

# Year 5: Summer Term 2

## They See the World Like This



This term in Year 5 we are studying: They See the World Like this. The teaching of this topic will be embedded in core and non-core lessons through our IPC unit.

### Literacy

In Literacy this term we will be reading the atmospheric “Shackleton’s Journey” by William Grill. We will be using this fascinating and inspiring biography to develop our skills through writing in role, recounting events and presenting non-fiction texts. We will also be analysing how the author presents information in an engaging way for the reader and the effect of his language choices.

### Maths

In Maths this term, we will be continuing our focus on arithmetic and increasing our calculation speed, alongside our fluency and problem-solving skills.

We will be working through the topics of decimals and percentages, where we will be exploring how to apply our knowledge and skills to real life situations, as well as mastering the methods for calculating with decimals. In geometry, we will learn about the properties of shapes.

### Computing

We will be continuing our ongoing learning about online safety and responsible use of the internet, but we will be also be delving into the way in which we can be more critical of what we see and read online.

We will be working on our coding skills to create our own apps using random numbers to keep score.



### Creative Arts

In visual art, we will be learning about: how ‘Impressionists’ saw the world; why Japanese printed art was so special; how Abstract art developed and how art and music influence each other.

In Music, we’ll be finding out: how to compose Impressionist music; how to record and perform our work and how music reflects a place and time.

In Dance, we’ll be finding out: how to use gestures and movement and how to create a performance art piece.

### Science

In Science, we are going to be learning about the properties of materials. We will learn about how substances can be combined, and about reversible and irreversible changes.

### PSHE: No Outsiders in Our School

This term, we will continue to learn about the 2010 Equalities Act and the protected characteristics that make up this important law. We will continue to work to make sure that everyone is included.

Our **SRE** lessons will focus on puberty.