

Respect  
Resilience  
Honesty

## Year 5 Curriculum Newsletter

### Spring Term 2

Kindness  
Self-belief  
Honesty

#### English:

In English we will be beginning a new unit which is based on the novel 'Cosmic' by Frank Cottrell-Boyce. Pupils will be creating their own narrative piece of writing which will include a range of writing features such as powerful vocabulary. In Whole Class Reciprocal Reading we will be reading space inspired texts and reports about energy.

#### Maths:

For the first couple weeks, pupils will be completing the unit on decimals before moving on to percentages. After these units we will move onto Roman Numerals and angles.

#### Science:

Forces and Space: Unbalanced Forces  
[Kapow link to Unbalanced Forces](#)

#### PSHE:

Health and Wellbeing  
[Kapow link to Health and Wellbeing](#)

#### Geography:

Where does our energy come from?  
[Kapow link to Where does our energy come from?](#)

#### Music:

In this half term we are completing a Unit of work called 'Introduction to Song Writing'. We will learn about lyrical hooks, and how composers use similes and metaphors for effect. We will use different genre style tracks to build our own songs.



#### French:

Verbs in a French week  
[Kapow link to Verbs in a French week](#)

#### DT

Electrical systems:  
Doodlers  
[Kapow link to Doodlers](#)

#### Enrichment:

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March - World Book Day  
Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March - Chris Mould  
illustrator visit (whole school)

#### PE:

Gymnastics and Golf

#### Computing:

Stop motion animation: Mars Rover 2  
[Kapow link to Mars Rover 2](#)

#### Reminders:

PE days: Wednesday and Friday

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

