

# Year 5/6 Autumn Curriculum Letter



## History/Geography

During the Autumn Term, in our History lessons, we will be exploring the world of the Anglo Saxons and the Vikings.

We will be learning about this historic period using secondary sources.



In our Geography lessons, we will be learning about North America. We will learn about the physical and human features of various locations within the continent.



## PE

In the Autumn Term we will have P.E. on a Wednesday (Swimming) and a Friday.



Please ensure you have full school PE kit in school for being outside in all weathers- including sensible footwear and a tracksuit to keep you warm!

## French



In French we will be learning about Les portraits and Ma famille.

## RE/PSHCE



In RE, we will be discussing why some people think God exists and why people go to places of worship.

In PSHCE, we shall be learning about relationships.



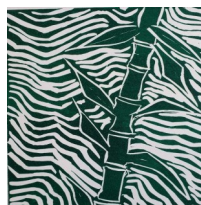
## Science

In the Autumn term, we will be learning about Electricity and after half term we will move on to learn about Earth and Space. We will be using different scientific skills and carrying out investigations to help our understanding.



## Art/DT

We start off the Autumn term with an art topic where we will learn how to print using lino.



In DT, we will be learning about food and how to prepare a 3 course meal. We will research, prep and cook our meal and then enjoy it together!

## English

Throughout the Autumn term we shall explore a range of text types and we will have the opportunity to write in a number of different genres. We will also develop lots of SPaG skills throughout each lesson.



## Homework

A homework grid will be sent out at the beginning of each half term. Spellings will be tested weekly on a Thursday and mental maths will be tested weekly on a Friday. One piece of additional homework is due each week and can be chosen from the homework grid. Please can the additional task be handed in each Wednesday. Thank you!

Please ensure your child is reading each day and writing it in their diary.

## Maths

We will work on our calculating skills (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division) with a focus on written methods, place value, 2D/3D shape, Money, Measures and Telling the time with plenty of problem solving!



## Music

We shall be learning to play the clarinet whilst learning to read and compose our own music.

