

## Maths

Adding and subtracting fractions and exploring multi-step problems and also multiplying fractions. We will learn to multiply and divide larger numbers using written methods and learn the best method to use for division and problem solving.



**Science:** Our topic this half term is Earth, Space and Beyond. The children will learn about what causes the seasons, sunrise and sunset as well as how the moon changes. They will explore how this all affects time.

## History:


Collins

Our topic this half term is the Mayan civilisation. The children will compare this to other areas of history that they already know as well as to their own lives now. We will explore what life was like for the ancient Maya and how their cities were lost and rediscovered.

# Year 5 - Spring 1

**Guided reading:** We will continue to explore the text 'Who let the Gods out?' Through this we will look at inference skills, clarification skills as well as retrieval.

**PE:** Pupils will be developing their Problem-Solving skills in Orienteering. They will also be developing body control and strength in Gymnastics

**Music:**  our music lessons we will be learning about 'looping and remixing'.

**Computing:** The children will learn about databases and how to record information appropriately.

## PSHE:

We will be learning about citizenship, looking at laws and how the justice system works. We will then find out about members of our community who contribute to society.

**English:** We will be exploring the text 'Chitty Chitty Bang Bang' and writing our own adventure stories. We will then use 'The Everyday Journey of Ordinary Things', which is an explanation text. Children will learn precise noun phrases including relative clauses.

## ART:

In art, we will be looking at using painting and mixed media portraits. We will learn how to mix print with materials and photos for effect.

## RE:

Our topic this term is 'Why do Christians believe Jesus is the Messiah'? We will learn about incarnation and how Jesus sacrificed his life.



Keep in touch through Seesaw. We will be sharing our learning with you at home.

