

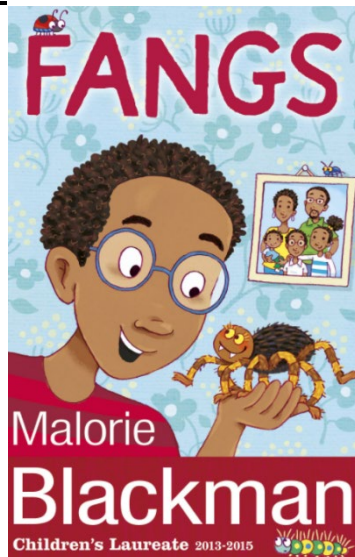
# Curriculum Newsletter

Year 3 Term 5 2020/21

Welcome to Term 5! We have had a strong start to the term and have been really enjoying our learning in all areas of the curriculum.

## Readers and Writers

Our first unit is linked to our history and we will be writing a report about the Tudors. We will practise using subordinate clauses and subheadings to organise our information.



In our second unit, we will read 'Fangs' by Malorie Blackman. We will study this and then write our own story.

## Mathematicians

In maths we are making sure we are ready for Year 4 by reviewing important skills. We are recapping Place Value and making sure we can partition 3 digit numbers in different ways.

We will then recap Addition and Subtraction. The children need to independently use column method to add and subtract 3 digits to be ready for Year 4.

## Kindness in the Classroom



Our unit for Kindness in the Classroom is Integrity. We will be thinking about what it means to be honest, and what it means to have a good reputation. We will be reading some stories and looking at different scenarios and thinking about how we would act to be honest.

## Historians

This term we are learning all about the Tudors and Stuarts. We have been learning about Tudor life 500 years ago. We will be working like an historian, studying different sources and thinking about what makes a reliable source.



We are very lucky to have Bristol Sport working with us this term! Our PE is on Thursday afternoons and we will be learning about Basketball.



We are having weekly spellings test each week. Your child will bring home a sheet with their words to practise, ready to be re-tested the following week.



For homework, we will continue to set tasks on Mathletics for the children at [login.mathletics.com](http://login.mathletics.com) Please read with your child every day. The children should be independently filling in their reading diaries but parent support with this is very much appreciated. **Reading diaries will be checked every Friday morning.**

Yours Sincerely, Miss Wheeldon