

Y5 Curriculum Information

Topics covered this half term include:

Science – Materials: Changes of state, Gases all around us, Solutions and Filtration, Reversible and Irreversible Changes

Computing – Paint program to produce a Christmas card; animated stories; using the internet for research; word processing the Christmas story for Reception.

R.E. Islam and the five pillars; Christmas celebration and ritual.

History – Henry VII, the Battle of Bosworth, Henry VIII and his wives, Tudor Christmas.

PE – High Five skills (similar to netball); Y5 MS swimming. Young Sport Leader Programme. Real PE Scheme Unit 2

Art & Design – Tudor portraits, Tudor Christmas decorations, curve stitched calendars; painting techniques.

Modern Foreign Language – French lessons

Music – Termly Samba Drumming (Y5PM)

Literacy

Some of the work covered in Literacy this half term will include

- Writing the Christmas Story for Reception.
- Examining form and style in modern and descriptive poetry eg. rhythm, rhyme, similes, alliteration.

- Finding information in non-fiction texts linked with the History topic.
- Understanding tenses.
- Spelling prefixes – cir, bi, tele, trans and auto.

Mathematics

The pupils in Y5 are set for maths and the work is planned to meet the needs of the group. This is particularly the case in number work.

Some of the work covered in oral maths this half term will include

- Table facts from the x2 table up to the x10 table.
- Rounding 3 digit numbers to the nearest 10 or 100.
- Add/subtract any pair of 2 digit numbers.
- Multiplying whole numbers by 10 and 100.
- Doubling and halving multiples of 10 to 1000.

Some of the work covered in topic maths this half term will include

- Area
- Multiplication
- Fractions
- Decimals
- Geometry
- Statistics

