

Science:

Earth and Space

- Looking at the planets in the Solar System
- To discover how planets orbit the Sun
- Research into different scientists and their theories of the universe

PE:

This half term, Year 5 will be having P.E. every Wednesday.

Maths:

Multiplication and Division

- To multiply and divide numbers using formal written methods

Fractions

- To add and subtract fractions
- To look at mixed number fractions

Literacy:

Science Fiction Stories

- Reading 'Zathura: A Space Adventure' by Chris Van Allsburg
- Begin sentences with place/time adverbials.
- Writing their own Science Fiction story.

Earthlings

This half term, all of the work in year 5 will link to Earth and Space.

Art:

- To explore abstract art and artists
- To experiment with scale of drawings
- Explore how to build textures using different resources

Music:

- To listen to a variety of composers
- To listen to the work of John Williams
- Compose their own piece of Sci-Fi music

Homework Task:

As part of our topic this half term, we would like children (if possible) to pick create an artistic display of the planets. They could select one planet to display or multiple, it is their choice.