



Year 5 Newsletter Summer 1

Year 5 Mrs Pryce

Term value: Responsibility.

In **collective worship**, the children will be considering the meaning of this term's value which is **responsibility**. They will learn that responsibility means accountability, being trustworthy and diligent. It also means accepting duties or roles. The Bible teaches that life is a gift from God and it is our responsibility to use our talents and abilities in the best way we can.

Musician of the term: The music genre the school will be listening to is rock music. In Year 5 we will focus on Bon Jovi and consider: Bon Jovi played a free gig in support of Ukraine. Is war ever going to be the right answer?



Reading remains the heart of our curriculum. Children should continue to read their book at home. In Year 5 if children read 40 pages minimum each week, they get entered into the reading raffle where they can win a book of their choice.

Our class reader is Journey to the River Sea by Eva Ibbotson and we will be considering how the author creates detailed characters and uses secrets to tell a story.



Writing:

In writing we will be looking at the narrative poem The Highwayman by Alfred Noyes and using this as inspiration for a blog. In grammar we will be focusing on the skills of: writing in cohesive paragraphs; using Expanded Noun Phrases; including correctly punctuated speech and using adverbs in sentences.

Maths:

We will look at a range of mathematical concepts this term: shape; position & direction and using decimals. Pupils will benefit from continuing to practice their times tables at home.

Across the curriculum:

This term our topic is Yellow Bellies – a local History study of Lincoln. We will study the founding of Lincoln, its development as a Roman Colonia and the historical importance of Lincoln Cathedral and Lincoln Castle.

In PE we will be improving our athletics skills in preparation for Sports Day.

We will be looking at architecture and creating 3D models of small houses in Art.

In French we will be learning how to talk and write about clothes.



In Chemistry we will be looking at Properties and Changes to Materials.

We will be looking at how materials can be mixed together, how solutions are formed and how materials can be changed in reversible or irreversible ways.



In PSHE we will be looking at healthy food choices; our legal system and respecting each other as individuals.



RE:

This term in RE, pupils will learn about inspirational women who have made a difference in the world.

They will explore how women's beliefs have influenced their actions and how they have helped shape their communities.

In PSHE, we will be looking at: Law and order in society, considering our personal strengths and learning about managing money.

This will lead us to the big questions: In what ways can being responsible or irresponsible affect a person's self-esteem?
Can choices improve your self-esteem?



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