**English**In English, year 5 will be learning about historical fiction and will write a story set in the past that stays consistently within that period of time. The class will use The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas, as well as other texts, to help them discover the features of historical fiction, the children will also use the laptops and reference books from the library to accurately research their chosen period of time.
There will also be a continual focus on grammar, punctuation and spelling throughout the term.

**R.E.**

Our religion for this term is Christianity and our key question is: *“What is the best way for a Christian to show commitment to God?”*The class will use debating, research, interviews, drama and art to answer this question.

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**Science**Year 5 will be learning about the role of a scientist, how science has changed our lives and the use’s science has in the real world! The will look at how forensics play a big part in solving crimes and will solve a crime themselves!

**Topic**In topic, year 5 will be learning about the Anglo-Saxons. Where they came from, why they travelled to Britain, the significant events that made up that period of history, their art and culture and what the Anglo-Saxons left behind for us.

**Guided Reading**

The class book for this term is “The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas.” The class will be reading the text each day and engage in discussions and work set around the text. Each Friday the class will read a non-fiction text linked to topic, science, R.E and current events.

**Maths**

In maths, the class will be focusing on the properties of shapes, specifically measuring angles. Other units this term include: position and direction of shapes on a grid, converting units of measurement and volume and capacity.
We will continue to work on developing our problem solving and reasoning skills, as well as recapping learning from previous units.

**P.E.**

Year 5 will have Judo on a Wednesday afternoon and Hockey on a Thursday afternoon. A PE kit must be worn for both lessons.

**Cooking and Nutrition**

Each Thursday afternoon, Year 5 will learn how to make a variety of delicious and healthy meals. Remember to bring a container!

**French**

Year 5 will be learning about The Olympics! The history of the Olympics and how to talk about different sports.

**Computing**In computing, year 5 will be using Purple Mash to learn how to code. Starting off with basic instructions and then leading onto more complicated tasks.

**PSHE**In PSHE, year 5 will be looking at the changes they will go through as they get older as part of our “Changing Me” unit of RHSE.