## Homework

- Children will receive a piece of maths and English homework on a Friday that we expect to be returned by the following Monday.
- Children will have a set of spellings to learn and these will also be tested on the following Monday.

Remember the homework challenges that are ongoing throughout the term.

## PE

Please ensure your child has their PE kit in school every Monday. They can bring it home to be washed on a Friday but must make sure they bring it back with them after the weekend.

Our PE day this term will usually be on a Wednesday.

We are always happy to see you to discuss your child.

However, we do ask that unless you have some urgent information for the day, you try to see us after school, when we will have more time to talk to you.

## Class Information Year 5/6 Class 3 Spring Term 1 2020

We hope you find the following information helpful in supporting your child this term. You will find a brief overview of the curriculum content for some subject areas along with a more detailed 'knowledge organiser' for other subjects. This information is designed to give you a flavour of what the children in Year 5/6 will be learning this term as well as some more detailed information on the knowledge we expect children to know at the end of this term.

Many thanks for your continued support.

Mrs Robinson

## Year 5/6: Spring Term 1

English	<u>Maths</u>	<u>Science</u>	<u>Geography</u>
In English lessons, the children will be learning how to write a Tale of fear. We will look at Nightmare Man as a model text. We will also study Cogheart by Peter Bunzl	Year 6 In Maths lessons, the children will be looking at Decimals. Percentages and Algebra.  Year 5 In Maths lessons, the children will be looking at Multiplication and Division before moving on to look at fractions.	In Science lessons, children will be learning about Plants. We will revise the parts of a plant and the lifecycle of plants. We will then learn about photosynthesis, before learning about vascular and non-vascular plants. Finally we will look at the dissection of flowers.	In Geography lessons, the children will learn that about South America. They will look at past civilisations and Empires, as well as The Andes Mountains and Atacama desert. We will then look at the agriculture and industry in Brazil and the Amazon Rainforest
<u>History</u>	<u>Computing</u>	<u>Art</u>	<u>RE</u>
In History lessons, we will look at Rise of Hitler and World War Two. They will learn about the The Armistice and the Treaty of Versailles. We will then look at the Rise of the Nazi Party and life in Nazi Germany. They will then learn about Kristallnacht and the Refugee Crisis, before looking at the Second World War.	In Computing lessons we will learn about coding. This will involve them learning about repetition commands, if statements for selection and introducing variables.	In Art lessons we will be studying Renaissance Architecture and Sculpture. We will look at Florence Cathedral and the Gates of Paradise. We will then look at Michelangelo as an architect and a sculptor.	In RE lessons, the children will be thinking about the question, What is the Quran and why is it important for Muslims?