Holy Family Catholic School



Year 5 Summer Termly Learning plan

Subject	Focus
Religious Education	Easter This term, year 5 will be learning about Easter. They will understand that the Easter Vigil is the Church's celebration of the resurrection of Christ. They will develop an understanding of some of the symbols that are used during the celebration and discuss the importance of Christian's belief of eternal life.
English	Non-Fiction This term, year 5 will focus their time looking at non-fiction texts such a biographies, journals and newspaper reports. They will be exploring some examples so that they will be able to create their own throughout the term. We will also be reading our new class text, Far from Home, which is the sequel to our previous class read, Street Child, by Berlie Doherty.
Mathematics	Fractions Children have already made a quick start in learning about fractions. When they have familiarised themselves with this, they will then begin to use them in such ways as adding, multiplying and converting them into percentages and decimals.
Science	Properties and change of materials Children will be comparing and grouping together everyday materials on the basis of their properties, including their hardness, solubility, transparency, conductivity and response to magnets. They will know that some materials will dissolve in liquid to form a solution and describe how to recover a substance from a solution. Children will use their knowledge of solids, liquids and gases to decide how mixtures might be separated, including through filtering, sieving and evaporating.
Physical Education	<u>Cricket and Tennis</u> During the Summer term, children will be learning key skills within Cricket and Tennis. They will continue to learn ways in which to be successful within teams and develop a deeper understanding of the games.
ICT	We Are Bloggers The children will learn how to create and write a good blog. They will write their own, adding in images and hyperlinks, and will comment on the blogs of others.
PSHE	SEAL The children will learn about how to understand their feeling and emotions. They will discuss their feelings about starting a new school year, celebrate the things they are looking forward to and explore strategies for dealing with their worries or concerns. The children will also learn about the importance of getting on with others and discuss ways of doing this well. In addition to this, they will explore the impact that bullying has on others and the importance of reporting it to an adult.
MUSIC	Changra Children will be learning about their chosen music composer Edward Elgar and discussing ways in which his music makes us feel. Children will be learning and taking part in Changra music. They have the opportunity to create their own music and explore ways in which to express themselves. Children will also take part in singing practice within the classroom.
Theme led learning: Humanities/Art/	Birmingham This term, year 5 will be focusing their themed learning around Birmingham. We will be linking this to our Autumn topic, South Africa, and seeing how our lives are similar and different. We will also be spending time looking into different types of food. We will be understanding what utensils are appropriate for different jobs and how hygiene plays a key role in preparation.