



Our Lady and St Joseph Curriculum Newsletter Spring Term- Year 5



Welcome to the Spring Term! We hope you had an enjoyable Christmas break and are looking forward to the year ahead. Please see below for an outline of this term's curriculum.

	English	We will continue to work on our reading and writing skills using our class reader 'Wonder.' We will also practise our comprehension, grammar and punctuation skills.
	Maths	Fractions, Multiplication and Division, Decimals and Percentages, Perimeter and Area, Statistics .
	R.E/R.S.E.	Local Church: Community, Eucharist: Relating, Islam, Lent/Easter: Giving.
	Science	Earth and Space Forces
	History/Geography	Geography - What is life like in the Amazon? History - Would the Vikings do anything for money?
	Art/D.T.	Mechanisms using CAMs to make a moving toy.
	P.E.	Gymnastics Striking and fielding
	Music	Read music rhythms using a grid, learn how to improvise solos and listen to the Jazz composer Thelonious Monk.
	Computing	Gaming Internet safety
	Spanish	Revise basic questions/answers to be able to hold a short conversation. Learn new vocabulary about transport and the city.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
- Homework due in - Spellings and times tables given out.	-	- Spanish - PE. Children to come into school in their PE kit.	-Homework given out.	- Music - Spelling and times table tests.

Reading record books and reading books should be brought into school daily.

Please continue to support your child at home by reading with them and asking them questions about their books. Please also support your child with their times tables/division facts and spellings each week.

Many thanks,
Ms. Harries