



# Stunning Space!

## Year Group 5

### Term 2



#### Key Areas of Learning

As **Historians** we will explore the different scientists of the past and the hypothesis that they created to explain the forces in our world.

As **Scientists** we will develop our knowledge and understanding of forces through investigations to prove or adapt our existing thoughts, from this we will discover new knowledge about how the world works.

As **Artists** we will be further developing our art techniques by using a range of mediums to create recycling collages.

#### LITERACY

In Literacy this term children will develop their story-telling and writing skills through the story of *Narnia*. This story will allow the children to think about what it would be like to go through a portal into another world. Our grammar focus will develop use of direct speech, fronted adverbials and commas for clarification. Our non-fiction focus will be a persuasive advert, understanding how to use language to persuade others, based on a target audience.

#### MATHS

Children will be taught the key aspects of:

- Understanding the different features of shapes.
- Understanding fractions.
- Understanding converting decimals.

Children will develop their problem solving and reasoning skills within these topics.

#### RE

We will be exploring Christianity and the beliefs that revolve around Christmas.

#### PSHE

Through the 'Understanding Others' theme we will be listening to others' experiences and our various thoughts on different matters. We will also be doing regular circle time.

#### MUSIC

We will continue to develop our music skills through use of the Charanga programme. Our continuing focus will be modern music, with particular focus on rap; such as Fresh Prince of Bel Aire.

#### ICT

In ICT this term we will continue to learn the basics of coding. This will involve loops, repeats and concise programming.

#### PE

We will start to develop the skills needed to be mature sportspeople, including teambuilding.

#### EXPERIENCES

Our experiences will be

- A trip related to gravity and forces.

#### SCHOOL THEME

Through our theme 'Understanding Others' we will:

- Listening to others' opinions and thoughts about various subjects.
- Thinking about other people in the world.

#### SMSC

To develop our spiritual, moral, social and cultural awareness as children we will:

- Show respect for the each other.
- Listen/respond appropriately to debate.

#### COMMUNITY

As members of the school community we will contribute towards the Christmas fair and Children in Need.