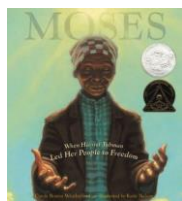


Dates for the diary:

- 11/11/24 – Remembrance Day Assembly
- 11/11/24- School nurse drop-in session for families (9:00-10:00)
- 12/11/24- Wear odd socks for Anti-bullying week
- 15/11/24- Wear spots for Children in need day.
- 09/12/24- Hanukkah Assembly
- 13/12/24 Christmas Jumper day
- 17/12/24- Christmas lunch day for Y5
- 19/12/24- Winterfest (15:30-17:30)
- 20/12/24- End of term 2

We are Writers

Narrative unit: Moses by Carole Boston Weatherford



During our writer's unit, we will study the lyrical text, Moses, as we re-introduce figurative language and subordinating clauses to write a high-quality story ending with a focus on atmosphere.

Non-fiction: Persuasive argument

In this unit, we will use the key text, Moses, where we will learn the structure and grammar features to form an effective persuasive argument. We will then apply this knowledge within our historians writing later in the term.



Handwriting and spelling

Across the school, we will be completing spelling three times a week and, on a Friday, we will practice those spellings in our handwriting lesson.

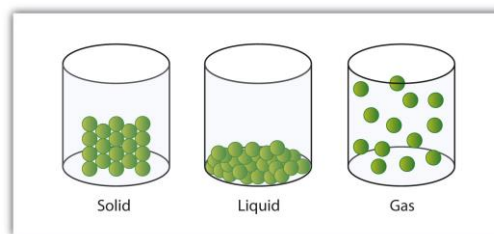
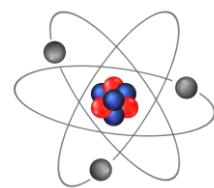
We are Self-Aware Citizens

This term, year five will be 'Celebrating Differences.' During our weekly PSHE lessons we will be discussing and celebrating differences across the world whilst also having important discussions about racism.



We are scientists!

Towards the end of this term, we will be learning all about atoms and how they make up the world around us. We will explore reversible and irreversible reactions and draw conclusions from them.



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We are historians!

In this unit, we will continue our learning journey about the Roman Empire. We will be learning all about the long-lasting impact that Romans had on Britain. Alongside our historic knowledge, we will be recapping our knowledge of counties within England. We will finish this unit by writing an argument about why the Romans were good for Britain.



General reminders

PE Days for Y5 are Tuesday and Thursday.

Bookmark checks and Reading Tree book swaps for Y5 is on Mondays.

Please ensure your child is coming to school in the correct uniform daily. We ask children to remove jackets or hoodies in class as they are not part of the school uniform policy.

Please, no personal pencil cases or toys to be bought in from school; we have everything the children need!

We are Mathematicians

This term we will be looking at negative numbers in a range of contexts. We will place them on number lines using our knowledge of place value to support us as well as reading them on at different intervals and on a range of graphs. We will also be becoming confident in multiplication and division as we become familiar with strategies such as short division and short multiplication, including when regrouping is required.



This term we will also be...

Athletes! - Our PE lessons will focus on Funfit! These lessons will help build fundamental movement skills. We will be mastering basic movements including running, jumping and throwing. We will also develop our balance, agility and co-ordination. For Term 2, 5EA will have their Tuesday PE lessons supported by our PE coaches from Bristol Sport.

Linguists! - We will be learning key vocab linked to habitats in our Spanish lessons.

Computer Scientists! - We will develop our understanding of coding.