

Literacy

Story Focus: 'Oliver Twist' by Charles Dickens

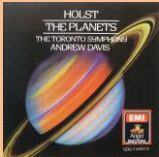
We will describe some of the settings and characters in this Victorian novel.
We will write an alternative chapter ending.

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 'Food, Glorious Food.'

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 – 2021
TIME AND SPACE



Collective Worship

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

RE ~ Hinduism

We will consider how and why believers help others through charity and service.

PSHCE

We will look at our rights and responsibilities and the links to caring for the environment.

Computer Programming

We will learn how to carry out searches in databases and how to create them in Purple Mash.

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.