

# Lodge Farm Primary School

## Year 5 Term: Summer 2

### English

#### Key Content:

This half term, our class reading book is *Young, Black and Gifted* by Jamia Wilson.

Children will explore a range of writing genres: biographies, stories from other cultures and poetry. They will plan, write, proof read, edit and produce a final 'best' version for each genre.

Our class poem is *Walking with my Iguana* by Brian Moses. Children will explore the structure (rhyme scheme and rhythm), vocabulary choices and use of poetic devices including similes, personification and metaphors. They will write their own haiku poem based on an animal and then perform their poem using clear expression and intonation. Children will also rehearse and perform by heart *Leisure* by W.H.Davies using clear expression, volume and intonation.

Reading lessons will be linked to their class reading book and will focus on:

- Making comparisons within a text e.g. character, setting.
- Making inferences about characters' feelings, thought or motives from their actions.
- Justifying their views and inferences with evidence from the text.

#### Spellings

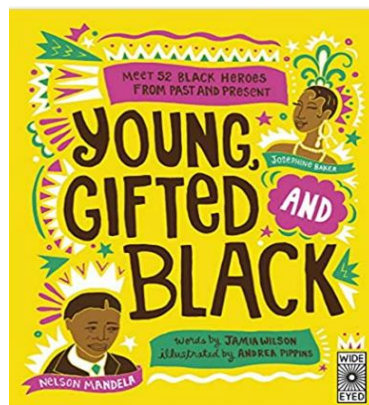
Children will bring home 10 spellings every week and will be tested every Friday. Please ensure that they practise their spellings throughout the week using the Spelling Shed website in preparation for their spelling test.

#### BoomReader

Please help your child by ensuring that they read for at least 15 minutes each night and use the BoomReader app to log this information. In Year 5, they may read independently some evenings, however they should be listened to by an adult.

#### Curriculum Driver:

Communication



### Maths

#### Key Content:

This half term our class will cover:

#### **Negative Numbers**

- Understand negative numbers
- Count through zero in 1s and multiples
- Compare and order negative numbers
- Finding the difference between two numbers

#### **Converting Units**

- Kilograms and kilometres
- Millimetres and millilitres
- Convert units of length
- Convert between metric and imperial units
- Convert units of time
- Calculate with timetables

#### **Measurement – Volume**

- Cubic centimetres

- Compare volume
- Estimate volume
- Estimate capacity

**TT Rockstars**

Times Tables Rock Stars is a carefully sequenced programme of daily times tables practice. Children should be logging on weekly at home to practice their times table recall.

**Curriculum Driver:** Knowledge of the World