English

This term, our focus text will be Ilya and the Wolf, which we will learn through Talk for Writing. We are continuing to look at writing complex sentences, with a focus on relative clauses and a range of openers. In Destination Reader, will work on comprehension and be reading Vanishing Trick by Jenni Spangler.

We will be studying the poem 'Fire in my head'.

Year 5

Term 4 Curriculum Newsletter 2025



Theme: Victorian Children

<u>RE:</u> Our focus question for Term 4 is: What do Christians believe Jesus did to save people?

French: Our French topic is 'ecole'. Looking at French phrases and words associated with school.

<u>Music:</u> Ukulele sessions will continue as well learn more pieces.

E-safety: Creating secure passwords focus plus online safety

<u>History:</u> We will be examining the life of both rich and poor children from the Victorian era.

Science

This term, we will be looking at Forces, including the force of gravity acting between the Earth and the falling object, the effects of air resistance, water resistance and friction, that act between moving surfaces and mechanisms including levers, pulleys and gears which allow a smaller force to have a greater effect.



Home Learning

10 minutes of TTRS every night, read at least 5 times a week and record in your planner. Weekly spelling tests. Plus choose an activity from the Victorian Children home learning sheet.

Attendance

We take attendance very seriously at St Paul's. Please ensure your child is in school EVERY day and on time. Thank you.

Maths

Our foci in Term 4 is fractions, decimals and percentages. We will also continue to focus on arithmetic linked to the 4 operations. Plus continuing our multiplication unit.



Computing

This term in Computing, we will be looking at data and information. We will be using a database to store and report information.



General Information

Staff: Miss Hall, Mr Russell and Mr Morton, Miss Scott , Mrs T Johnston and Mrs S Barnett.

PE Kit: Your child will need PE kit on Thursdays We will be focusing on football skills.

Reading Planners: Please ensure your child's reading planner is up to date and handed in on a Monday morning. We expect the children to read at least five times a week and complete the weekly writing task in their reading planners.

PSHE

Our P.S.H.E. this term will be on then jigsaw topic of 'Healthy Me'. We will look at issues surrounding smoking, alcohol, body image and relationship with food.

RSHE

Our R.S.H.E topic this term is 'My Beliefs'. We will be looking at terms associated with gender identity and sexual orientation as well as considering ways to respond to bullying.

