

## YEAR 5 - AUTUMN 2

**Reading Focus** - our class book this term is 'Tom's Midnight Garden' by Philippa Pearce. We will continue to choose books to read from our 'Recommended Reads' list for Year Five as well as reading for pleasure; choosing from a range of fiction and non-fiction from our class and school libraries.

*Seeking to nurture...*

*SelF-belief CourAge ResIlience AmbiTion Harmony*

### Learning to Learn!

We will continue to develop our abilities to:

*Enquire  
Think  
Imagine  
Create  
Explore  
Collaborate  
Reflect*

### In English...

In our writing composition we will be writing letters, character profiles and describing settings.

Our spelling focus will include Orange words and homophones. In our grammar learning we will focus on modal verbs, apostrophes, conjunctions and parenthesis.

### In Maths...

Using the White Rose Maths resources to teach we will encounter...

Multiplication, Division and a unit on Fractions.

We will continue to develop our mental maths skills, arithmetic and times tables recall.

### In RE...

We will be learning about Daniel and finding out about the true meaning of Christmas and learning about how Christmas is celebrated around the world.

### In Science...

We will be exploring everyday materials and how they change, in our topic *Materials and their Properties*.

### In Geography...

We will be learning about the regions of the UK and discovering how some of these areas have changed over time.

### In Computing...

We will be looking at Online Safety and also using a range of databases.

### In Design and Technology...

We will be exploring cam mechanisms and making moving toys.

### In PSHE...

We will learn about what decisions people can make with money.

### In PE...

We will be developing our indoor athletic skills.

*"Stand firm... be courageous" 1 Cor 16:13*