



# YEAR 5 SPRING TOPICS 2017

## Numeracy

This term there will be a special focus on developing mental maths strategies and solving word problems

## Science

- Dissolving
- Properties of materials
- Keeping healthy



## Do mountains grow as they age?

A Creative Curriculum unit about mountains, incorporating geography, history, science and art.

## PSHE

- Going for goals
- Good to be me

## PE

- Basketball
- Bwoka

## RE

- Questions of meaning and forgiveness

## Music

- Exploring structures
- Keeping healthy

## English

- Persuasive writing
- Myths and legends

## Computing

- Programming

## French

- Numbers
- Animals



## Are rivers lazy?

A Creative Curriculum unit about rivers, incorporating history, computing, science and art.

## Other Useful Information

### Independent Reading

We expect children to read regularly at home and to bring a reading book with them to school every day. Please encourage your child to read widely (in different genres), making time to talk to them about their reading.

### Spellings

Each week there will be a spelling focus. Children will be set a list of words each Monday and these will be focused on in the week's lessons. The children should also revise the list at home, as they will be tested on it the following Monday.

### Maths Homework

Maths will be set each Monday by your child's maths teacher and is due in by Friday. Also, please support your child with learning their times tables.

### Learning Log

For each Creative Curriculum topic, a series of tasks will be suggested and the pupils will need to complete a number of these over a period of time. The exact details will be glued in the Learning Logs.

### PE Kit

PE kit is needed on Tuesdays and Fridays

### Trips and Visits

This term, Year 5 will be going on the residential visit.