

## Year 5 Curriculum Overview

5<sup>th</sup> June 2023 – 21<sup>st</sup> July 2023

***Please note, Miss Cain and Mrs Hambleton will be away with Year 6 in Manor week beginning 19<sup>th</sup> June. Mrs Macfarlane will cover 5S and Mrs McEvoy will cover 5J for the week.***

### **Geography**

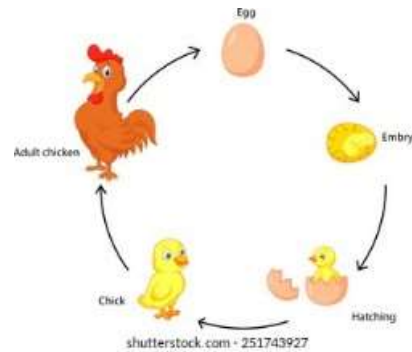
In Geography this term, the children will create and complete an enquiry into the human and physical features of Hartley Wintney. They will visit Hartley Wintney on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June to complete the fieldwork. They will then do a comparison with Banff in Canada as this is on the same line of latitude (no trip to Banff though, unfortunately!)

### **Computing**

The children will use Microsoft Excel to create and edit spreadsheets. They will use data collected from their athletics lessons last term to create a table and a chart.

### **Science**

We will start the term by studying lifecycles of different animals, such as amphibians and birds. We will then go on to discussing changes which occur during puberty.



### **Design Technology**

The children will continue to design and make a moving toy, based on a character of their design, using one or two different shaped cams. They will follow the design process from their initial ideas through to the final product, editing and improving as they go.



### **Physical Education**

Children will be able to take advantage of the summer weather (hopefully) and participate in both PE lessons outside.

They will be developing their striking and fielding skills in rounders. Their second lesson of the week will be developing their hand eye coordination skills through tennis.

### **Religious Education**

We look at the difference between the terms Special Places and Sacred Places and the children look at this within their own lives.

We also compare and contrast a Christian Church and/or Cathedral and a Muslim Mosque and the various parts of these places and their meaning.

### **Music**

This half term, children will be learning to play the djembe drum from West Africa. They will learn some call and response patterns and experiment with improvising their own patterns.

## French

This half term, year 5 will be continuing to revise their French work to date. They will also learn about the 'Tour de France' linking to their Geography work from this year.



## PSHE

The children will learn about the importance of health and hygiene. They will also consider how their bodies change as they grow older as part of their 'Sex and Relationships' education (SRE). On Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June at 7pm, there will be a webinar for parents, which will explain in more detail the SRE curriculum.

## English

During the first week back, we will study poetry based on nature. Later in the half term we will read and study the book, Journey to Jo'Burg by Beverley Naidoo. We will be identifying and discussing the themes and language used throughout the book, using the skills of inference and deduction. The children will produce some persuasive

writing based on the book. The children will continue to have dedicated time to focus on editing and improving their work.

In spelling, the children will focus on words that they have made mistakes with in their work, as well as the following rules:

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Suffix -ive  
Suffix -al  
Prefix -de  
Prefix -re

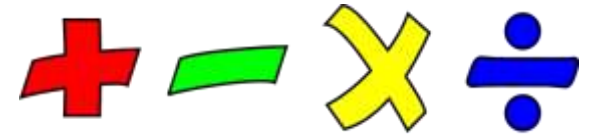


## Mathematics

In Mathematics this term the children will be learning to:

- Converting units of time
- Converting units of measurements (including units of length and weight)
- Reading and interpreting timetables
- Estimate and compare capacity
- Translation of shape (including coordinates)
- Reflection of shape (including coordinates)
- Finding lines of symmetry

- Describing position and drawing on a grid.



All of the children have login details for the Times Tables Rock Stars website. They can practise this at home whenever they like! It is a fun way to improve their times tables recall. Every other week they will have a competition set as part of their homework.



We will also be completing assessments for reading, maths and SPaG (spelling, punctuation and grammar) this term.