

# What are we learning this term?

**Year 5**  
**Miss Barratt**  
**& Mr O'Brien**  
**Term 1 & 2**

## Reading

We will be exploring extracts from the following texts:



Our class read: Wonder, R.J. Palacio

## Writing

### Poetry

Rhythm and Poetry, Karl Nova

### Character & Setting

Painting a Picture with Words

### Writing to Inform & Discuss

What's the Difference, Emma Strack

### Creating a New Chapter

The Invention of Hugo Cabret, Brian Selznick

### Explanations

The Way Things Work, David Macaulay

## Maths

Place Value

Addition and Subtraction

Multiplication and Division

Fractions

## History/Geography

Term 1: European History: Ancient Rome

Term 2: Investigating World Trade

## Religion & Worldviews

Term 1: How are Hindu beliefs expressed in worship?

Term 2: How does sacred text help Hindus understand Dharma?

## Art/DT

Term 1: Illustrations & Narrative Art

Term 2: Cooking & Nutrition, Seasonal Biscuits

## Science

Term 1: Chemistry - Separating Mixtures

Term 2: Physics - Energy

## PSHE/SMSC

### Term 1: Me and My Relationships

Collaboration Challenge!  
 Give and Take  
 How good a friend are you?  
 Relationship cake recipe  
 Our emotional needs  
 Being assertive

### Term 2: Valuing Difference

Qualities of friendship  
 Kind Conversations  
 Happy being me.  
 The land of the Red People  
 Is it true?  
 Stop, start, stereotypes.

## PE

Gymnastics  
 Basketball  
 Dodgeball  
 Netball

## Music

Term 1: What shall we do with the drunken sailor?

Term 2: Why we sing.  
 Introduction to songwriting