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Year 5 Spring Term 1 Curriculum Map 2022

Curriculum Area	Topics
English	Pupils will be reading and exploring the text- Cosmic by Frank Cottrell Boyce . They will investigate how the plot in this story develops along with the characters and settings. Pupils will also look closely at the different types of sentences and word classes the author uses for effect in this text. They will then use the structure from shared writing to write their own story based on this story.
Maths	In Maths, pupils will be moving on to 4-digit multiplication, with a recap of multiplying by 2- and 3-digit numbers first. Within division they will explore partitioning and dividing 2- and 3-digit numbers before working with larger numbers. After this they will work with different representations of fractions. They will move onto a practical exploration of equivalent fractions before comparing fractions with drawings and diagrams. They will then explore improper fractions.
French	In French, the children will study the Unit Cher Zoo. They will learn names for zoo animals and some adjectives to describe them. Also they will use past tenses to recount a zoo visit.
Science	In Science, the children will study Electricity. They will learn to compare and give reasons for variations in how components function, including the brightness of bulbs, the loudness of buzzers and the on/off position of switches. They use and recognize symbols when representing a simple circuit in a diagram.
Geography	In Geography, the children will study- Changes in our local environment -What is it like to live in a National Park? In this unit, the children will find out about the regions of the UK, discovering how some of these areas have changed over time. The children will research how specific areas of the UK have been affected by change, before conducting a fieldwork activity on their own area, writing a magazine article and working towards the Big Finish.
Art	Inspired by Miro – Collage, Automatic Drawing, & Sculpture -In this unit the children will take inspiration from Miro's work, exploring automatic drawing as a surrealist technique, and developing the marks make through collage and construction.
Music	Recorder Children will be learning to play the Glockenspiel, including learning the names of notes and how they are shown as musical notes. They will learn to play a variety of songs with increasing independence, and to play notes of different lengths.
P.E.	This half term, Year Five will have their PE lessons on Tuesdays and Wednesdays . The pupils will develop their skills around dance – including movement sequences, strength and flexibility. They will also look at maintaining a positive mindset and creating positive habits in their lifestyle.
R.E.	What will make our town/village a more respectful place? In this unit the children will identify the religions and beliefs represented locally and regionally, and explain some of their key beliefs. They will describe examples of how different communities deal with diversity and interfaith issues.
P.S.H.E	Dreams and Goals Within this unit of work, the children will learn that they will need money to help them achieve some of their dreams and identify what their life might be like when they grow up. They will Investigate Jobs and Careers and know about a range of jobs carried out by people and their possible earnings.
Computing	2 Calculate - within this unit of work, the children will use spread sheets to help with conversions of measure and use text variables to perform calculations.