

# Eummer Term in Year 5



## **English**

This half term we start off with looking at 'The Eye of the Storm' and recap some of our basic writing skills. Following this we will be creating a biography for Tim Peake, writing a narrative based in Space and deciding on a piece of writing linked to Curiosity; The story of a Mars Rover.

**HOW CAN YOU HELP?** Please read at least 3 times a week with your child. Share a book together and read a section each.







#### **Maths**

Following on from our work on area and perimeter we will look at properties of shapes. After looking at position and direction we will return to our learning linked to decimals and negative numbers.

HOW YOU CAN HELP - Please look at the allocated activities on Power Maths as we are going to resend log in details.

### Science

After finishing our work on properties of materials, our learning will shift to Earth and Space. We will build on our knowledge from the Autumn term and investigate the moon.

HOW YOU CAN HELP- Have a look at BBC
Bitesize and share the information together.
https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z8vxb7h

# **History**

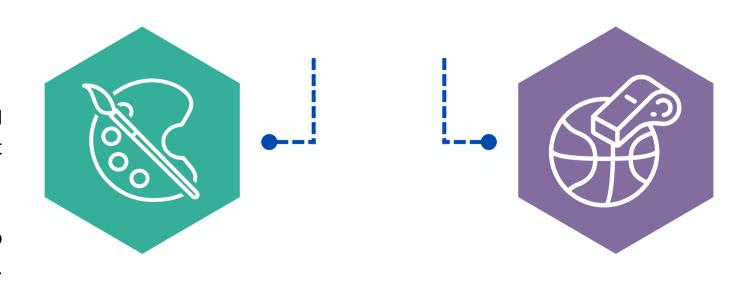
Due to our '£5 challenge', we still have some learning to cover linked to the Ancient Greeks. The children have completed some amazing pieces of writing. We will be looking at the impact of the Greeks on the modern world today.

**HOW YOU CAN HELP-** Spend some time in the local library looking for information texts based on the Ancient Greeks or have some family time watching the Groovy Greeks videos online.

#### **ART**

We will continue to focus on Van Gogh and develop our skills to re-create a Starry Night linked to our science learning.

**HOW CAN YOU HELP -** Take some time to watch this video about the artist himself. https://www.youtube.com/watch?



#### PE

In indoor PE this half term we will be developing our Badminton skills. Watch out as there could be a budding champ in our midst!

HOW YOU CAN HELP- Get out and about for a

walk to have a healthy body and mind. How many steps can you do i8n a day?