AUTUMN TERM 2024



Read all about our learning for this term in Lanust Class!

1.

CORE SUBJECTS

In Maths, we will be tackling place value and number. We are using numbers up to and including 1,000,000! After a big focus on times tables last year, we are ready to build our number fluency.

In English, we are following the Write Stuff scheme which breaks down the writing process into chunks, enabling children to really understand both language and grammatical features. We will be writing lots of texts inspired by our learning in the wider curriculum. There is also lots of new grammar to learn in Year 5 including relative, possessive and personal pronouns.

SCIENCE

In Science we will be looking at Earth and Space, learning key knowledge about the planets in our Solar System and investigating how the Earth's position and orbit creates the conditions for life to exist.





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GEOGRAPHY AND HISTORY

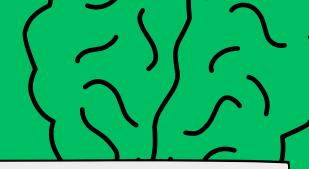


We will be learning all about the human and physical geography of the coast, comparing the UK to Oceania.

In history we will be studying the Transatlantic Slave Trade, looking at the role of the South West and the changing attitudes in Britain which led to Abolishment.

4.

WIDER CURRICLUM





In RE we will be looking at Christianity and the Christian beliefs about God. In PSHE, we will be discussing our ambitions, and thinking about the refugee experience. This year our French lessons will be taught by Mrs Harrison, with an initial focus on pronunciation and phonics. Our music lessons will be taught by Mr H again and we will be singing lots of lovely Harvest related songs this term. As well as Gym Club, we will be continuing our Real PE lessons with a focus on throwing and catching.

5.

TRIPS AND OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

Selling and grammar are also a really important part of our curriculum. Year 5 will be taking a new approach to spelling this year, which means no spelling tests. Children will instead be taught spelling on a two week programme, with a longer spelling lesson followed by fast paced practice sessions. Important new grammar this year will be modal verbs and relative clauses and pronouns.





This year we are lucky enough to be participating in the MADE project's Feeling Good programme along with four other primary schools. The focus is on arts for wellbeing and will see artists from the world of music, dance and theatre visiting our school and working with Lanust Class. We are so excited to get started!

We will be going on a geography field trip to the coast this terms, details TBC!