



Termly Curriculum Overview Letter

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Teacher	Mrs Sanders	Class	5
TAs	Mrs Gallini & Mrs Shave		
Term	3		

Mrs Sanders will continue to teach the class. Mrs Gallini and Mrs Shave will be our class TAs. Mrs Gallini will be covering the class on Monday afternoons for Mrs Sanders' PPA (planning, preparation and assessment time).

P.E will take place on Tuesdays (on the field) and on Wednesdays (in the hall- when we are not swimming on a Friday).

Main Areas of Learning to be covered

- English: We will be reading *The Last Bear*. We will be describing characters and settings. We will also have a focus on non-fiction texts, looking at layout and sentence structure. We will learn about more advanced punctuation such as, how to use semi- colons and colons in our writing.
- Maths: We will be continuing to learn about fractions. This includes comparing, ordering, adding and subtracting fractions. We will then move onto multiplication and division.
- Science: We will be learning about Earth and Space.
- RE: This term we will be asking 'Why do Hindus try to be good'?
- Wider Curriculum: In Geography we will be learning about North and South America: how diverse are their places and landscapes?
- In computing we will be using Purple Mash, and in PE we will be doing dance, ball games and swimming. In Art we will be making a mask. Our topic in Spanish will be Habitats. Our PSHE topic 'Dreams and Goals'.

Homework

We expect your child to read every day and record their reading in their reading record book. Reading record books will be checked every Friday, but we expect them to be in school every day.

Spellings will be taught using the No Nonsense Spelling Scheme, during early work. Spelling lists may be sent home, but we will not be doing formal tests.

Numbers club will take place once a week, and certificates will be awarded in Friday's worship. Please ensure children are using TTRS regularly.

Homework will also be set on Century Tech every Friday.





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Christian Value

Each term we will focus on a different school value. This term, our whole school value is Generosity.

Throughout the term, we will explore this value in our classrooms and during whole school collective worship, encouraging children to show love through their words, actions, and attitudes towards their learning, their lives, and others around them. We will talk about how love can be expressed in simple, everyday ways, such as kindness, patience, and respect. To celebrate and encourage this, each Friday we will present **Value Awards** to children who have been shining examples of love in action. We hope this focus will inspire our pupils to create a caring and supportive school community where everyone feels valued. Please see our term 1 values flyer for more information.

Love 

Independence 

Generosity 

Honesty 

Teamwork 