

English

We will write about a setting description for an iron hill fort, inspired by our class read, *Wizards of Once*, and then move on to a recount diary based on the class book *Rumaysa*.

Maths

We will be learning about fractions, written and efficient methods for multiplication and division, using our times tables knowledge to help us. We will also be learning about fractions, decimals and percentages. Finally, we will look at area and perimeter and statistics.

Science

In Science this term we will be learning about Living things and their habitats, like lifecycles and plants.

Key Vocabulary: fertilisation; pollination; pollen; stamen; pistil; seed dispersal; reproduction; life cycle; life processes; mechanism;

How you can help at home

- Stay up to date with the home learning.
- Continue to read with your child at home and encourage them to read a range of genres of books.
- Continue to practise mental maths using TT Rockstars or <http://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years/mental-maths>
- Continue to practise spelling and grammar using Spelling Shed or <http://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/7-11-years/spelling-and-grammar>

Year 5 Topic Map

Spring Term



PSHE

We will be learning about the importance of being a good citizen, understanding our rights and responsibilities and RSE.

PE

We will be learning about gymnastics, static balance and co-ordination.

Foundation Subjects

Art: We will be learning about installation art and work towards creating a piece of our own.

Key Vocabulary: installation art, analyse, concept, features, atmosphere.

Geography: We will be studying Mexico and how it compares to the area that we live in, Crawley.

Key Vocabulary: biome, country, climate, hemisphere, river, equator, environment, water cycle, vegetation belt, continent.

Music: We will be learning about Holi and composing a piece of music based on colour.

Key Vocabulary: Holi, colour, composition, synaesthesia.

DT: We are going to be looking at cooking healthily.

Key Vocabulary: cross-contamination, nutritional value, hygiene, ingredients, recipe.

MFL: We are going to learning about French-speaking countries, nationality and numbers.

Key Vocabulary: Quebec, francais, anglais, cinquante, cent.

RE: We will be learning about where the Christian Bible came from and, we will be learning about the life of Muhammad.

Key Vocabulary: Bible, New Testament, Old Testament, Gospels, Christian.

Mecca, Muhammad, prophet