



## Year 4, 5 & 6 – Autumn 2 Overview

We have an exciting half term ahead. Here is an overview of the topics that we will be covering in Year 4, 5 & 6

Subject	Topic		
English writing – Everyday	<p>Our English writing lessons this half term are based around the books 'The Promise' and 'Night Mail'</p> <p>The Promise: Through the sequence of learning, children will explore the language of the text in order to create a sequel using a synonym of the word 'promise'.</p> <p>Night Mail: using the poem 'Night Mail', which was written in 1936 to accompany the documentary film of the same year and the same title children will write a poem with similar structure</p>		
Spellings– tested on a Friday	<p>Year 4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• /shuhn/ spelt 'sion'</li> <li>• /shuhn/ spelt 'ssion'</li> <li>• /shuhn/ spelt tion</li> <li>• /shuhn/ spelt cain</li> <li>• Ough</li> <li>• Statutory spellings challenge words</li> </ul>	<p>Year 5</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Silent letters</li> <li>• Modal verbs</li> <li>• 'ment'</li> <li>• Adverbs of possibility and frequency</li> <li>• Statutory spellings challenge words</li> </ul>	<p>Year 6</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Able</li> <li>• Ably</li> <li>• Word families</li> <li>• Creating diminutives using prefixes micor/mini</li> </ul>
Maths – Everyday	<p>Year 4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Measurement – Area</li> <li>• Multiplication and division</li> </ul>	<p>Year 5&amp;6</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Multiplication and division - Long division</li> <li>• Fractions</li> </ul>	
Science - Monday	<p>Our next Science topic is all about space. Children will learn about: the solar system; the planets; modelling; motion of the earth and planets; planet earth; day and night and the moon.</p>		
Geography – Wednesday	<p>Our first topic in Geography is Mountains. Children will learn about: landform, rising above land; The Apls, The Himalayas, Mount Everest, The Andes, The Rockies, The Appalachians and Kilimanjaro</p>		
Music – Thursday	<p>This half term we will be learning the song, ' A Wish for Peace' to perform at Sewstern Remembrance day service.</p> <p>We will also be learning songs form WWII, where we will be developing greater accuracy in pitch and control; identifying pitches within an octave when singing and using knowledge of pitch to develop confidence when singing in parts.</p>		
PE – Wednesday and Thursday	<p>Our first PE lesson, Work Out Wednesday, is alongside the whole school, in house teams and our second PE is Gymnastics with Mrs. Orridge and Mr. Henson.</p>		
Computing – Monday	<p>In computing this half term, we will be developing our understanding of word processing, where we will edit images, change the look of text, add features to a document to enhance its look and usability, use tables and consider page layout to include headings and columns.</p>		

DT – Tuesday	The first DT topic of the year is structures, where we will be designing and making a playground.
RSHE – Tuesday	This half term we will be celebrating differences. We will think about how everyone is different; how we can include others when working and playing; know how to help if someone is being bullied; why we should try to use kind words and know how to give and receive compliments.
RE – Friday	This half term we will be developing our understanding of the Muslim faith.
French – Friday	This term we will be learning to talk about my family in French.

Please ask us about our learning, we cannot wait to tell you what we have learned!