

This is what your child will be learning in school. As always, we welcome your support and encourage you to talk and explore some of these with your child at home.

### Maths

This term, in maths, we are continuing to develop our maths skills, focusing on:

Decimals, Negative numbers, converting units and Volume

**Ask your child to show you a new piece of information they have learnt in Maths – can you solve their problem? We'd love to see – send us a picture on Dojo!**

Please encourage your child to access timetable Rockstar.

### History

How has the Victorian period impacted modern day society?

This term, Year 5 will be exploring the Victorians... **We have a visit booked on 25<sup>th</sup> June 2024 to Leeds Industrial Museum (Armley Mills) – Look out for the letter!**

### Art

Pupils will compete their first textiles topic of the year and produce a piece of embroidery. **We would love to see any of these skills being used at home.**

### DT

Pupils will learn to use gears to create a rotating mechanism.

### PSHE

This term we look at caring, friendships and communities.

**Please ask your child what are the basic first aid skills?**

### RE

*This half term we will be looking at creation and the stories behind it across different religions.*

**Can they tell you what creation means?**

### Science

#### Forces

This topic involves learning about different forces and to understand that forces can act on objects, including levers, pulleys and engineering.

## Cogheart

### Geography

#### Mountains and Rivers.

They will be able to locate and describe mountains and rivers across the world and justify their significance to settlements and landscapes.

**Which mountains and rivers are closest to where you live?**

### ICT

This half term, pupils will be creating their own persuasive advert using Audacity.

**Can they teach you how to have a go?**

### Spanish

This term we are focusing on describing our **hometown in Spanish.**

**Please ask your child to speak Spanish at home.**

### Music

This term in music pupils will be improvising and composing a movie soundtrack to accompany a film trailer.

**Please tell us your favourite movie soundtracks.**

### PE

Full kit is required **Thursday** for PE, where you will be learning the skills in tennis and rounders

### Homework

**Reading** - all students are expected to read 4 times a week and ensure it is recorded in reading records.

**SPAG, spelling, reading comprehension & maths** – all pupils are expected to complete this in their homework books.

## Year 5 – Half-term 6



### English

This term in English we are focussing on:

#### Macbeth

Our writing is linked to this text- we will be learning how to write a suspense narrative based on the witches.

**Please ask your child what our audience and purpose of these texts are.**

Spelling, grammar and punctuation is taught every day and is always linked in with our writing skills. This term our focus is: range of cohesive devices, parenthesis, range of clauses modal verbs, suspense and a range of formality.