

Year 5 - Week Commencing 2nd October 2017

Maths

This week we will be exploring angles.

We will be naming, estimating, measuring and drawing angles. During the week we will practise using a protractor to measure and to help us draw angles. We will then look at ways in which angles appear in everyday life and think about who might need to use them day-to-day.

English

After writing some amazing re-tellings of the Beowulf story last week, the children now get to create their own legend. They will create characters, including a hero and a monstrous villain and will plan and write the stories independently.

Theme

Mrs. Morgan will be teaching Geography again this week, continuing to look at maps of the United Kingdom and of our local area.

In music the children will continue composing and creating their own versions of our national anthem.

We will be looking at various themes this week around the questions, "What makes us British?" - We will briefly explore our system of democracy and look at the individual freedoms which we enjoy in our country.

Extras

French will be on Tuesday morning with Mme. Wardle.

On Monday the children will be going swimming in the afternoon.

I will be out on a training course on Wednesday and Mrs. Morgan will be teaching the class all day. P.E. will be on Wednesday afternoon.

Maths homework is on ActiveLearn - 'Estimating Angles' - Practise estimating and measuring angles - <https://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk>

Please ask your child what their times tables focus is; they should all know their own target times table - if they are secure with all tables then their target is to speed up!

Spelling Focus

This week we are reviewing some more of the common exception words from the year 4 curriculum. I am also trialling some new resources from Purple Mash - please encourage your child to play the spelling games for this week's list; these can be found in their 2Dos - they should know where to find them ☺

<https://www.purplemash.com/sch/coates-bb18>