

# Year 5

# **English**

### Maths

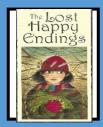
In Maths we are studying units on decimals, negative numbers, converting units and volume.

This will include learning about:

- Adding and subtracting decimals
- Comparing and ordering negative numbers
- Converting between different units of length, weight and time.
- Estimating volume and capacity.

This half-term we are reading:





We will be finishing our text from Summer 1 – Kaspar Prince of Cats by Michael Morpurgo and the children will be writing a newspaper article about the sinking of the Titanic.

After that, we will be reading The Lost Happy Endings by Carol Ann Duffy. The children will be writing a letter, exploring poetry, revising the use of direct speech, writing a diary entry and a story ending. Their final outcome will be writing a prequel to the story from an alternative perspective.

### Summer 2

#### RE

Our big question in RE this half term is:

How do Muslims live and embrace their faith in a diverse world?

## <u>Science</u>

In Science our big question is:

What do we know about life cycles?

The children will be learning about the differences in the life cycles of mammals, amphibians and birds.

# Geography

Our big question this term is:

How can we make our world more sustainable?

The children will be learning about how our world is changing due to climate change and the steps all of us can take to help take care of our planet.

#### Art /DT

In DT, we will be learning about cooking and nutrition by adapting and cooking a classic Bolognese recipe.

### Computing

In Computing the children will be continuing to use Google Drawings to create vector drawings.

#### Music

The children will be learning to play the Djembe drums with a specialist drumming teacher.

#### PE

In PE the children will be developing their skills in cricket and OAA (Outdoor Adventurous Activities)