



Autumn in Year 5

Our Autumn Topic Space

As geographers...

We will be comparing the UK to the Western USA and how this area is used for Space exploration. We will look at the physical and human features of both areas.

As historians...

We will be looking at the Space Race in our history topic and look at the key figures and nations that launched us into space. We will also celebrate Black History Month and learn all about black heroes in the past and present and link it to our Space topic.



Enrichment Activities

We will be visiting the Science Museum and discovering the Wonder Lab. We will spend time looking at the Forces and Space areas and putting our knowledge and lessons to the test.

As scientists...



We will be learning about forces and space this term. During our lessons about forces, we will learn all about push and pull forces such as gravity and air resistance.

During our lesson about Space, we will learn about the planets, their characteristics and how they move.



As individuals and part of society...

We will be talking about the 4Rs and how to incorporate these in our life at school and as part of the society. We will learn about respecting others, keeping safe and how to manage risks.



As athletes...

We will be playing football and practising our gymnastics skill. We will also be working on our balance while sitting and standing.

As theologists...

We will be learning about how the Hindus worship and what Hindu Dharma is. We will be learning about the diversity in Christianity and Christian worship and how this compares to other religions.

As musicians...

We will be learning all about music technology- Synths, Drum Machines and Dance Music. During Autumn 2 we will also be rehearsing for our Christmas performances.



As computer technicians...

We will be discovering what is flat file data and how to it and we will also learn about spread sheets and be able to produce our own spread sheets by the end of term.

As artists...

We will use Chromatic art styles to compose a picture a self-portrait in the style of an artist we have studied.



In DT we will be looking at textiles and make our own prints.