## English

- Fiction: Narrative writing- Ghost Thornhill- innovation on narrative writing, using all spellings and SPAG taught during weekly lessons.
- Non Fiction: Persuasive writing based on particular sports brands.
- Poetry- Performance and haiku linked to WWII. Narrative poems- The Highwayman by Alfred Noyes.
- Grammar and punctuation- discrete lessons, they will then transfer their learning into their writing.
- Reading Comprehension- using VIPERS to improve comprehension skills.
- Spelling using 'The Write Stuff' speeling scheme and spelling frame-learning to spell
  the statutory words for years 5/6, words with common suffixes and prefixes.

### Science - Scientists and inventors

- Forces- To identify forces on acting objects, air resistance and water resistance.
- To explore the effect gravity has on objects and how gravity was discovered.
- Friction- To identify the effects of friction by investigating brakes.
- Marvellous Mechanisms- To recognise that some mechanisms, including levers, pulleys and gears, allow a smaller force to have a greater effect by exploring and designing a simple mechanism.
- To compare and group together everyday materials on the basis of their properties, including their hardness, transparency and response to magnets by sorting and classifying materials according to their properties.
- To compare and group together everyday material on the basis of their thermal conductivity by investigating thermal conductors and insulators.
- To give reasons, based on evidence from comparative and fair tests, for the particular uses of everyday materials, including metals, wood and plastic by investigating the best electrical conductors.
- To know that some materials will dissolve in liquid to form a solution by investigating dissolving.
- To use knowledge of solids, liquids and gases to decided how mixtures might be separated, including through filtering, sieving and evaporating by separating different mixtures.

## Computing

- To understand the importance of internet safety.
- How we communicate and how we communicate responsibly.

#### MFL

- French- learn key vocabulary in relation to France, particularly Paris.
- Greetings.

### PSHE

- Relationships -Respectful relationships.
- A diverse community
- British values.

### RE

- Hinduism- why Hindus want to be good?
- Incarnation, Christianity - Why do Christians believe Jesus was the Messiah?

## Maths-fluency, reasoning and problem solving

- Place value- Identifying numbers 10,000- 100,000, year 6s up to 10,000,000 and 1,000,000. Representing numbers, compare and order, negative numbers, rounding, Identifying Roman numerals.
- Addition and subtraction- mentally and using formal written methods (columnar) Prime, square and cube numbers.
- Multiplication and division- up to 4 digits by 2 digits using formal written methods (short and long.) Factors and multiples.
- Solving reasoning and problem- solving questions and multi-step problems, involving mixed operations.
- Fractions A: Recognising equivalent fractions, ordering fractions, add and subtract fractions. Ordering fractions and add/subtract fractions.
- Fluency 5- Regular 10 minute calculation practice.
- Regular SATS arithmetic practice/intervention sessions.

# Kingfisher Class-Yrs 5/6





WWII

Scientists and Inventors

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# Physical Education

- Gymnastics focusing on counterbalance and counter tension.
- Netball- learning the sport, positioning of players, rules and how to play within a team.

## Art and Design/Design Technology

- Propaganda posters looking at specific artists.
- Introduction to colours and techniques.
- Designing our own propaganda posters in relation to our school values.

## Music

 Learning the history of new artists; including Pharrell Williams 'Happy'. Children will be able to learn the song, playback, perform the song as well as learn to read and write music as a group.

## History- a theme in British History beyond 1966- World War II

- Recall when the war started.
- Explain some of the countries and key individuals involved.
- Recall some details about key events.
- Describe what evacuation and rationing were, explain how they worked and how different people were affected.
- Describe some of the jobs women did during the war.
- describe the role Cornwall played in the war and know what impact the war had on the people of Cornwall.

## Geography-Marvellous Maps

- Locate the world's countries, using maps to focus on Europe (including the location of Russia.
- Name and locate cities of the UK and their identifying human and physical characteristics by using maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping, and describe features studied by using the index and coordinates.
- Use the eight points of a compass, four and six-figure grid references, symbols and key (including the use of Ordnance Survey maps) to build their knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world by planning a journey.