

How can you continue to help at home?

- Reading- Please continue to read with your child for at least 10 minutes every day and record this in their planners. Children have their 'reading bingo' at the back of their planner. Please help to encourage them to read a range of genres (eg. fantasy, science fiction, information text, children's newspaper)
- Spellings Spelling homework will be given every Friday. These will then be tested a week later.
- Times Tables- As a class, the main times tables that currently need focusing on are x7, x8, x9 and x12. Please continue to encourage your child to go on Times Table Rock Stars weekly at home to help support this.
- * Maths Year 5 children will continue to receive a weekly piece of maths homework (handed in on Wednesday).
- Homework book- This half term, there will be a grid of tasks linked to the topic 'Marvellous Maps' covering a range of curricular areas. There are four purple tasks that the children are required to complete by set dates. The other tasks are optional.

Thank you for attending Parents' Evening prior to half term; it was lovely to meet with you all. Please don't hesitate to contact us throughout the half term if there's anything we can help further with.







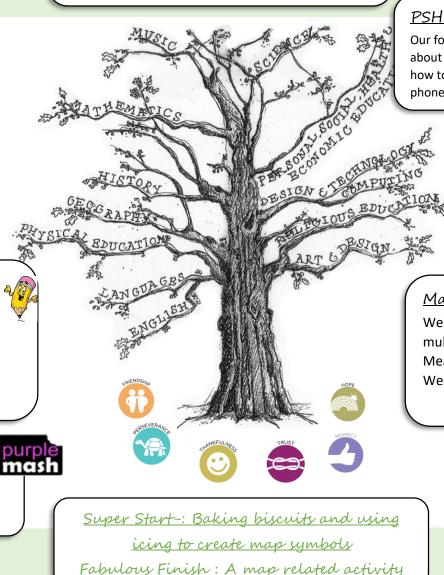


Bookshelf

Science

Working scientifically:

Earth and Space We will be looking at the movement of the Earth, and other planets, relative to the Sun in the solar system.



Topic : Marvellous Maps

We'll use maps, atlases and globes to locate countries

and describe features studied. We'll also use the eight

points of a compass and four and six-figure grid

Geography:

references.

PSHE

Our focus in PSHE this half term is **Keeping Safe.** We will think about hazards, rules and responsibilities. We will also discuss how to ask for help and stay safe using devices such as mobile phones.

French

L'argent de poche (pocket money) Let's learn to express likes/dislikes, say numbers 1-30 and give prices.

Maths

We will spend a lot of the half term focusing on multiplication and division.

Measure, capacity and mass will also be covered. Weekly mental maths will also continue.

> P.E Gymnastics and dance

Key question: What is it like to follow God?

Religious Education

Art & Design Technology:

Using e-art (including google maps) to create an image.

Use salt dough to create a relief map.

English

We will be writing:

- 1, An information text
- 2, Poetry
- 3. Instructions

Computing Our focus is multimedia and digital

literacy.