Supernova and Galaxy Y5 Class : Autumn 2 Newsletter

What will we be learning this half term?

English

This half term, our focus is creating non-chronological reports. First, we will write about Emperor Penguins before choosing our own animal.



Mathematics

This half-term we are working on the topics of multiplication and division, as well as fractions. For these topics, we need to be secure in our times tables.

Phonics/Spelling

This half term we will be covering rules such as:

- Words ending in 'ent' and 'ence'.
- Words ending in 'able' and 'ible'.
- Words ending 'ably' and 'ibly'.
- Words that are adverbs of time e.g. earlier

Recommended Home Reads

Percy Jackson is an exciting series where a boy discovers he's the son of a Greek god. It introduces children to Greek mythology in a fun, engaging way.

Foundation Subjects

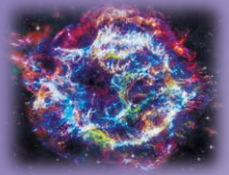
In Autumn 2, we will cover the following topics: Properties of Materials in science, Anglo-Saxons and Vikings in history, structures in DT, web page creation in computing, Buddhism in R.E and continuing to learn French this year in Modern Foreign Languages.

Upcoming dates

20/11 – Speed Stacking session
29/11 - Spixworth Christmas lights switch on
1/12 - Parent/Carer meeting week
16/12 - Year 5/6 Christmas Performance 2:15pm
18/12 - Christmas Jumper and Christmas Dinner
19/12 – Last day of terrm

General notices

Remember to name all items of clothing.
P.E days are:
Mr Read: Tuesday and Thursday.
Ms Watson: Monday and Wednesday.
Our topics will be Hockey and Tag Rugby.



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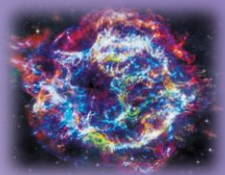

You can support our learning even further...

As the term progresses, test us on...

Maths – Multiplication and Division:

- Multiples, Common Multiples, Factors, Common Factors, Prime Numbers, Square Numbers, Cubed Numbers, Multiply and Divide by 10, 100, 1000 and Multiples of 10, 100 and 1000.

Maths – Fractions:

- Equivalent Fractions, Improper Fractions and Mixed Numbers, Adding and Subtracting Fractions within 1 and greater than 1 and Subtracting from a Mixed Number

Question us about...

History – Anglo Saxons and Vikings:

- Historical leaders from the time-period – Guthrum, Athelstan and Alfred the Great.
- Our understanding of the words: Raiders, Traders and Settlers.

PE - Hockey:

- How to hold a hockey stick correctly.
- Understanding the importance of working as part of a team.

Ask us to explain...

Computing: Web Page Creation

- What is Google Sites?
- What is a web page and how does it differ from a website?
- What makes a good webpage?
- What is copyright? How does this link to fair use?

See if we can remember...

Can you read and spell the following?

innocence, intelligent, frequent, emergent, confidence, competence, transparent, eloquence, violent, intelligence, dependable, comfortable, understandable, reasonable, enjoyable, reliable, possible, horrible, terrible, incredible