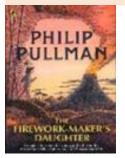
Year 5 Learning Overview: Autumn 1

Reading





"The Firework-Maker's Daughter," by Philip Pullman, tells the story of Lila, a young girl who dreams of becoming a firework-maker. To prove herself, Lila embarks on a perilous journey. The story emphasizes themes of self-belief, perseverance, and the importance of friendship.

Treason is an historical novel set in the Tudor period. It deals with the intrigue, ambitions and fears in Henry VIII's court, seen through the eyes of 11 year old Will Montague, page to the little Prince Edward. When Will's father is thrown into Newgate prison for treason, Will has to take refuge in the streets of London. But he must save his father's life!

Writing

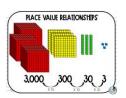


Children will learn about Feisty Queens before researching a well-known female of their own choice to write a biography about.

'The Explorer' will be used as our starting point for writing our own adventurous narratives.

Maths

Place Value



Addition and Subtraction

Science

FORCE AND MOTION







What is gravity? What are the effects of air resistance, water resistance and frication? How do mechanisms allow a smaller force to have a greater effect? These are all questions Year 5 will be investigating this half term.

Art



Frida Kahlo

Use of bold and vibrant colour in painting.

Computing



Learners develop their understanding of computer systems and how information is transferred between systems and devices. Learners consider small-scale systems as well as large-scale systems. They explain the input, output, and process aspects of a variety of different real-world systems. Learners discover how information is found on the World Wide Web. through learning how search engines work (including how they select and rank results) and what influences searching, and through comparing different search engines.

Religious Education

Children will learn about the early Christian church: how it began and where it is now.

P.S.H.E.

Children develop their social skills through identifying emotions in themselves as well as others. They will learn about co-operation and compromise.

Spanish

Correct pronunciation and the date.

Music

Rock 'n' Roll

P.E. and Games

Gymnastics and Tag Rugby