



Magnificent Mountains

Year 5 – Spring 2
2025

English

We will continue our reading of Street Child from which our writing will be based – a balanced argument and writing the next chapter of the story. SPaG includes modal verbs and adverbs of possibility. We will also have our weekly spelling test.

Maths

We will be learning all about statistics and the formal methods of multiplication and division. We will continue to practice and learn times tables.

R.E.

We will be finding out about the ways in which Hindus worship at home and the Mandir.



Healthy Me



Wednesday

GROW will link to both our CLICK and Science topics.



PE: Wednesday - 4/5HD and 5PA

Thursday and Friday - 5IC

Kit: plain t-shirt, plain shorts, tracksuit bottoms, pumps or trainers.

No jewellery to be worn in this lesson

Swimming: Thursday am – 4/5HD

Friday am – 5PA

Kit: towel, swimming trunks / costume – no bikinis or tankinis.

No jewellery to be worn in this lesson

Subject	Key Vocabulary	
Science The Earth, Sun and Moon	Asteroid	A small rocky body orbiting the sun.
	Axis	An imaginary line about which a body rotates.
	Celestial	Positioned in or relating to the sky or outer space as observed in the astronomy.
	Geocentric	Where people believed that Earth was at the centre of the solar system.
	Heliocentric	Representing the sun as the centre of the solar system, the modern view of the solar system.
	Moon	A natural satellite of any planet.
	Night	The period from sunset to sunrise in each twenty-four hours.
	Orbit	The regularly repeated oval course of a celestial object around a star and planet.
	Planet	A celestial body moving in orbit round a star.
	Rotation	The action of rotating about an axis or centre.
	Solar system	The collection of eight planets and their moons in orbit round the sun
Star	A fixed luminous point in the night sky which is a large, remote body like the sun.	
Sun	The star round which planets orbit.	

Subject	Key Vocabulary	
CLICK Magnificent Mountains	Altitude	The height above sea level.
	Avalanche	A large amount of snow that quickly moves down a mountain or slope.
	Climate	Climate is the long-term weather pattern in an area, typically averaged over 30 years.
	Contour Lines	A line on a map joining points of equal height above or below sea level.
	Gorges	A narrow valley with steep walls, found between hills or mountains
	Layer Shading	Areas of different heights are shown using different colours. A key is used to show how high the land is.
	Mountain	A mountain is usually defined as a part of the landscape with steep slopes that rise over 300m.
	Mountain Range	A mountain range is a group of mountains which are often found together.
	Spot Heights	The exact height of a place above the ground is measured and written onto a map.
	Summit .	The highest point of a mountain.

Homework

At the start of every half term your child will be given a booklet which will include... Spelling lists for the whole half term to learn which they will be tested on in class, Maths sheets and CLICK activities to complete.

Pupils should also read to an adult at least 3 times a week at home and should keep practising times tables. Children who complete homework will be rewarded in class.