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Curriculum map Autumn 2 2022 – Year 5

Subject Area	Content
Power of Reading/Topic	For Autumn 2, our text is called ‘Shackleton. Which we will link in to some other Curriculum areas as well as covering all of the skills below.
English	<p>Reading: The Power of Reading – ‘Shackleton’ Children will compare the structure and features of a range of stories and look for different ways that information is revealed or events are presented, (e.g.) dreams, settings, letters. Children will use their inference skills to make predictions.</p> <p>Writing: reports, stories, recounts, poetry, playscripts Children will develop character, setting and atmosphere in their writing and will improve their proof reading and editing skills. Children will write a story and there will be an emphasis on developing vocabulary.</p> <p>Spelling, vocabulary, grammar, punctuation: Children will be refreshing all skills but focusing particularly on punctuation, speech, sentence structure and consistent use of tense.</p>
Maths	<p>Week 8: Addition and Subtraction (mental and written strategies)</p> <p>Week 9: Formal written method of short division</p> <p>Week 10: Rounding and estimating</p> <p>Week 11: Formal written method for multiplication</p> <p>Week 12: Written method of short division</p> <p>Week 13: Equivalent Fractions</p> <p>Week 14: Compare and order fractions Adding and subtracting fractions</p> <p>Week 15: Compare and order fractions Adding and subtracting fractions</p>
Science	<p>Working scientifically: Children will be investigating and evaluating properties of materials and also recording results on graphs and in tables. They will also learn about reversible and irreversible reactions of materials.</p> <p>Science content: Children will look at the properties of a variety of materials e.g. plastics, cloth, metals. They will also look at whether materials are electrical conductors or insulators.</p>
ICT	<p>Spreadsheets and Coding We will be using Purple Mash to deliver our curriculum. Children learn about Online safety and will use 2Calculate to create formulas; use text variables to perform calculations and use spreadsheets to plan an event.</p>



History	<p>Romans: The children will be learning about The Romans this term. They will be looking at different aspects within this time period such as culture, war, religion and ancient relationships with the rest of the world and building on their work from Year 3.</p> <p>Children will have a better understanding of the surrounding time period and will also work with creating timelines and fact files and focus on Celtic links with Boudicca.</p>
Art and Design	<p>Art and Design:</p> <p>Art will be taught by our designated art teacher. Children will undertake a block of work for Innovation and Enterprise to develop key Design Technology skills.</p>
Music	<p>TBC- Children will learn the ukulele taught by an external teacher on a weekly basis; they will also follow the Charanga scheme to hone and develop their musical skills and knowledge.</p>
PE	<p>Children will be learning to improve their Gymnastics skills and developing their front and back rolls and consolidating how to do this safely. Elder Class will be swimming whilst Chestnut Class will be learning the skills associated with Badminton.</p>
Spanish	<p>Spanish will be taught for an hour each week by a designated Spanish teacher.</p>
PSHE	<p>Getting On and Falling Out</p> <p>Throughout the theme children explore how to manage and resolve conflict and how to maintain relationships with others. They will learn how people have different opinions and to respect this.</p>
RE	<p>Judaism and Christianity</p> <p>Children will be comparing and contrasting Judaism to Christianity and in particular the Christian Christmas. We will explore Art and develop some of our PSHCE skills through our Religious Education curriculum.</p>
Educational visit	<p>St Albans- Verulam Museum 15th November 2022</p>