## Owls' curriculum leaflet Autumn term



## Useful ways to support learning at home:

## VIPERS information:

We teach vital reading skills through the acronym VIPERS. These skills will enable your child to understand and enjoy books effectively.

Vocabulary

Inference

Prediction

Explanation

Retrieval

Summarising

You can support your child at home by asking them a variety of questions about what they have read. There is further information on the school website including example questions.

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Maths	In maths, Year 5 will be exploring: place value, the
	four operations and fractions.
	Year 6 will be exploring: place value, the four
	operations, fractions and converting units.
English	Writing:
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	In English, we will be learning to write: a recount
	linked to Letters From a Lighthouse and an adventure
	story focusing on The Firework-Markers daughter.
	Reading:
	Children are expected to read every day at school and
	at home. In school, we will be reading a wide variety
	of age-related texts as a class and using the VIPERS
	approach. We also have s wide variety of age-related
	texts which are accessibly for children to read or
	access weekly in our library sessions.
	Our whole class text this half term is Wonder by R. J.
	Palacio.
Science	In Science, we will be exploring and investigating
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DE .	properties and changes to materials.
RE	In RE, we will be thinking about what mean if
	Christians believe God is holy and loving and weather
	Creation and science conflicting or complementary
	topics.
PSHE	In PSHE, we will be looking at relationships and
	valuing differences which links to our class story book.
Geography	In Geography, we will be developing our geographical
Geograping	skills through our Eastern European topic which
	focuses on: understanding continents, countries and
	cities; comparing landscapes, climates and places as
	well as understanding what happened in Chernobyl.
History	In History, we will be developing our historical skills
	through our Mayan topic which focuses on: the
	Mayan civilisation; religion and Gods; Maya number
	system; exploration and discovery; Mayan writing and
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Art and Design	In Art and Design, we will be exploring how we can
	create typography through drawing and design, and
	use our skills to create personal and highly visual
	maps.
Design and	In Design and Technology, we will be exploring
Technology	seasonal cooking.
PE	In PE, we will be focusing on Dodgeball and
	Basketball, Tag Rugby and Handball.
French	In French, children covered a variety of different
	vocabulary and grammatical skills.
Music	In Music, we will be working on topics such as, The
	show must go on; compose music with your friends;
	music for the Harvest Festival; remembrance day
	music and music for the Christmas production
Computing	In computing, we will be developing our digital
	literacy through understanding how to stay safe
	online; developing our coding skills in computer
	science and developing our information technology
	skills through spreadsheets.
Forest school	Forest School is a child-centred inspirational learning
	process that offers opportunities for holistic growth
	and hands-on experiences in the natural environment.
	It's creative and can increase a child's confidence as
	they problem-solve and learn to manage risks.

## Homework:

- 1) Reading
- 2) TT Rockstars
- 3) Spellings
- 4) Termly homework grid complete 4 tasks (one from each curriculum area) over the half term. Repeat over the next half term, choosing different tasks.