

This term we are learning about:

Dynamic Dynasties

As Historians, we will explore a timeline of the first five Chinese dynasties and learn about the legends surrounding the beginning of Chinese civilisation. We will explore evidence found in the ancient city of Yin. As well as study oracle bones, learn about religious beliefs and explore bronze artefacts that set the Shang Dynasty apart from other civilisations. We will discover how bronze technology gave the Shang Dynasty an advantage over their enemies. To complete our learning, we will find out how ancient China's legacy can be seen in the world today.



As Artists, we will be learning about colour theory by studying tints, shades and tones. We will discover the features of landscapes before using this knowledge to create our own landscape paintings.

In Design Technology, we will learn about pneumatic systems before designing, making and evaluating a machine that performs a useful function.



Investigating Our World

As Geographers, we will study Ordnance Survey maps, learn about contour lines and revise six-figure grid references to locate features. We will explore time zones and calculate the time in places worldwide. We will learn about climate zones and biomes. We will study the motorway network across the UK, learning how they connect cities and transport links.

In Computing, children will develop their coding skills and continue to learn about how to be safe online.

In RE, we will learn about Dharma Day. Buddhists celebrate Dharma Day by studying Buddha's teachings and feeling grateful for what they have learned.

PE Days

G2
Tuesday, Thursday
and Friday

G3
Tuesday,
Wednesday
and Thursday

G4
Wednesday,
Thursday and
Friday

Other information

Please remember to read with your child for 10-15 minutes daily and record on Seesaw.

Please check their spelling lists each week to assist with learning their spellings.

Homework and spellings are set every Friday.

Spellings will be tested and homework is due the following Wednesday.

All children need a water bottle in school every day.

Please make sure your child is wearing the correct uniform and PE kit.



Year Five