

English

Our children will enjoy writing a horror piece, based on The Graveyard book. We will have a focus on powerful vocabulary and direct speech.

Welcome Back!

We hope that you had an amazing and restful break over Easter, and we look forward to another successful term in Year 5.

Maths

We will continue with a focus on arithmetic this half term to help prepare for Year 6. In our lessons this half term, the focus will be on shapes and angles.

Science

This half term we will be on Animals including humans. We will be exploring life cycles of various species of animals and discussing how animals and plants reproduce to keep the life cycle going. For example, eggs and asexual reproduction.

History

Our focus will be on the Benin Kingdom in Africa. We will investigate how it was ahead of its time in terms of cleanliness, sewage systems and streetlights and look at the impact of British control.

Computing

Our focus this half term will continue developing the children's understanding of how to stay safe online and how to protect passwords.



PE

The children in year five some Year 5 children will continue swimming lessons this half term at Harvey Hadden Sports Village. The rest of Year 5 will be looking at the skills needed for rounders.

Geography

Your children will continue to look at map skills this term with more of a focus on contour lines, our local area and how it compares to others.

Music

The children will be learning about key features in classical music and how it evokes a specific mood and atmosphere.

RE

We will revisit our learning in the religion Sikhism. The children will explore key aspects in Sikhism and explore what it means to make commitments including learning the 5K's.

PSHE

This half term we are beginning to think about relationships both in person and online. This will build on what we're covering in Computing to explore both the positives and negatives with online relationships.

Dates to remember...

29.04.24 Year 5 Parents residential meeting 7th, 8th, 9th of May- Intu University trips.