

## Literacy

In English, students will be writing a historical report about the events leading up to and during the Battle of Hastings.

They will also write another IPEELL piece about instructions on the theme of how to host a Tudor banquet.

The Stretch topic will be about plastic pollution.

## Art & DT

In art, students will be looking at the Art Deco movement and its origins. We will sketch patterns from the era, and translate this to designing a local Yorkshire landmark in an Art Deco style. Students will then transfer their designs on to a lino tile, cut it and print using paints.

We will evaluate our final designs and consider how we could make them better.

## Humanities

Our topic is Medieval Monarchs.

We are learning about each Monarch from 1066 up to the Tudor reign of Elizabeth I and how it shaped the history of the United Kingdom.

Students will learn about key dates, battles, castles and explore reasons behind why Monarchs made the choices they did.

## Languages

Children will continue to study Spanish in Year Five, beginning with greetings and introductions, numbers, dates, months, birthdays, family and descriptions.

## Computing

In Computing, students in Year 5 will be learning how to design and create their own computer game.

We will also look at e-safety and recapping how to stay safe when online.

## Maths

Fractions

Decimals

Percentages

Angles

Area and Perimeter

# YEAR 5

Spring

Term 1

## Science

Materials and their properties

Students will investigate whether all materials conduct heat, and how objects are specially adapted to suit their purpose.

## RE

In Religious Education we will be finding out about Buddhism and Judaism. Children will continue to reflect on responsibilities and build their knowledge and understanding of initiation ceremonies. They will also study key pilgrimage sites and their benefits. We will have an RE day and a visit to a Gurdwara.

## Music

Children in Year Five will continue to sign weekly in assemblies and in music lessons. They will continue to develop their musical and singing skills, as well as self-confidence, self-esteem and a love of music.

Students are currently learning songs from the musical, Matilda, ready for their performance in the Summer term.

## PE

In PE children will develop their skills through team games.

Swimming lessons will be every fortnight.