

# Class Curriculum Information



**Year 5  
Summer Term 2**



**Time Traveller**

## CLASS NOTICES

### **Class Text**

Our class text is 'Tom's Midnight Garden' by Philippa Pearce. We will also be looking at 'Change Sings' by Amanda Gorman.

### **Reading**

All children will read for at least 10 minutes every day in school and we hope parents will do the same at home. Children will bring a reading record home so they can track their reading and share this with you. We would appreciate it if you could sign this off each week and talk to your child about what they are reading.

### **PE**

PE will take place on a **Tuesday**. Children can come to school in their kit (jogging bottoms/PE shorts/leggings and plain t-shirt/jumper with trainers) on PE days. **Class 5KE have swimming on Wednesdays (7.6.23 - 12.7.23)**

### **Homework**

Homework will be sent out every **Thursday** with it returning into school by the following **Tuesday**. If you have any questions about the homework, please come and talk to us. Each week your child will be given a set of spellings to practice at home.

**Please ensure your child brings in a water bottle, and school jumper/cardigan everyday. As the weather gets warmer, they may want a sunhat.**

## ENRICHMENT AREAS OF LEARNING

<p><b>English</b></p> 	<p>In English this term, we will be focusing on the book 'Change Sings'. We will use it to write a first person narrative which includes all the features of Year 5 writing. We will also watch the short film, 'Forever Young' and use this to inform our narrative.</p>
<p><b>Maths</b></p> 	<p>In Maths, we will be continuing to look at decimals and multiplying and dividing them by 10, 100 and 1000. We will be looking at negative numbers and begin to convert metric and imperial units and comparing an estimating volume.</p>
<p><b>Science</b></p> 	<p>We will be learning about the life process and reproduction of animals, including humans. This ties into the PSHE topic of 'Changing Me'. We will also think about the timeline of our own lives.</p>
<p><b>Computing</b></p> 	<p>We will be developing our knowledge of selection by revisiting how conditions can be used in programs. We will represent this understanding in algorithms and then by constructing programs using the Scratch programming environment.</p>

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<p><b>Geography and History</b></p> 	<p>We are going to learn about the history and geography of Bretton and surrounding areas. We will look at old photographs and discover how much Bretton has changed over ours and our parents lives.</p>
<p><b>R.E.</b></p> 	<p>In RE, we are continuing to look at why some people believe God exists. We will learn about what Christians, Muslims and Jews believe and what different people believe about God.</p>
<p><b>D.T/ Art</b></p> 	<p>In Art, we will create self portraits using a mix of colours. We will learn about simple paper mechanisms in DT and have a go making our own moving book.</p>
<p><b>P.E.</b></p> 	<p>Our PE will focus on developing teamwork skills through completed of a number of challenges. We will be working individually, collaboratively in pairs and groups to solve problems.</p>