Summer Term…

We can’t believe that we are beginning the summer term which means that your child only has one term left in Year 5!

CONGRATULATIONS to all children for their fantastic Easter Collective Worship.

English

We will be beginning our topic on Biographies with visual literacy based on the video, ‘The Boy who learned to Fly’ about Usain Bolt. We will then write a biography about Usain Bolt. The children will then write a biography on a person of their choice.

Maths

In our sets this half term, we will be focusing on consolidating our understanding of all Year 5 objectives. Each set will be focusing on different objective to meet the needs of the children within that set.

Orthodox Church visit

Year 5 had a great time visiting the Serbian Orthodox Church of the Holy Prince Lazar known locally as Lazarica. The church is known for its richly decorated frescos depicting the Orthodox Saints and Biblical scenes. The children were well behaved and asked lots of great questions.
Useful Information

North America

This half term our topic is all about North America. The children will be looking at the similarities and differences between our country and a region in North America. We will also be writing a report about North America using the information we have found out throughout the topic.

In Art and Design the children will be continuing to design and make their own CAM toy. They will also be tie dying a white t-shirt as part of our topic day.

Our PSHE topic this half term is about relationships.

In Science we will be looking at the properties and changes of a range of materials. We will also look at reversible and irreversible changes.

In PE we will be learning to play rounders and orienteering.

In RE we will be looking at the Kingdom of God and biblical interpretations of it.

In French we will be learning where some French cities are located in France.

In Computing we will be looking at internet research and webpage design.

Reading: Children will be coming home with reading books regularly. Please continue to encourage your children to read at home. Please initial their entries to show that you have heard or seen them read.

Homework will continue to be set on Fridays and we ask that it is returned by the following Wednesday. We do expect children’s homework to be presented neatly. Please sign completed homework and add any comments if necessary.

Spellings will continue to be sent out and tested on Fridays and children will be encouraged to practise these whenever possible. Three sentences need to be written using three of the spelling words.

If you have any queries or concerns please contact us.

The Year 5 Team