English: Reading into Writing

- Wild Boy: An exciting mystery set in the Victorian times about two children who worked in a freak show. We will be creating our own narratives based on the story line.
- ♦ <u>Little Freak</u>: A powerful film about a boy forced to work in a freak show. We will be using the imagery in the film to develop empathy and create our own inner monologues.
- We will revisiting Year 5 grammar skills to ensure we are secure with our knowledge and understanding.

Science

Electricity

We will recognise and use symbols when representing a simple circuit in a diagram, and explore the brightness of a lamp or volume of a buzzer with the number and voltage of cells used in the circuit.

History & Geography

Industrial Revolution

We will be exploring the reasons why people moved from rural to urban areas and how machines advanced.

We will also be learning about urbanisation, child labour and how the steam engine made manufacturing quicker.

PSHE

Me and My Relationships: We will be exploring friendships, class rules, our feelings and how we are all unique.



Music

The children are spending this half term on the classics starting with Beethoven (da da da dah!) and how it influenced music.

French

The children will build on their descriptions of people by describing physical characteristics such as eye colour, hair type etc. They will choose the correct sentence starters to build their descriptions and create a simple story.

RE

We will be learning about Islam and how Muslims show their devotion to Allah.

Maths

- Number and Place Value: read, write, compare, order and understand numbers up to 10 million; round numbers; counting forwards and backwards in powers of 10; negative numbers
- ♦ Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and <u>Division: We</u> will be securing our knowledge of the calculations and solving a range of problems using these.

We will be using a range of manipulatives to deepen our understanding of these key concepts, which will further support us in solving mastery problems

PE

- We will be developing a variety of skills within Invasion Games where Mr Noyce will then further extend our technique and tactics through drills in football, netball, hockey and handball
- We will also being be doing gymnastics, where we will be continuing to develop and explore our skills

Computing

We will be developing our understanding of esafety and how to responsibly use the internet

Art

We will be creating a painting inspired by the landscapes of the Industrial Revolutions. We will also be making a print based on William Morris.