

**Parent Curriculum Information Sheet
Summer Term 2023-24**



Year 5
Mr Edwards

<p>As readers and writers, the children will continue reading for information and for pleasure across a wide range of text types, as well as developing their control over writing through the use of e.g. specific vocabulary choices, in order to create a particular effect on the reader.</p>	<p>As mathematicians, the children will continue to refine their calculation strategies. They will also learn about less common shapes, deepen their understanding of decimals and learn to describe the position of objects in the four quadrants. They will also learn about negative numbers.</p>
<p>As scientists, children will learn about how plants and animals reproduce, as well as the main stages of animal life cycles – including those of mammals, reptiles, insects, birds and amphibians.</p>	<p>As geographers, children will learn about a contrasting locality – South America. They will focus on ‘population’, learning about where most people live and why, as well as exploring issues associated with high and low populations of people.</p>
<p>As theologians (R.E), children will explore the ways Jesus behaved, why he did this and what mattered to him.</p>	<p>As historians, children will learn about the Industrial Revolution and how it impacted the people of Britain.</p>
<p>As dancers, children will create circus-themed movements using both apparatus and equipment, working in a small group or a pair.</p>	
<p>As team players, children will learn how to utilise skills associated with attack and defence to help their team be successful. Children will also develop their understanding of tactics and their sense of fair play. This will take place through rounders.</p>	
<p>As athletes, children will learn how to become more successful in a range of running, jumping and throwing events, focusing on technique and trialling different ways of doing things to see if they can improve.</p>	
<p>As citizens (PSHE), children will learn about the changes their body may go through during puberty and complete an enterprise project.</p>	<p>As computer scientists, children will learn how to use vectors to make more accurate drawings. Additionally, they will learn how to program a multiple-choice quiz.</p>
<p>As artists, children will learn how to use printing to make repeating patterns. These will be inspired by repeating patterns found in plants.</p>	
<p>As technologists, children will learn about how to make a sturdy structure and will design and make a polytunnel using these learned principles.</p>	<p>As musicians, children will learn about the hip-hop and soul genres. As part of this, they will learn to accompany songs with instruments and compose their own music.</p>

- Please ensure that your child has their reading book and diary in school every day.
- Please ensure that your child has their PE kit in school every day.

Thank you so much for your continued support and if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.