

**Be
Ready**

**Be
Respectful**

St Anne's C E Primary School

Year 5 Curriculum Overview Autumn 1

**Be
Responsible**

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Mathematics

In the first half of the Autumn Term, pupils will explore important mathematical concepts through the White Rose Mathematics framework.

They will deepen their understanding of place value, focusing on numbers up to one million, and develop their skills in addition and subtraction, tackling whole numbers with more than four digits.

Ongoing: Arithmetic, reasoning and times tables
– Thank you for your commitment to supporting learning at home through homework.



Science

Materials: Mixtures and separation

This Autumn half term, Year 5 pupils will explore various types of mixtures and the methods for separating them. Students will dissolve different substances, investigate the effect of temperature on solubility, and design water filters, sieve soil, and evaporate solutions, fostering their scientific inquiry skills.



Characteristics of Learning

Perseverance

Listening

Team work

Kindness



Wow Moment!

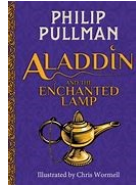
This autumn term, Year 5 students will embark on an exciting journey inspired by Philip Pullman's adaptation of Aladdin. They will experience a captivating 'wow' moment, igniting their creativity as they write a 500-word story for the BBC 500 Words competition, fostering their passion for storytelling.

**500
WORDS**



English

Writing: High Quality Texts:
Aladdin and the Enchanted Lamp
by Phillip Pullman



This Autumn half term, students will explore 'Aladdin and the Enchanted Lamp' by Philip Pullman. From the globally best-selling author of His Dark Materials, this beautifully illustrated retelling captivates readers.

Pupils will expand their vocabulary by describing characters and settings before crafting their own traditional tales.

Reading: Weekly Whole Class Reading lessons and opportunities for reading for pleasure.

History

British history 5: What was life like in Tudor England?

This half term, Year 5 students will explore the Tudor period, focusing on the contrasting reigns of Henry VIII and Elizabeth I. They will examine how monarchs shaped their public images through portraits and royal progresses.

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Religious Education

Unit 5.1: The Bible

This half term, Year 5 will explore the importance and impact of the Bible in Christians' lives, while also developing an understanding of the significance of holy books across various world faiths.



Computing

Online safety: Year 5

In this first half term of Year 5, students will explore fundamental computing concepts, focusing on online safety and potential dangers, fostering responsible digital citizenship in an increasingly connected world.

Physical Education

This autumn half term, Year 5 Physical Education will be delivered by Wigan Warriors on Mondays and by the class teacher on Tuesdays.



Forest School

Forest School is a child-centered learning process that takes place in the natural setting of the schools own woodland area, offering opportunities for holistic growth through play and exploration. Forest Schools will take place on Tuesday 17th September this half term.

Homework and Reading

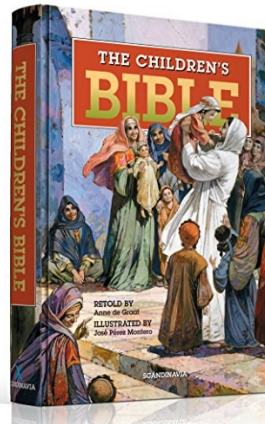
Please make sure children continue to complete their homework weekly and reading books are returned daily.



Spanish

Unit 1: Dates in Spanish

This Autumn half term, Year 5 students will embark on an exciting journey into the Spanish language, focusing on mastering numbers up to 31 and learning the months of the year. Additionally, pupils will discover how to express the date and explore vibrant Mexican birthday traditions.



Art and Design

Painting and mixed media: Portraits

This Autumn half term, Year 5 students will explore self-portraits by various artists. Using photographs of themselves as a foundation, they will create their own unique self-portraits in mixed media. This engaging project encourages creativity and personal expression while developing artistic skills.