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	<u>Topic</u>		
English writing – Everyday	Our English lessons this half term is based around the book 'Romeo and Juliet' written by William Shakespeare. During the sequence, children will create their own playscripts and formal debates.		
Spellings— tested on a Friday	Year 4 Adding suffix -ous Adding the suffix - ous (no definitive root word) Adding the suffix 'ous' words ending in 'y' or 'l'. Adding the suffix 'ous' words ending in 'e'	 Year 5 Unstressed vowels in polysyllabic words Adding verb prefixes de- and re- Adding verb prefix over- Covert nouns or verbs into adjective using suffix – full Converts nouns or verbs into adjectives suing suffix – al 	Year 6 Ambitious synonyms: Adjectives Homophones Adjectives ending in - ant/ance/ancy Adjectives ending in - ent/ence/ency Hyphens
Maths – Everyday	Year 4 & 5 Multiplication Division Fractions Area	Year 6 Multiplication Division Fractions Area Bodman Square and cubed numb	pers
Science - Monday	In science this term we are looking at the solar system and all that it contains. We will be doing a class assembly on the solar system at the end of the term.		
Geography – Wednesday	In we will be focusing on spatial reasoning and map skills. We will also be looking at the four hemispheres and using latitude and longitude. Furthermore, we will be looking at 2 and 4 figure grid references.		

Music –	Our first topic in Music the children are looking at south African culture. Using		
Thursday	African instruments and learning cultural dances.		
PE —	Our first PE lesson of the week will be swimming and the second on a Wednesday		
Wednesday and	will be based on cardiovascular fitness.		
Thursday			
Computing –	In computing we will be looking at databases. How they are created and why they		
Monday	are helpful. We will also look at internet safety.		
D&T -	In D&T the children will be designing doodle boots with integrated circuits and		
Tuesday	motors.		
RSHE –	This term we be looking at celebrating difference. This topic will include lessons		
Tuesday	on, different cultures, racism and types of bullying.		
RE —	This half term we will be developing our understanding of Jesus Christ and his role		
Friday	within Christianity. We will also be focusing on the creation story and collective		
	forms of worship. We will also focus on the use of poetry in the bible.		
	We will also be going on a multifaith trip to look at Hinduism in Leicester city		
	centre.		
French –	This term in French we will be looking at numbers up to 31. How to ask and tell		
Friday	someone your birthday, as well as asking how to spell things using the alphabet.		

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