

# Year 5 Autumn 2

## PSHCE

### Living in the Wider World Britain

This unit is inspired by the idea that Britain represents a wide range of faiths and ethnicities. It aims to enable the children to identify how they can make a positive contribution to the community. They will also learn about the law, the consequences of not respecting it and the workings of local and national government.

## RE

### Christmas

This unit begins to introduce children to the different versions of the Christmas story in the Gospels, specifically in the gospels of Luke and Matthew, and pupils are asked to begin to consider why there are these differences in these accounts. This unit also allows children to look at the differences in customs and traditions associated with celebrating Christmas in different parts of the world.

## FRENCH

### Feelings and Emotions

*Grammar focus: Personal pronouns, auxiliary verbs  
etre/avoir*

Children will be able to talk and write about their feelings and emotions.

## GEOGRAPHY

### The UK

Children will be able to name and locate countries and cities of the UK, land use patterns and understand how some of these aspects have changed over time.

By the end of this unit, children will have a sound understanding of physical geographical features through exploring the economic trade links, types of settlement and land use, climate, rivers and upland areas across England. They will be introduced to the role of our city in the current globalised environment with regards to the import and export trade.

## PE

### Hockey

Children will be able to use a number of techniques to pass, dribble and shoot. They will also use a range of skills to keep possession and make progress towards a goal.

### Dance

Children will be able to compose their own dances in a creative and imaginative way. They will be able to perform to an accompaniment expressively and sensitively and perform controlled movements with clarity, fluency, accuracy and consistency. They will compare and comment on skills, techniques and ideas that they and others have used and use their observations to improve their work.

### Health and Fitness

Children will be able to: explain some important principles when preparing for exercise (specific muscles); explain the effect that exercise has on their body and explain why exercise is important.

## ART

### Life Drawing and Abstract Art

**Artist:** Georges Seurat and Paul Klee

**Technique:** life drawing, pointillism and abstract art.

**Skills:** drawing human body proportions, pointillism with felt-tip pens, soft pastel smudging and painting with black.

This half term the Y5 students will start the topic of Life Drawing. They will learn about the human body's proportions and they will draw each other. Their final piece will be inspired by Georges Seurat's Pointillism technique.

They will also look at the abstract work of Paul Klee and produce their own piece of abstract artwork.

## COMPUTING

### E-Safety

Children will learn how to make a safe password and create their own to use online. They will also learn about the impact of putting images of themselves online

### Scratch - Sounds

Scratch is a programming language where children can program interactive media. They will be using a variable to increase programming possibilities; decompose a problem into smaller parts to design an algorithm to use to write a programme and use logical reasoning to detect and debug mistakes in a program. They will troubleshoot mistakes in data, suggest how it could be checked and select, use and combine the appropriate technology to create different effects.

## SCIENCE

### Properties and Changes of Materials

Children will compare and group materials based on their properties. They will explore dissolving, separating materials, uses of everyday materials and reversible and irreversible changes.

## MUSIC

### Celebrations

Children will prepare for the Christmas Show focusing on learning new songs, breathing and singing techniques, reading Music Notation and continue developing their performing skills. They will also learn songs about Diwali, Eid and Guru Nanak.

