English

Our reading text will be Kensuke's Kingdom by Michael Morpurgo where the children will expand their vocabulary whilst developing their retrieval and inference skills. Our writing stimuli will consist of a firstperson narrative based on the short video 'Rock, Paper, Scissors.' We will also be using Kensuke's Kingdom, and poems by Matt Goodfellow for our writing stimuli this half term. We will continue working on our joint handwriting and Y5 SPaG.

📶 Science

This half term we will be working on the biology element of science where our unit is 'Life Cycles'. Children will explore the life cycle of mammals, amphibians, insects and birds.

French The Date: we will learn the days of the week, months of the year and numbers 1-31.

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term. We will then progress onto the formal methods of the four main operations in maths: adding, subtracting, multiplying and dividing. Using Big Maths, we will address missing gaps in the children's times tables knowledge and practise our mathematical skills in a range of contexts. Children should continue to use TTRS to work on their timetable knowledge.

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Place value will be our main focus

for the first 3 weeks of this half

Geography

Our topic will be 'What is life like in the Alps?' During this unit of work we will be looking at what life in the Alps is like, why people visit the Alps and physical and human features in the Alps. We will look at a case study of Innsbruck, a small, popular village in the Alps.

Design & Technology

This half term we will be completing our Design and Technology unit '**Electric Systems: Doodlers**'. The children will design, create and evaluate their very own Doodler.

PSHE

Our unit 'Families and Relationships' will include selfrespect as well as challenging stereotypes. We will also be looking at the importance of friendship and managing our friendships. In addition this unit will cover bullying, marriage and family life. E- Safety: Online Reputation, Self-Image & Identity Children will work on their 'Basic Skills' before moving onto looking at 'Computing Systems,' 'Networks – Systems &

Sensing.'

φ**Γ** PE

Health & Related Exercise: Children will perform cardio, flexibility and strength focused circuits developing their own fitness.
Wall: Children will focus on developing skills related to games like tennis, squash, or volleyball where players aim to send the ball over a net or against a wall.



This half term we will be focusing on the religion 'Christianity', our big question for this unit is '**What does it mean if Christians** believe God is holy and loving?'

Believe and achieve

We will be participating in Brass, working with MNP to learn and develop our music skills.