

ST ANNE'S RC PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL

Autumn 2 Newsletter

Year Five



English

This term, our class text is 'Cogheart' by Peter Bunzl- an exciting steampunk adventure filled with mystery, courage and clockwork creations. We will use the text to write diary entries from the perspectives of the main characters and newspaper articles based on significant events in the story.

RE

This term, we will be exploring the Branch 'Prophecy and Promise', learning about the promises God made in the Bible and how they give hope for the future.

We will also be learning about leaders such as Joshua, Samuel, Saul and David, and thinking about what makes a good leader.

Geography

Mathematics

This term, we will be discovering how energy shapes our world! We'll explore what makes a successful settlement and learn about different types of energy — from renewable sources like wind and solar power to non-renewable ones like coal and gas — and how they impact our environment.

This term, we will be learning about fractions

adding them. We will also be revising the four

— understanding parts of a whole, finding

equivalent fractions, and comparing and

operations: addition, subtraction,

multiplication and division.

<u>Science</u>

we will be learning about our amazing solar system! We'll explore the Sun, Moon and planets, discovering how they move.

PE

This half term we will focus on Hockey and swimming.

French

We will be continuing to learn about birthdays and learning about Christmas in France.

Music

We will be singing and playing in different styles. We will be performing the song 'Living on a Prayer'.

PSHE/RSE

We will be celebrating difference: Respect for similarity and difference.

computing

This term, we will be learning how to plan, film, and edit our own videos! We'll explore how to tell stories through moving images and use digital tools to bring our ideas to life.

Art/DT

We will be exploring typography and maps in art.