



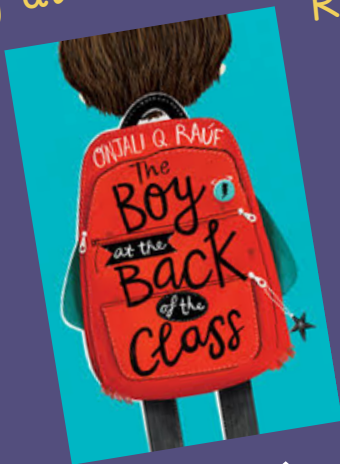
Year 5 Spring Topics



Respect • Succeed • Celebrate

READING

This term we are going to be reading 'The Boy at the Back of the Class' by Onjali Q Rauf.



WRITING

This term we will be writing a range of fiction and non-fiction texts.

We will be applying both familiar and new spelling rules and strategies, as well as developing our handwriting fluency.



MATHS

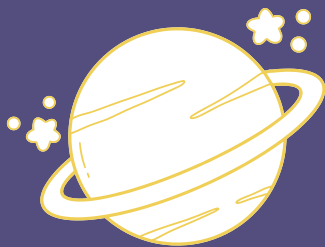
We will be continuing our lessons on fractions. The children will build on their knowledge of adding and subtracting fractions and learn how to multiply them.

We will be also be looking at decimals and percentages.



SCIENCE

We will be learning about forces and space. We will learn about how the Earth moves around the sun, why we have days and nights and the different planets in our solar system.



R.E.

We will be exploring the theme of being open, honest and truthful.

We will look at what it means to participate and lead, as well as being modest and listening to others.



P.S.H.E

We will be looking at living in the wider world.

We will explore the themes of community, responsibility, media literacy and digital resilience as well as money and work.



P.E.

During Spring 1, 5H will be swimming each Thursday.



5F will be developing their gymnastics skills

ACROSS THE CURRICULUM

In Geography we will be learning about volcanoes and then move on to learn about Greece.

We will further our creative skills learning to create a moving vehicle.

We will also take part in music and French lessons.



Important Information

- English homework will be set on **Mondays** and returned on **Thursdays**
 - Maths homework will be set on **Thursdays** and returned on **Mondays**
 - Please make sure your child brings their book and book bag to school everyday
 - 5F:** PE is on **Tuesdays** for Spring 1
 - 5H:** PE is on **Thursday** for Spring 1 (Swimming)
- We will be outdoors wherever possible, so please ensure your child comes into school wearing their PE kit suited to the weather conditions. When swimming, children need to bring their swimming kit to school in a bag.

How can you help?

- Listen to your child read everyday. This will help your child progress and develop an enjoyment for reading. Your child's reading diary should be signed when they read at home.
- Talk to your child about their day. Ask what they have enjoyed about each day. Being able to answer questions in full sentences will help your child develop their vocabulary and understanding.
- Make sure your child gets lots of sleep
- Bring in a water bottle everyday

Thank you for your support, Mrs Hull, Miss Francis, Mrs Begum and Mrs Goodridge