February

Space Centre trip: Tuesday 28th January

Class 5 Assembly: Wednesday 12th February 2025

Class 5: Mr Harris
Class 6: Mrs Ball and Mrs Sanham