

English

This Term we will be starting with writing descriptions and stories based on our class text, 'Smaug'

We are continuing to look at writing complex sentences, with a focus on relative clauses and a range of openers.

We will be linking our Destination Reader sessions to our topic on mountains.



Year 5

Term 5 Curriculum Newsletter



Theme: Climb Every Mountain

Geography: In topic, we will be looking at mountains. Exploring how we can identify, locate and describe mountains and explain why they are tourist attractions.

RE: Our focus question for Term 5 is "Why do some people believe in God and some people not?"

French: Learning about the names of foods and drinks.

Music: Ukulele, percussion and singing lessons with Miss Watson preparing for a final performance.

DT: We will be looking at games which have electrical parts and creating our own quiz game.

PE: Athletics.

Science

This term, we will be looking at 'Animals including Humans'. We will be learning about the changes that occur as humans develop to old age from a scientific perspective. Also animal life cycles.

Children will be creating posters and timelines to explain their understanding of the human life cycle and the changes that happen throughout, and comparing these to animals.



Home Learning

Please see home learning sheet with a list of projects for this term.

Attendance

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

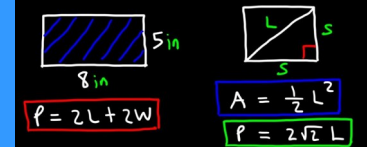


Maths

This term, we will be looking at angles and shapes, volume and converting time.

We will be recapping the strategies used for the 4 operations

Area and Perimeter



Computing

This term, we will start to create vector drawings. We will learn how to use different drawing tools to help create images.



General Information

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

PE Kit: Your child will need PE kit on **Thursdays**. We will be focusing on our athletics skills and prepare for sports day.

PE kits are required in school at all times. The children may have an extra PE lesson on Tuesdays with Mr McGowan.

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.

PSHE/RSHE

In PSHE, our topic is about 'Relationships'. We will be focusing on safety with online communities; being in an Online Community; Online gaming and relationships and technology.

In RSE, our topic is 'My rights and responsibilities'. We will be looking at strategies for keeping safe online and know that we have the responsibility not to share my own or other people's photographs online.

Also a session on gender and identity.

