Newnham Junior School



Curriculum Plan for Year 5 – Spring Term 2025			
English	Modern Play scripts, Shakespeare, narrative poetry, non-fiction texts, traditional stories, parodies. Examination of these texts will support the teaching of spelling, vocabulary, grammar, punctuation, composition & comprehension.		
Mathematics	Multiplication – three digits x two digits Decimals – hundredths Fractions of numbers Square – square roots, factors, primes, Generating sequences. + Autumn concepts revisited Shapes	Other areas Time – 24-hour timetables Types of triangles Map Scales. Line Graphs. Probability Area – irregular shapes Angles – reflex angles Pie Charts. Perimeter Rotational symmetry Capacity – Decimal rotation Mass – Decimal rotation Ratio & Proportion	
Science	Materials and their properties. Circle of Life		
D&T	Art Focus this term		
ICT	We are Architects We are Artists		
History	Development of society and government through 15 th , 16 th & 17 th Century.		
Geography	Village Study – Eyam, Peak District. Map skills, Mountain Environments.		
Art	Observational Drawing Developing skills and use of different media:-collage and painting		
PE/Games	The children will be working through a range of team working skills and gymnastic activities. 5P will be swimming on Tuesdays this term - PE on Thursday 5BC will be having PE on Tuesdays and Fridays - 5S on Tuesday and Wednesday		
PSHCE	Delivered through our Jigsaw Unit - Dreams and Goals - Healthy Me.		
Music	Romantic Music (composition) Working towards the Class Assembly .		
Religion and World Views	Investigating Key Questions :- What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain Today? – Why do Some people believe God exists?		
Spanish	5S Time to Eat - People Around Me 5BC Meeting and Greeting and Numbers 1-10 5P No Spanish this term due to Swimming		
Visits/	Visit to Hampton Court - Wednesday 23rd April		
Performances	Mother's Day Assembly - all performances will take place from 9am and last approximately 45 minutes		
	5P Tuesday 25th March 5BC Wednesday 26th March 5S Thursday 27th March		
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HOMEWORK: All homework will be available on Google Classroom from 4pm on the day it is set, using the pupil username & password for Google Classroom (accessible through our school website). No work will need printing. If a hard copy is needed, it will be provided. Spellings are also set weekly. Maths and English –Total approximately 2 hours. 10 min reading per night. Homework is set on a Friday. Literacy is usually due in on Thursday & Maths homework is due on Wednesday.