

### History

We will be focusing this term on historical space events and their timings. We will be looking to delve back into history to find out more information about famous astronauts.

### Geography

This term we will be looking to improve our skills with reading maps. We will be starting our year focusing on countries and continents. As well as this, we will be exploring the local community with maps and compasses.

### RE

This term we are focusing on how faith impacts and helps people when life gets hard.

### Computing

Our focus will be e-safety and coding

- Personal information online
- How computers think and follow instructions

### English

This term we will be:

- Improving our use of description in narratives.
- Focusing on instruction writing.
- Writing reports

We are currently reading *Odd and the Frost Giants* by Neil Gaiman as our class book.

We will also be writing: extended pieces of work to develop assessment and editing techniques.

### Art

Creating images of imaginary worlds – looking at Space and Science Fiction for inspiration.

Developing ideas using sketch books.

### PE

This term we will be developing our understanding of personal fitness. We will be looking at fitness and circuits early in this term.

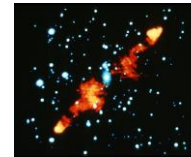
Following this, we will then turn our focus to team invasion games. Learning rules and tactics that can be transferred to other sports.



# Year 5 and 6



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### French

Basic conversations asking people about themselves and talking about ourselves.

### Music

Throughout this term we will be composing pieces of music related to our science topic – space. Also, we will be learning to understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from different traditions and musicians.



### Science : Space

This term we will be learning to:

- Describe the movement of the Earth, and other planets, relative to the sun in the solar system.
- Describe the movement of the moon relative to the Earth.
- Describe the Sun, Earth and Moon as approximately spherical bodies.
- Use the idea of the Earth's rotation to explain day and night and the apparent movement of the sun across the sky.

### Maths

This term, we will be developing our understanding of:

- Place value with written addition and subtraction
- Decimal numbers with written addition and subtraction
- Subtraction – column method
- Shapes and angles
- Mental multiplication, fractions and division.
- Multiplication and division.
- Solving multistep written problems

We will also be looking closely at SATs related questions throughout this term.