

## Literacy

**Story Focus: 'Oliver Twist'** by Charles Dickens

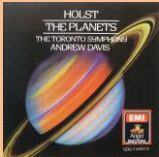
We will describe some of the settings and characters in this Victorian novel.  
We will write an alternative chapter ending.

We will research and write a **non-fiction report** about the social issues (e.g. workhouses and orphanages) highlighted in Oliver Twist.



## Music

We will compare and contrast the music of Holst's 'Planets Suite.'



We will compose our own 'Space' themed music.

## Art/DT

Artwork for the Art Show based on the theme 'Under the Sea'

## PE

**Folk Dance** – learning traditional figures and formations.

**Basketball/handball** – to develop passing and dribbling skills and game tactics..



## Maths

Fractions, Decimals & Percentages

Add/subtract fractions with related denominators.  
Recognise and convert between mixed numbers and improper fractions.  
Round decimals to 1 or 2 decimal places.  
Calculate multiples of 5% off a given number.

## History and Geography

**Focus:** We will focus on what life was like for **children in Victorian Britain** using different historical sources such as diaries, photographs, letters and records.

## Americas/Antarctica Y5 Classes

Spring Term 3 – 2020  
TIME AND SPACE



## Collective Worship

Assemblies will be daily and linked to our value this term: **'Truthfulness'**

## RE ~ Hinduism

We will consider how Brahman can be everywhere and in everything?

## PSHCE

We will be thinking about 'going for goals'.

## Computer Programming

We will understand and explore the concept of **digital art** and create art from tessellating shapes on the iPads..

## Science

### The Earth in Space

We will explore the relationship between the Sun, Moon and Earth.

We will develop an understanding of the moon's phases, day & night, and the four seasons.

We will investigate the Sun and planets which make up our Solar System.

## Spanish

This term we will be learning the names of farm animals and pets.

## How you can help

Please continue to encourage your children to complete all set homework.

We also need children to become fluent in all times tables up to 12 x 12.

Daily reading – either listening to or reading with your child to build their fluency and enjoyment of reading.

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- You can also include a 'How you can help' box.
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- Choose some images that indicate your Topic and make it bright and colourful