

Brainwaves



Welcome back to school!

Our first IPC unit this year is Brainwaves . During this unit we will be looking at different parts of the brain and how they work.

Also we will be looking at how we learn and the different attitudes to learning. The unit will also include the importance of global awareness.

Please talk to your child about their learning and support them in looking at issues happening around the world.

Class Information

Year 5 will need their PE kits on a **Monday** and a **Thursday**.

Spelling rules will be given on a Monday to practise for Friday.

All children have been given a reading book from our Accelerated Reading scheme. This book needs to be in school each day. Children still need to be reading at home and having their reading record signed at least three times a week.

English

In English we will be looking at

- Poetry—The Highway Man
- Spelling looking at words from the statutory list for year 3 and 4
- Identifying word classes
- Guided reading

Maths

In Maths we will be looking at

Unit 1: Place value within 100,000

- read, write, order and compare numbers to at least 1,000,000 and determine the value of each digit
 - count forwards or backwards in steps of powers of 10 for any given number up to 1,000,000
 - round any number up to 1,000,000 to the nearest 10, 100, 1,000, 10,000 and 100,000
- read Roman numerals to 1,000 (M) and recognise years written in Roman numerals

Dates to Remember

Many Thanks
Mrs Mitchell

In the Brainwaves unit we will

- Know about some of the recent evidence and research into the brain and learning
- Know about some of the different areas of the brain and their function
- Understand the different ways that they can learn
- Understand how they can improve their learning and their attitudes to learning
- Understand the importance of cooperation and global awareness in their learning

In RE we will

- The key beliefs of the Sikh religion. They will look at the significance of the 10 gurus. They will also look at the importance of the holy book and symbols connected to the faith.
- The values that Sikhs follow and to think about the values they have and find important.

In Computing we will be:

Can accurately use procedures
Use a scoring system which uses a variable to define winning conditions.

In PHSE we will be studying: Being Me in my World

- My Year Ahead
- Being a citizen in my country
- Rewards and consequences
- Learning Charter

In PE we will be

- Looking at the game of netball
- Throwing, catching, defending, shooting and marking
- Playing invasion games

In French we will

- Recapping the Year 3/4 objectives
- In French we will study the unit :On Holiday**
- Where are you going and staying
 - At the zoo and beach
 - At the theme park