



# Sparrowhawks: Autumn 2

## 3rd November - 19th December



# Did you hear that?



## English

We will be exploring the book 'The Firework Maker's daughter' by Philip Pullman. While exploring this book, we will write our own set of instructions about how to make a firework and then we will create our own quest narrative.



Please note that children should be reading at home at least 3 times a week, which should be in their reading journal. This can be done independently or with an adult.

## Maths

In maths this term, year 5s and year 4s will be learning about multiplication, division and fractions. Please make sure your child is practising their times tables at home.

### Year 5

- Multiplying 2,3 and 4 digit numbers by a 2- digit number
- Understanding prime, squared and cubed numbers
- Dividing 4 digits by 1 digit
- Dividing with remainders
- Finding equivalent fractions
- Converting improper fractions
- Adding fractions into mixed number fractions

### Year 4

- Multiply three number together
- Multiply and divide by 10 and 100
- Multiply and divide 2 and 3 digit numbers by a 1 digit number
- Understanding factors
- Order mixed number fractions
- Partition mixed number fractions
- Subtract fractions
- Add and subtract fractions to make them improper fractions or mixed number fractions

### Weekly reminders

#### Monday

PE Kits to be in school.  
Please ensure weather appropriate clothing is brought in.

❖ Library

#### Tuesday

❖ Indoor PE

#### Wednesday

❖ Homework- due

❖ Spelling test

#### Thursday

❖ Outdoor PE

#### Friday

❖ Homework- set

**Please note these are subject to change.**

### Important dates:

Individual photos- 13th Nov

Parents evening- 26th and 27th Nov

Carol concert - 18th Dec, 6pm at the church

### Home learning task

To link with our Geography learning could you make a fact file about a country of your choice. Find out **at least 5** facts about that country and present however you would like.

Due- 9th December

## R.E.



Linking to Christmas we will be considering the subject of incarnation and asking, What is the most important part of the Nativity for Christians?

## PE



**Indoor** This term, we will be exploring gymnastics skills looking at a variety of jumps and rolls to create a sequence.

**Outdoor-** we will practising our marking, possession and passing in a variety of different ways.

**As the weather is getting colder please make sure your child has appropriate clothing.**

## PSHE



In PHSE, our theme is 'Don't forget to let love in'. Within this we will be looking at: positive self identity, supporting others, how we show love and gratitude and how choices affect our physical health.

## Music



We will be continuing learning brass. We continue to identify and understand how rhythm patterns fit to a steady beat.

## Spanish



We will be looking at introducing ourselves and our families.

## Geography



In Geography we will be looking at the topic of 'All Around the World'. We will be exploring where different countries are located and their different climates and time zones.

## DT



Linking to our science topic, we will be designing and making our own musical instruments.

## Science



We will be investigating the question: Did you hear that? Looking at how sound travels and changes in pitch and volume. Answering the question; How does the ear hear?

## Computing



We will be exploring audio production where we will be recording sounds and creating our own podcast.

## Art



Linking to our English, we will be making firework art using a variety of different materials.