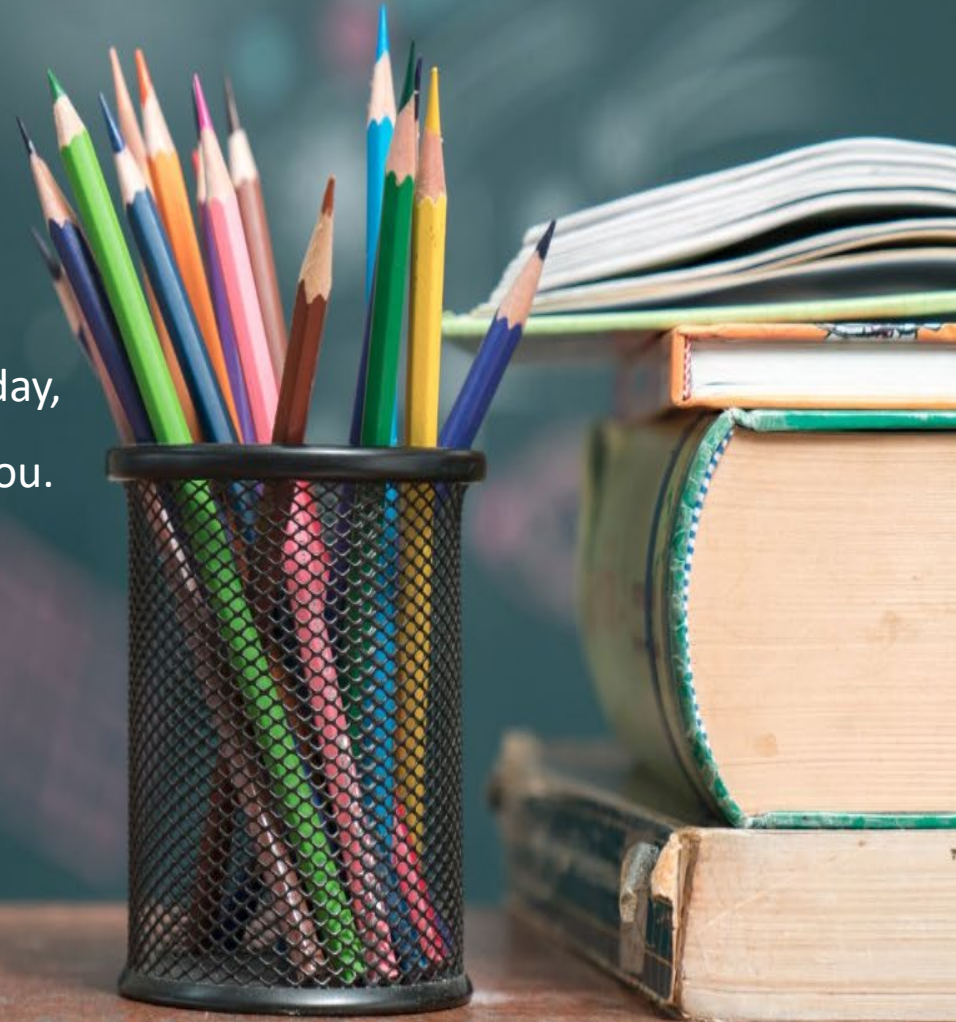


Year 5 Information Meeting

A warm welcome to our Year 5 parents

Here is some information about our school day,
as well as some other important notes for you.

We hope you find it useful.



Year 5 Team

Teaching Team

Mr Birkbeck (5B)

Mrs. Hawting (5HP)

Miss Patsalis (5HP)

Support Staff Team

Mrs. Hewitt

Mrs. Rich



School Day

- We have a 'soft start' from 8:45 a.m. and the gates are closed at 9:00 a.m.
- We have registration at 8:55 a.m. and then go to Collective Worship.
- We have a 15-minute morning break time, a 10-minute afternoon break time, as well as an hour's break at lunchtime.
- We have daily acts of collective worship either in class or in the Hall
- We say a prayer before lunch and before the end of the day.
- School finishes for Year 5 at 3:35 p.m.



Uniform Reminders

Ties

KS2 – A standard tie to be worn from Year 1 upwards

Jewellery

Apart from small gold or silver, stud earrings in pierced ears, no jewellery should be worn in school. It is advisable to remove earrings on PE days. Nail varnish, make up and temporary tattoos should not be worn.

Hairstyles

Long hair must be tied back with a simple band, ribbon or small slide in school colours – red or white, red/white check. Large hair bows or ornate accessories should not be worn. Hairstyles should be conservative. No patterns, lines or logos should be shaved into the hair.

Shoes

School shoes not trainers please

Being Active

Outdoor PE

Outdoor PE takes place on Tuesdays, with a Coach. They work across the school, in all year groups. Children come to school in their PE kit on Tuesdays. Please ensure correct uniform is worn.

Outdoor Kit

Up to half term, children wear a yellow polo shirt, black shorts and trainers.
After half term, children may wear their school tracksuit.

Indoor PE

Indoor PE takes place on Fridays this term and children should bring in their kit to change into at school.



Reading

Reading at home

At St. Paul's School, we know how important it is for children to read and share stories at home. Therefore, we expect our parents to support their child with reading every day.

Reading records

There is a reading record book, for children and parents to complete.

A member of the Year 5 team will then check this once a week to ensure regular reading is happening at school and home.



Homework

In addition to daily reading, homework will be set during the week (usually Monday and Friday) and written in their homework diaries and on the weekly learning.

This will usually be Maths, English or a foundation subject, often supporting work already undertaken in class.

The task may involve the use of Century but will always be detailed in the homework diary.

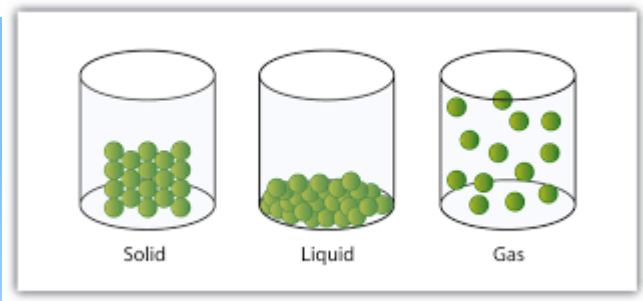
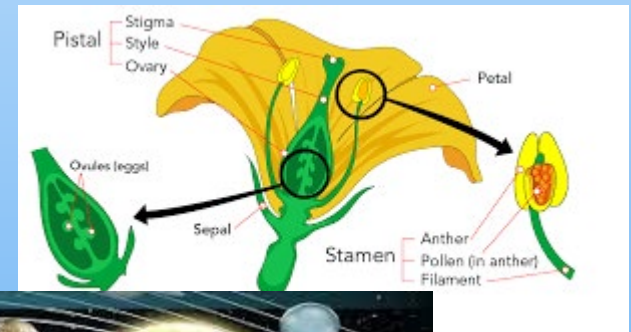
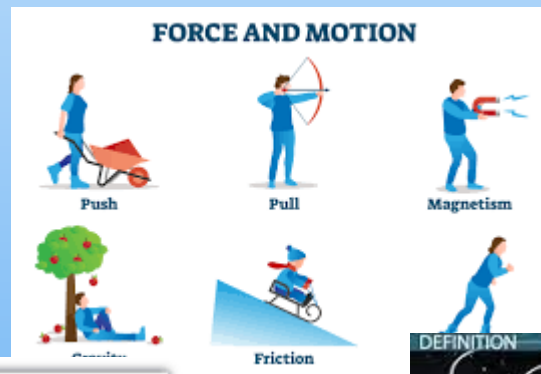
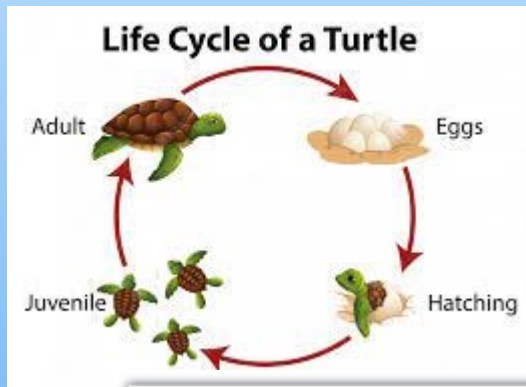
Homework that is set on Friday should be completed by the following Wednesday.

Spellings and times tables are set on a Monday and tested the following Monday.



Science

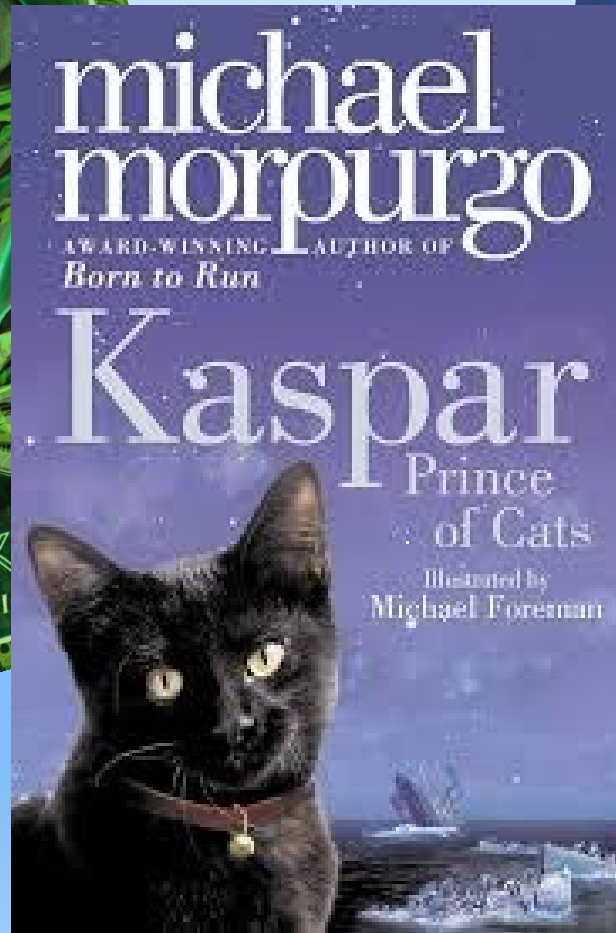
- Autumn=Forces and Mechanisms
- Spring=Uses of Materials/Earth and Space
- Summer=Plant and animal life cycles/Human Growth



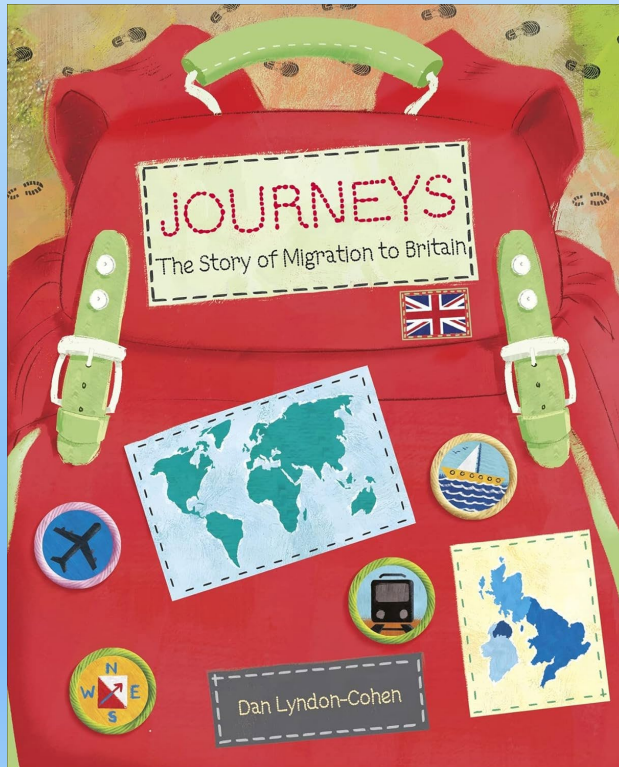
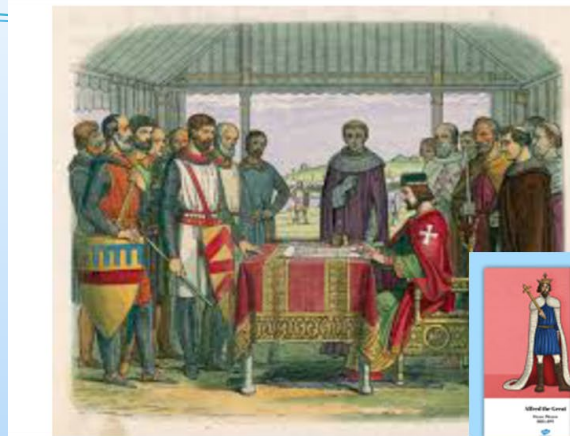
Geography







History



THE ANCIENT GREEKS

CYCLOPS

...the Cyclops ...

...the Cyclops ...

The Odyssey
 The Odyssey is a poem 12,110 lines long. It takes about 19 hours to recite. The Greeks believed a single person called Homer composed it. It tells of the adventures of Odysseus who is trying to reach home after a 10 year voyage by an army of Greeks to the city of Troy on the Turkish coast.

The Cyclops

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Odysseus
 Odysseus was a Greek King of the little island of Ithaca living around 1200 BC. He had been called up with his men to go to Troy to try to rescue the wife of the King of Sparta who had been abducted by a prince of Troy. He had many exciting adventures before returning to Ithaca.

We experimented with word order to rewrite Odysseus' adventures in the form of rhyming couplets.



The Cyclops was a one-eyed giant who lived on an island.

The Trojan Horse



We also learnt about how Theseus defeated the Minotaur.



The Minotaur was a legendary creature half man half bull who lived in a labyrinth under King Minos palace.





Jasmine Briggs



Holly Page



Nicholas Michael



Evie Perfect

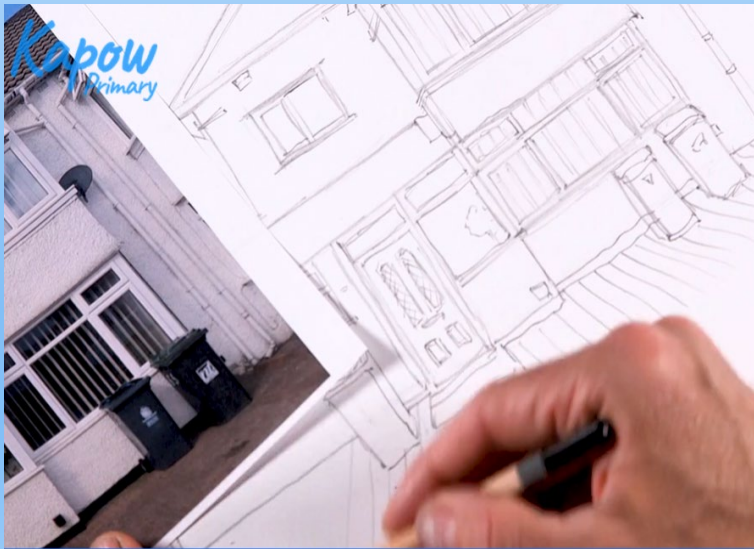
Katie Allen

R.E.



Art

- Painting and mixed media: Portraits
- Sculpture and 3D
- Craft and Design Architecture



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- Food
- Mechanisms
- Electronics and computing



- The Eucharist



PE

There will be lots of opportunities to represent the school in lots of different sports such as:

- Tag Rugby
- Football
- Cross country
- Athletics
- Gymnastics
- Hockey
- Netball

HYMB - our 2-day residential trip.

- We do lots of exciting activities



Trips

- We will be going on a number of trips throughout the year.
- London Zoo – 23rd October
- Westminster Abbey – 21st November
- HYMB Overnight residential – 20th-21st March
- Gurdwara – Spring term

- There will be at least one trip each term.

Any Questions?

