OXLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL

LEMURS

English

Shakespeare's classic Romeo and Juliet. Here we will use the power of drama to understand how characters felt and re-enact some of the poignant scenes before writing a newspaper report and our take with a modern twist! In reading, we will be looking at poetry, song lyrics and short stories to improve our comprehension skills.

PE

This half term, we will begin swimming as well as practicing our gymnastic and hockey skills.

PSHE

In PSHE we will be looking at how skills we have could help us in future employment. We will also be looking at the types of jobs we might be interested in and what we would need to work towards them.

Science

We will be concentrating on learning all about electricity and using previous knowledge to construct and draw circuits accurately.

DT

We will be finishing our fairground project by combining our knowledge of cams and pulleys with electronics! Watch this space!

Welcome back to Year 5!

We're excited to start our next term in year 5! We have lots of exciting new topics to explore and we can't wait to get started. Below are some of the topics we will be learning about.

PE days: Fridays. Swimming: Tuesdays

Library Slot: Wednesdays

Maths

In maths, we are moving on to our second unit of multiplication where we will look into formal written methods. We will also be returning to fractions and then starting to explore decimals and percentages.

RE

Our topic is Judaism and we will be starting this topic with research about how Jewish people show their faith and how this affects their daily lives before delving into aspects of special items and celebrations.

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Geography

In geography we will continue to explore rivers; looking into flooding and at how Bedrich Smetana used music to describe the course of his believed national river, which we will have a go at ourselves.

French

In French, we will move on to learning all about planets they will learn a key set of adjectives and use this to describe the solar system. They will also work on longer more detailed sentences.

Art

We're very excited this half term to be concentrating on creating art about who we are and our identities. We will be looking at arious artists who use their heritage to create meaningful art to them.

Music

In music, we are focusing on rhythm. We will use a variety of timbres and techniques when creating and playing music as well as maintain a rhythmic part in a group performance.