



## HERITAGE PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Year 5 Parents

Please find below a summary of the areas the children will be learning about this term.

| We will be learning about... |   |
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| English                      | We are going to focus on non-chronological reports, narrative, persuasion and recounts in the first half of summer term. We will then move on to poetry and narrative in our final term. Our constant focus will be on the development of vocabulary and grammar in our writing.  |
| Maths                        | We will be consolidating our learning about decimals, identifying and measuring angles, studying regular and irregular polygons, grid references and translation, symmetry and reflection, metric and imperial measurements and volume and capacity.  |
| Science                      | Our science unit for this term is 'Living things and habitats' in the first half of the term and then we will move on to animals including humans'. We will look at the life cycles of plants and animals and then look at how humans change as they grow from birth to old age. They will learn about how our body changes during puberty. |
| Computing                    | The children will develop their understanding of computer systems, databases and e-safety.  |
| PE                           | Our PE lessons are currently being taught by Key Sports coaches. This term the focus will be on ultimate frisbee, flag football and then athletics and cricket after half term.   |
| Guided Reading               | During this half term, we will finish <i>The Lion, Witch and Wardrobe</i> and then <i>Street Child</i> by Berlie Doherty. We will be thinking about inference and deduction.  |
| Art                          | We will be looking at the artwork of L S Lowry and working on perspective drawings.   |
| Design and Technology        | Our unit for DT is, fashion and textiles. Children will think about types of material and patterns that suit projects.  |
| Religious Education          | In our RE lessons, we are continuing to learn about Hinduism.   |
| History                      | We will be learning about the Victorians and the Industrial revolution.   |
| Geography                    | We will be looking at how London developed and differs from the local area.   |



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| PSHE   | This half term we will be focusing on managing change. Children will consider a range of situations which involve loss or change and how to develop strategies to help them deal with the emotions these may bring. |
| French | We will be learning about food, numbers and weather.  |
| Music  | This half term Mrs Woolf is continuing to teach music. The children will be learning how to play the recorder. They will also be exploring body percussion and will create a whole class composition.               |

If you have any questions, please send them to: [office@heritagepark.peterborough.sch.uk](mailto:office@heritagepark.peterborough.sch.uk) and these will be forwarded to the class teacher. Please do not contact teachers via google mail service linked to Google Classroom, as these are not in use.

Kind regards

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