



# Year 5/6 Kingfishers



## Curriculum Newsletter: Summer i 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,  
 I hope you all had a restful and enjoyable Easter break. We're looking forward to an exciting new term of learning together.  
 Details of our irresistible curriculum for this half-term can be found below.

<p><b><u>History</u></b>            We will be finding out how the Ancient Greeks spent their leisure time and how their society was organised, exploring artefacts and evidence along the way.</p> 	<p><b><u>English</u></b>            Key Texts:  <b><i>The Iliad and the Odyssey</i></b>            by Marcia Williams            Heroes, quests and mythical beasts... the children will be writing narratives on an epic scale!</p> 	<p><b><u>Maths</u></b>            White Rose maths units this half term focus statistics and geometry.</p>  <p>We will be continuing to work on our arithmetic</p>
<p><b><u>Geography</u></b>            We will continue to learn about biomes, We also review map skills and learn about the geography of modern Greece.</p> 	<p><b><u>Religious Education</u></b>            Our theme this half term is making a difference. The children will explore concepts including justice, truth, compassion and service, which all form part of our school value of dignity.</p> 	<p><b><u>Physical Education</u></b>            Games in our Friday PE lessons with Sam and additional work in COAL on Thursdays.</p> 

## Computing

Pupils will develop their knowledge and understanding of producing 3D models. They will initially familiarise themselves with working in a 3D space, moving, resizing, and duplicating objects. Learners will examine the benefits of grouping and ungrouping 3D objects, then go on to plan, develop, and evaluate their own 3D model of a building.



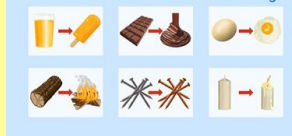
## Science

Year 6: A biology focus this half-term: our task is to explore adaptation, variation and inheritance.



Year 5: A physics focus this half-term: reversible and irreversible changes. They will begin this topic by looking at what dissolving, filtering and sieving are. They will then look at solutions, evaporation and discussed which changes can be reversed and which cannot.

### Reversible and Irreversible Changes



## French

Each week we will continue to learn French, combining conversational French with some written work on grammar and vocabulary.



## PSHE

This half term, our Jigsaw puzzle is "Relationships"



## COAL

On Thursday afternoons the children have a fantastic opportunity for creative, outdoor and adventurous learning in Forest School.

## Reminders

PE will be on Thursdays and Friday. Please make sure children have appropriate footwear for PE and come to school dressed in their PE kits. Homework for maths will be set on Thursdays, to be brought back to school the following Thursday, when it will be reviewed in class. English homework will be set in Book Club each Friday, to be completed by the following Book Club lesson on the next Friday. Reading books and filled water bottles should be brought to school every day please. Thank you.