



## Year 5 Summer 1 2024



Dear Parents,

We hope that you all have had a good Easter break.

We have been impressed with the way the children have settled back into the school routines and learning expectations and are looking forward to another term with them.

Much of our work last half term was linked to Space: the children particularly enjoyed our trip to The Space Centre.



Another highlight was taking part in the Equals Trust marble run competition!



## Summer 1 half term in Year 5

<b>Literacy</b>	Our literacy will be predominantly linked to South America. The children will be writing a descriptive setting based on the Amazon and then developing their persuasive language linked to deforestation.
<b>Maths</b>	In Maths, we will be looking at geometry including shapes, position and direction. Most children now know all the times table up to 12x. It is also important they are fluent with the associated division facts. Please encourage your child to keep using Time Table Rockstars.
<b>PE</b>	Athletics with Mrs Dussek and tennis with Premier Sports
<b>Geography</b>	South America with a focus on Brazil and the Amazon Rainforest.
<b>Art</b>	Portraits focusing on Frida Kahlo
<b>PSHE</b>	Continuation of our 'Healthy Me' and then we will move on to our 'Relationships' unit.
<b>RE</b>	Exploring the Old Testament
<b>Computing</b>	iDraw
<b>Music</b>	ukulele

PE will continue to happen on a Tuesday and Thursday afternoon.

We will continue to send spellings on a Wednesday and homework home on Fridays. All homework books are expected to be returned to school by the following Wednesday and we thank you for your continued support with this.

Best wishes

The Year 5 Team