

Autumn Term

Overview



The Kingdom of Benin



Our Big Question:

How can learning about the past make for a more peaceful future?



This term, we will be learning:



History: We will be looking at trade in Central and North America.

D&T: In D&T we will using our sewing skills to make a stuffed toy.

Art: We will be making an interactive installation, using everyday materials.

PSHE: We will be looking at how to keep ourselves safe online and looking at strategies to help our emotional and mental wellbeing.

Music: We will be learning about the Djembe drums and learning correct singing techniques.

R.E: We will look at Islam and the Five Pillars.

Science: We will be investigating separating various material through sieving, filtering, evaporation and magnetism.

Computing: We will be exploring video production and multimedia.

P.E: We will be playing Football. Looking at passes, keeping the ball in possession and finally a tournament at the end.

Other Information:

Year 5 will be camping from Monday 16th September – Wednesday 18th September.

Children need to be dropped off at the site by parents/carers from 8:30am (16/09/24) and picked up by parents/carers at 12:00pm (18/09/24).

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English



In English we will be learning to:

- Edit and improve our own work
- Learn and apply a range of spellings rules and patterns to our writing.
- Use different types of sentences to engage our readers
- Write traditional stories
- Write using a range of poetic styles
- Use formal and informal language

Maths



In Maths we will be covering a range of topics including:

- To recognise the value of a digit in a number up to 1 million.
- Use formal methods of addition and subtraction
- Multiplication and division: multiples, factors, prime, squared and cubed numbers
- Efficient arithmetic methods.
- Improve our verbal reasoning through problem solving.

Science



Materials and their properties. We will be learning about dissolving, filtering, evaporation and reversible and irreversible changes.

Earth and Space: We will be learning about The solar system, day and night and the seasons.

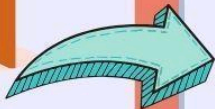
Guided Reading



5S will read London Eye Mystery

5J will read Holes

5C will read There's a Kid in my class



You might like to join in with our learning at home by...

Suggested Reading:

African folk/ traditional tales

Non-Fiction, Books about Materials, Earth and Space, Africa, Islam and Atlases

Non-fiction texts about Trade and The Kingdom of Benin

Websites:

BBC Bitesize - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/primary>

BBC teach - https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/topics/cglp_xyn1r1r1

Maths Frame - <https://mathsframe.co.uk/>
TTRS/ Timestable.co.uk

Watching:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zryycdm>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z6gmrd>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zsjqftr/year/zhqppa8>

Experiencing:

Visit British Museum for Benin Bronzes

Visit Science Museum for Materials

Cook a healthy meal

