

Important Dates

World Book Day - 6th March.

Careers Fair - 7th March

Edinburgh trip - 5SC: 13th & 14th March.

Red Nose Day - 21st March

Edinburgh trip - 5RH: 26th & 27th March

Break up for Easter - Friday 4th April

Children to return - Monday 21st April

~~Keep checking the website and Twitter for up to date news and events.~~

Topic (Geography)

Our topic this half term is continuing to look at coasts. We will continue to use software to look at directions and grid references of the local area, we will use coordinates and explore what happens during coastal erosion and the impact this has on our local community.

Science

The children will be learning about plant and animal life in their Science topic this half term. In this topic, the children will develop their knowledge of the life cycles of a range of different living things, including: plants, reptiles, amphibians, mammals, birds and insects.

Literacy

This half term, we will be writing a diary entry base on a character from, 'Who Let the Gods Out?' by Max Evans. We will also be writing a story which focuses on building suspense with a story about finding some troublesome treasure.

Art and Design

This term they will be focusing on the topic 'I Need Space' in art. They will be focusing on understanding retrofuturism, developing skills in evaluating images and creating art through various drawing processes, including collagraph printmaking.



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Jigsaw

This unit is called 'Healthy Me.' Children will be looking at how to sustain a healthy lifestyle in every aspect: physically, psychologically and emotionally.

Maths

This half term, we will be covering work on angles and position and movement. This will develop the pupils' ability to handle more diverse problems involving angles, including identifying, measuring and drawing angles, translating and reflecting shapes and plotting point on a graph. They will also be starting to look at measurements.

Each half term we will send a newsletter detailing what we will be covering in the curriculum and any other important information. If you would like further details, please speak to your child's class teacher.

PE

Children need to come into school wearing their school PE kit on a Tuesdays and Wednesdays. They will participate in gymnastics, where they will focus on various jumping techniques, as well as landing safely. They will also be focusing on net/ball games where they will learn tennis skills.

French

Unit : Verbs in a French week.
During this half-term, the children will learn verbs in a French week. They will learn a range of french verbs for common activities such as walking to school and playing with friends.

Music

Mrs Gray will teach music. Year 5 will be focussing on learning about different types of folk music, including historic protest songs.

Religious Education

We will continue our unit on Faith in Action, focusing on Christianity, Islam and Judaism. We will also be looking at The Resurrection. This will include the meaning of a vocation, kindness and commitment.

Children need to bring their Reading Records into school each day and must read at home at least 3 times a week. They need to go on Reading Plus and TT Rockstars once a week.