



SOUTH BOROUGH PRIMARY SCHOOL

Year 5 Learning Flyer - *Term 1*

This Learning Flyer shows what your child will be learning this term.

English

We will be starting the term by writing a setting description short film called Ruin, where they will develop ambitious vocabulary and create powerful metaphors and similes. Later in the term we will be writing a persuasive letter.

How can you help?

Rollama is a great resource to support spelling, punctuation and grammar. [Rollama](#)

Maths

At the start of this term, we will be learning about place value and representing numbers up to 1,000,000. We will also be learning to round numbers. Later in the term, we will be recapping the four operations, building on methods learnt in year 4.

How can you help?

Encourage your child to play [TTRS](#) for a few minutes, 4-5 times a week.

Science

This term we will be focussing on forces! The children will learn about different forces, whilst designing and building pulley, gear and lever systems!

How can you help?

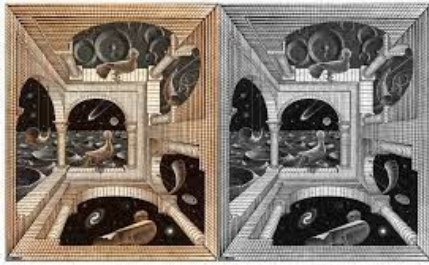
[Click here](#) to take a look at how pulleys work. Try to build your own.

History

Our history learning for this term will be focusing on Baghdad in 900 CE. We will be discussing the rise of Islam and how the city of Baghdad became a centre for learning.

How can you help?

[Click here](#) to discover how Baghdad became known as 'The City of Peace'.



Physical Education

During outdoor PE sessions this term the children will be learning to play tag rugby with our Team Theme coach. On Tuesdays the children will be attending swimming lessons.

Computing

The children will be learning how to stay safe online as well as understanding what search engines are and how to use them safely.

Art

Year 5 will be learning about the artist M.C Escher. They will use their knowledge of lines, shapes, form, tonal value, perspective and space to create some spectacular Escher style art. They will learn how to use orthogonal lines to draw one point perspective shape work.

Geography

In geography we will be learning about spatial sense, developing our knowledge of map reading by understanding coordinates and scales.

RE Day

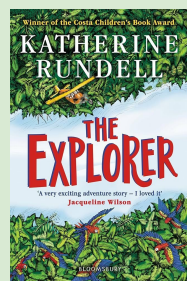
This term, our big question is "What can be done to reduce racism? Can religion help?".

Pupils will explore this big question with a focus on Christianity, Islam and non-religious beliefs.

Personal, Social, Health and Economic Education (PSHE)

In Jigsaw our theme is 'Being Me in My World'. We look at facing new challenges and how to make positive behaviour choices. We will use our Zones of Regulation lessons to help in regulating our feelings.

Books we will be reading this term:



Value of the Term

Determination

We aim to be the best we can be in everything we do.

Home Learning

Remember to keep logging on to Mathletics to practise maths. Don't forget to read daily and get your reading record signed to gain your reads!