

## Computing

### We are developers

We will be designing and developing a game.

### E-safety

Privacy/security  
Digital footprint  
How to keep yourself safe online



## English

### Whole class reading

We will be studying different text types and practicing the skills required to be an outstanding reader.

### Class Reader

Chinese myths and legends

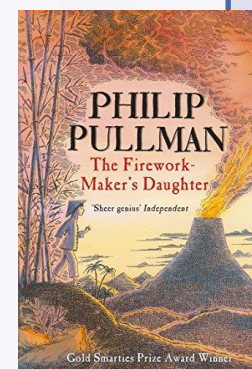
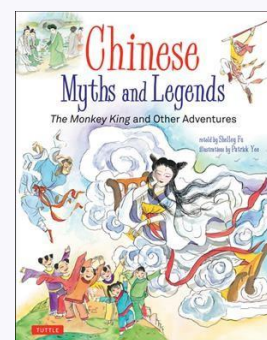
### Writing

### Fiction

Diary based around The Firework Maker's Daughter

### Non-Fiction

Firework instructions



## Science

### Animals including humans

We will be looking at the development of a child up to adult hood using both given and collected data and recording information in tables and graphs.

## Cornerstones

### Dynamic Dynasties

In this project, the children will learn about the history of ancient China and how it was an advanced civilization that grew without influence from the rest of the world. We will be focusing primarily on the Shang Dynasty and explores the legacy of the first five Chinese dynasties, some of which can still be seen in the world today.

## Music

Singing Assembly will take place on Wednesday mornings.

The children will have fortnightly music sessions with a specialist music teacher

## How can you help at home?

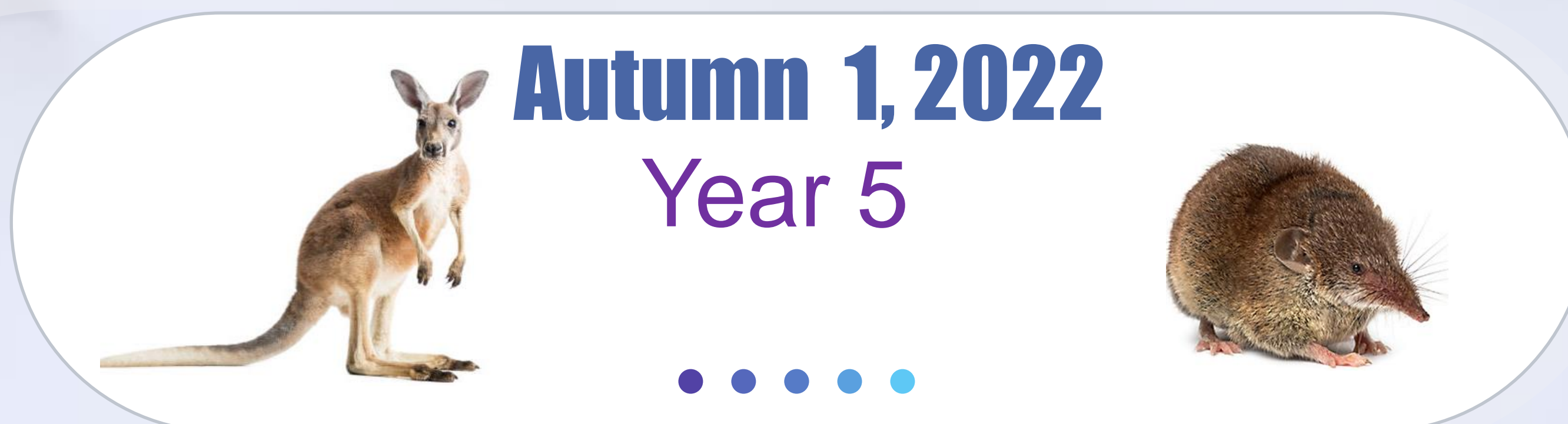
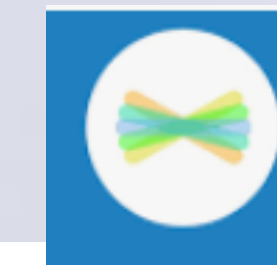
A very warm welcome to year 5 Kindhearted Kangaroos and Shrewd Shrews..

Read with your child every day. The more words that children read/hear, the better they will perform in all areas of the curriculum. You can support them by asking questions like "What do you think will happen next? Why do you think the character said that? What does that word mean?" Encourage them to use an online dictionary to look up words they have never seen before.

Check your internet security settings. Did you know you can set the internet to only be accessible at specific times from certain devices? We are more than happy to help with this - please contact the school office for support.

Play online maths games such as TTRS or Hit the Button to improve maths fluency and recall.

Help your child to be independent by encouraging them to pack their school bag the night before school - ensuring they have their reading record book, school reader and any other equipment they might need.



## MFL

### Mandarin

This year all year 5 children will benefit from a weekly lesson in Mandarin.

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## PE

Year 5 will have PE **every Tuesday**. Please ensure children arrive in school in their PE kit.

### Basketball

Team work  
Ball control, dribbling, passing and shooting.



### Fitness

How do we keep fit?  
Why is it important?

## PSHE

### First Aid

What to do in an emergency situation that can help save lives!

### Being My Best

How can I improve myself and achieve my goals

## Mathematics

### Place Value

In this maths unit, year 5 will:

- read, write, order and compare numbers up to 1,000,000 and determine the value of each digit
- round any whole number to a required degree of accuracy
- use negative numbers in context, and calculate intervals across 0
- solve number and practical problems that involve all of the above



### Addition and Subtraction

In this maths unit, year 5 will:

- \* Develop mental addition and subtraction strategies
- \* add and subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits
- \* round and use inverse operations to check answers
- \* Solve multi-step addition and subtraction problems

## RE

### Being modest

We are exploring the concept of being humble about our opinions and beliefs.

### Participating

We will be exploring and learning how individuals influence the nature of society.