

## Literacy

In Literacy, we will be looking at narrative aspects; specifically flashbacks. We are writing in first person, leaving Earth and Migrating to Pandora. In our skills sections, we are focusing on spellings when using plurals (-ies instead -ys), relative clauses, expanded noun phrases and colons and semi-colons.

## Maths

Following on from last year's new approach to maths, we will continue mastering the key skills. This term we will start to look at fractions, decimals and percentages; as well as converting between the three.

## Music

We are going to continue to look at the different origins of music from around the world, whilst working in small groups to recreate cultural dances related to that country.

# Should I stay or should I go?

## PE

This term we will be focusing on team games. We will be focusing on; listening, empathy, verbalisation, problem - solving, creative thinking, leadership skills and team work.

## History

We will be continuing looking at the past migrants that have entered Britain over the years, including: Romans, Vikings, Saxons etc. During this, the children will be creating their own models of these settlements.

## Science

We will be continuing looking at the properties of everyday materials, focusing on separating mixtures, dissolving and exploring reversible and irreversible changes.

## PSHE

In PSHE, we will be continuing looking at the current changes in our own country, focusing on Brexit and the impact this could have on Britain's future trading. We will be looking at our place in the community and what roles we play.

## Geography

We will be continuing comparing different countries from around the world and the reasons why people choose to migrate to different places. We will use maps to locate these countries on a world map.

# Y5 Spring 2 Newsletter

## Important dates for your diary:

- Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2019 - Back to school
- Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2019 - Visit to Boston Park Farm
- Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2019 - World Book Day
- Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April 2019 - KS2 Performance
- Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2019 - School closes

## Spellings

Spelling techniques are taught within lessons. Children will be sent home with a list of words on a Monday. There will then be a dictation test on the Friday. Please encourage your child to practice their spellings each week!



## PE

Class 11's PE will be on a **Tuesday afternoon** and a **Friday morning**.

Class 12's PE will be on a **Tuesday afternoon** and a **Friday morning**.

Appropriate kits are expected to be in school on these days as both are important and enjoyable parts of the curriculum. **REMINDER:** Children's P.E. kits should consist of blue or black shorts, a white t-shirt and trainers or pumps. Tracksuit bottoms are optional during colder weather.