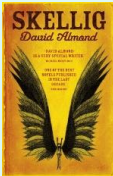



English		Maths		Science	
<p>Our class novel for this half term is Skellig by David Almond. We will be using this text for both our Shared reading and English lessons. We will focus on the features of persuasive writing and using the correct register for formal writing. We will be using relative clauses, prepositional phrases, expanded noun phrases, modal verbs in our grammar lessons. Our reading, will focus on character development and identifying themes within a story with specific skills of retrieval, inference, choice of language, summary and prediction being taught.</p>		<p>In Maths, Year 5 will be working on statistics, shape, and position and direction, developing their skills in interpreting and presenting data, identifying and describing a range of 2D and 3D shapes, and using coordinates, translations, and rotations to understand how objects move and change on a grid.</p>		<p>This half term in science, we will be exploring Living Things and Their Habitats, learning how different plants and animals reproduce, how their life cycles compare, and how each species is adapted to survive and thrive in its environment. We will also be learning about influential naturalists such as Sir David Attenborough and Jane Goodall, exploring how their work has helped us understand animal behaviour, conservation, and the importance of protecting habitats around the world.</p>	
					
<p>Year 5 – Summer Term 1– 2025-2026</p> <p><i>Our Changing World</i></p>					
History	PSHE and RE	Art	Music	Computing	PE
<p>In History, we will be studying Liverpool during WW2.</p>	<p>Our topic in PSHE will be Relationships. We will be learning how to build self-esteem. How online communities may be unsafe, uncomfortable, helpful or unhelpful.</p>	<p>We will be exploring the themes, styles and colours of traditional Chinese Art. There will be a focus on the theme of dragons. We will look at the importance of brush strokes in Chinese Art as well as replicating Chinese calligraphy. We will investigate the terracotta army and finally find out and recreate porcelain of the Ming Dynasty.</p>	<p>Looping and remixing. Musical Style – Electronic Dance Music. We will be looking at how this music is made using percussion and loops and how the tracks are mixed into each other.</p>	<p>In computing, we are learning how to make stop-motion animations by taking lots of photos and putting them together to create the illusion of movement. It's all about tiny changes adding up to a smooth animation.</p>	<p>Year 5 will develop their basketball skills, and a number of athletics disciplines.</p> <p>This half term, the children will be taking part in Football sessions, where they'll develop teamwork, coordination, and ball-handling skills. Through fun games and match play, they'll build confidence, learn key tactics, and enjoy being active outdoors.</p>
Spanish					
<p>In Spanish, we are learning the "In the Classroom" topic, practising how to name common classroom objects, talk about school subjects, and understand simple instructions.</p>				