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LFARNING COMES ALIVE IN YEAR 5!

SCIENCE

In Science, we will conclude investigating the big question, 'What is Earth's address in Space?' We will be able to describe the movement of the planets relative to the sun the moon's movement relative to the Earth, and why we have day and night. Next, we will explore Making new Substances!

<u>PSHE and RSE</u> Using our 'SCARF' resource, we will explore 'Keeping Myself Safe'. Through our assemblies we will continue to develop our awareness of the protected characteristics and our school learning principles.

GEOGRAPHY, HISTORY and SPANISH

In History, the children will complete their learning on 'How did the IOW survive the Beeching Axe?' before moving on to explore the question, 'What makes Scandinavia distinctive?'

In Spanish, we will learn vocabulary relating to school subjects and adjectives to describe our feelings about them. We will give opinions on subjects, building confidence using reflexive verbs 'gustar' (to like) & 'encantar' (to love) andtheir negatives. Skills in reading, writing, speaking and listening will all be developed and children will progress their knowledge and understanding of phonics, grammar and vocabulary.

ART, DT and MUSIC

In Art, children will be exploring the work of renowned artist, Freida Kahlo,

In music, children will focus on learning to play the recorder.



Happy 2024 to you all and welcome to the Spring Term! Our values this half term are Patience. Unity and Love. We will also continue to actively promote the British Values: *Democracy *Rule of Law *Individual Liberty *Mutual Respect and *Tolerance of those with Different Faiths and Beliefs. We will continue to actively use the Zones of Regulation.

ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES We are looking forward to a belated celebration of 'Los Reyes', an exciting theatre visit, and an exciting learning experience relating to Scandinavia.

RE

Through the theme 'The Good Life', we will be exploring the key concept of a good life.

COMPUTING

Our learning in Computing will embrace 'Selection' in Physical Computing and Video Production

PE Our focus is American Football and Bollywood dancing. (PE days are Wednesday and Friday, and we can wear our PE kit to school.)

OUR TEXT-DRIVERS

'The Day War Came' and 'Pandora Discovered'

ENGLISH This half term, we have two very different text drivers for our writing learning journeys: one is a powerful story, which we will access in the form of a picture book, as well as experiencing it being read by the author, whereas the other is a video clip from the film 'Avatar'. Both of these have been chosen to appeal to the children's imagination and to stimulate further quality writing on interesting topics. There will be a strong focus on improving the structure of our sentences and developing cohesion within our paragraphs. Through Fred's Teaching we will continue to improve comprehension and prosody.

MATHS

We will continue to be busy both consolidating skills and carrying out new learning in Maths this half term. Areas of learning we will tackle include multiplication and division and fractions, which we will add, subtract, order, compare and find equivalents of. Children will also be continuing to improve their speed of recall of basic facts, such as times tables and addition and subtraction facts.

HOME LEARNING

Please continue to support your child in completing their home learning using Seesaw and any other resources provided. This will be set on a Friday and is due in on a Wednesday. Learning will include Maths, Reading and Spelling/Grammar. Please ensure reading is recorded on Go Read and also please support your child in regularly revising their times tables learning.