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**Curriculum map Spring 1 – Year 5**

Subject Area	Content
<p><b>Power of Reading/Topic</b></p>	<p>For Spring 1, our book is called The Adventures of Odysseus. This links to our history topic on Ancient Greece and provides another aspect and insight into the historical period. Our history lessons will be linked to this scheme to help support our writing in English.</p>
<p><b>English</b></p>	<p><b>Spoken Language: poetry performance, debating</b> Children will continue to be encouraged to give well-structured explanations and to improve their command of standard English. Children will also consider and evaluate different viewpoints.</p> <p><b>Reading: The Power of Reading – The Adventures of Odysseus</b> Children will compare the structure and features of a range of stories and look for different ways that information is revealed or events are presented, (e.g.) dreams, settings, letters. Children will use their inference skills to make predictions.</p> <p><b>Spelling, vocabulary, grammar, punctuation:</b> Children will be refreshing all skills but focusing particularly on punctuation, speech, sentence structure and consistent use of tense.</p> <p><b>Writing: reports, stories, recounts, poetry, playscripts</b> Children will develop character, setting and atmosphere in their writing and will improve their proof reading and editing skills. Children will write a story and there will be an emphasis on developing vocabulary.</p>
<p><b>Maths</b></p>	<p><b>Number:</b> This term, Year 5 will concentrate on using number skills and concepts to develop our reasoning skills through a range of problem solving tasks.</p> <p><b>Number – fractions, decimals and percentages:</b> Children will learn how to multiply fractions and solve problems using fractions; they will also learn percentage equivalents.</p> <p><b>Measures – area, perimeter, volume:</b> We will learn how to calculate area and perimeter of squares and rectangles and of compound shapes. We will also learn how to find the volume of a cube/cuboid. Children will learn to convert units of measure.</p> <p><b>Geometry – 2D/3D shapes, angles:</b> Children will cover reflections and translations of shapes. They will look at the properties of 2D and 3D shapes and will learn how to measure and draw angles.</p>
<p><b>Science</b></p>	<p><b>Working scientifically:</b> Children will be investigating and evaluating forces and also recording results in tables.</p> <p><b>Science content:</b> Children will be exploring Earth and Space this term. They will look at the different types of force and use practical equipment to measure force.</p>



<b>ICT</b>	Children will continue learning about spreadsheets and move on to learning about the basics of databases.
<b>Topic</b>	<p><b>Art and Design:</b> Art will be taught by our designated art teacher.</p> <p><b>History – Ancient Greeks</b> Year Five will be learning about Ancient Greece, this will include looking at the empire, mythology, gods and goddesses and political systems. We will also be having a Greek day workshop. This topic will also link to, enhance and be enhanced by our work in English lessons and our Power of Reading book The Adventures of Odysseus,</p>
<b>Music</b>	<p><b>Charanga</b> Children will learn to compare phrases of a known song by comparing beats in a phrase and comparing tempos.</p> <p><b>Musical Instrument- Ukulele TBC</b></p>
<b>PE</b>	Children will be taking part in dance and dodgeball activities.
<b>Spanish</b>	Children will continue to learn from a Modern Foreign Languages teacher.
<b>PSHE</b>	<p><b>Going for Goals</b> Throughout the theme children explore how to work towards and achieve targets.</p>
<b>RE</b>	<p><b>Judaism and Christianity</b> Children will be comparing and contrasting Judaism to Christianity</p>
<b>Educational visit</b>	We will be having our trip and visitor next half term.