

Year 5 - Week Commencing 17th September 2018

Maths

This week we will be looking at the following:

Reading and writing decimal numbers.

The place value of decimal numbers.

Ordering and comparing decimal numbers.

Rounding decimal numbers to the nearest whole and the nearest tenth.

Whilst working on the above we will be practising developing our explanations linked to maths and problem solving skills.

English

This week we will start by focusing on character description. We will be picking out what makes an effective character description and using 'Talk for Writing' to learn a section of text off-by-heart. We will then move onto the children planning their own legend story. We will be using the structure of the Legend of Gelert to support us with this. Following this, we will start writing our very own legend story, writing a section at a time and working on a range of writing skills. I can't wait to see what the children will produce!

PLEASE REMEMBER WE ARE A NUT FREE SCHOOL - DO NOT SEND ANYTHING INTO SCHOOL THAT CONTAINS NUTS.

Theme

History - We will be placing events chronological on a timeline. We will then move onto looking at identifying locations of Anglo-Saxon kingdoms and settlements

PSHE- We will be exploring the school community, considering gender, religion, age, ethnicity, country of origin and languages spoken.

Geography – Mrs Morgan will continue working with the children on the United Kingdom Topic. Mrs Morgan will also be teaching music.

Extras

French will be on Tuesday

PE will be on Monday and Thursday afternoons.

My PPA will be on Tuesday afternoon.

Homework

Homework activities have now been set on Active Learn. A maths activity based on rounding numbers and a grammar task. Spellings will be tested on Friday. This week, instead of a tables test, the children will be given a selection of numbers to round to the nearest 10, 100, 1000, 10,000 and 100,000. They have been given a sheet that they can use to practise this.

Also, please remember to read as much as possible 😊

Spelling Focus: This week's spelling focus is: Plurals