

This half term in year 5, we will be reading The Explorer by Katherine Rundell.

EXPLORER

Key knowledge and skills	Key vocabulary
Sciences	Life cycle
· As part of their life cycle, plants and animals reproduce. Most	Reproduce
animals reproduce sexually. This involves two parents where	Egg
the sperm from the male fertilises the female egg.	Sperm
<ul> <li>Animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults.</li> </ul>	Fertilise
· In humans and some animals, these offspring will be born live,	Live young
such as babies or kittens, and then grow into adults. In other	Sexual/asexual
animals, such as chickens or snakes, there may be eggs laid	Metamorphosis
that hatch to young which then grow to adults. Some young	Plantlets
undergo a further change before becoming adults e.g.	
caterpillars to butterflies. This is called a metamorphosis.	
· Plants reproduce both sexually and asexually. Bulbs, tubers,	
runners and plantlets are examples of asexual plant	
reproduction which involves only one parent.	
Computing	Animation
·To plan a game.	Image
·To design and create the game environment.	Texture
$\cdot$ To design and create the game quest.	Perspective
$\cdot$ To finish and share the game.	Computer game
· To self and peer evaluate.	Customise
	Screen shot
	Playability
	interactive
Geography:	Latitude
· Lines of latitude and longitude are measured in degrees and	Longitude
they are used to describe locations.	Tropic of Cancer
· Lines of latitude are measured in degrees north and south of	Tropic of Capricom



	·The Equator splits the world into the Northern and Southern	Southern Hemisphere			
	hemisphere				
R.E	R.E.: sacrifice				
	Christians believe Jesus sacrificed himself so that people could	.1. 1.			
	be reconciled with God and have a relationship with God	reconciliation			
	based on forgiveness.				
P.S	S.H.C.E.:	Antihistamine			
•	A vaccine is given to prevent contracting a disease or illness	Anaphylaxis			
	or to limit the effect an illness could have on you.				
•	You are offered many vaccines throughout your life.				
	Many allergies have medication to help prevent reactions.				
Fre	enchi	Un pantalon—trousers			
•	To understand and remember some items of clothing in French.	Un pull-jumper			
•	To identify parts of the verb "porter"/gain understanding about	Un short-shorts			
	verb patterns in French.	Une robe-a dress			
•	To write a simple sentence using adjectives of colour.	Une jupe—a skirt			
•	To understand and write with support some simple sentences	Des baskets—trainers			
	about clothes using a variety of adjectives.	Des chaussures—shoes			
•	To understand a detailed description of an outfit including	Un tee-shirt—a t-shirt			
	known and unknown vocabulary.	Grand—big			
•	To write a description of a sports kit using the verb "porter", a	Petit—small			
	variety of adjectives and nouns, including a conjunction.				
Mu	usici	Synesthesia			
	A vocal composition is a piece of music created only using	Dynamics			
	voices.	Holi			
	Varying effects can be created using only your voice, for	Graphic score			
	example by changing the pitch, dynamic or tempo of the sound	Vocal composition			
	made.	'			
•	Human voices have their own individual timbre, and that this				
	can be adapted by using the voice in different ways.				
P.E	P.E.:				
	Netball				
•	Outdoor and adventurous				

## Key dates and other information:

 $\rm 12^{th}$  March – Middlewich Community Centre to watch MHS performance of Moana

