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DT request

We need lots of empty cube tissue boxes for our DT learning this half term.

Please send as many as you can into school—we need one per child!

Swimming kit reminder

Year 5 swim every Wednesday morning. Your child will need their costume or shorts on under their school uniform, and a bag with their towel and goggles/hat if required.

If anybody has spare kits, goggles, hats or swim bags they no longer need, school would really appreciate them. Thank you!



Heroes



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English

We will be using the Marvel collection as our exciting text this half term. We will meet different superheroes and enjoy writing character descriptions and narratives. We will also read about other heroes, such as Cyrille Regis and discover how ordinary people can be heroes too.



Art/DT

We will be creating cam mechanism toys using accurate measuring and joining skills.



Geography

We will begin by learning about what a settlement is, linked to our History from Spring 1. We will then evaluate what makes a good settlement and thinking about place names.



Maths

We will be using our knowledge of shape properties from Spring 1 to find out more about rectangles and compound shapes. We will also find out how to use a protractor to measure angles and to find the volume of 3d shapes. We will have fun learning how to multiply fractions

MULTIPLYING FRACTIONS BY FRACTIONS

STEP ONE $\frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{2}$ STEP TWO $\frac{3 \times 1}{4 \times 2}$ STEP THREE $\frac{3}{8}$ Simplify?

STEP-BY-STEP

$$\frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{2}$$

and will be able to use our excellent times tables skills to make this easier!



Science

Why do things fall to the floor? How can you measure forces? How can we slow down falling objects? We will be carrying out lots of investigations to find the answers to these questions, and many more! We will also be celebrating British Science Week with our STEM fair!



Computing

What can we find out from a database? Can we make our own?



Music

Learning to perform a song with a syncopated rhythms.



French

We will be learning about French places to give directions.



PE

We will continue to swim every Wednesday and enjoy hockey the sports coach every Tuesday.



How to support your child at home:

Please encourage your child to read regularly at home, either independently, with a sibling or with an adult. We ask that reading diaries are signed three times a week to earn Read-It Tickets!

Regular practise on TTRockstars is also encouraged to keep improving fluency in times tables.

RE and PSHE

RE— We will be learning about the Easter story this half term, particularly the hardship and suffering Jesus endured. We will reflect on how we have witnessed unfairness and what can be done about it.

PSHE — Me and My Safety. We will be discussing times when we have felt safe and unsafe, and sharing strategies to react in different situations. We will also discuss techniques to respond

