

**As mathematicians, we will** be continuing to look at the place value of decimal numbers and converting them into fractions. We will be starting to explore percentages before moving onto shape and geometry. We will be covering angles, reflection and 3D shape properties.

*Make sure to log onto Times Table Rockstars using your usual username and password to practice your multiplication and division facts.*

**As writers, we will** taking a trip to the Amazon in 'The Explorer' by Katherine Rundell. We will be writing letters, re-telling narratives and creating travel brochures linked to our Adventures Around America topic.

**As readers, we will** we will be continuing our VIPERS (vocabulary, Inference, prediction, explanation, retrieval, summary) sessions by reading 'The Journey' - a beautiful picture book about a young refugee.

**As musicians,** we will be studying tango compositions.

## Year 5

### Adventures Around America



**In PE,** we will be improving our gymnastic skills/techniques and begin to apply these to apparatus.

### Homework

Maths homework will be given out on Fridays and is due in on Tuesday. We will alternate comprehension and grammar homework each week. It will be given out on Friday and is due in on Tuesday. This will now be through Google Classrooms.

**In wellbeing,** we will continue to look at how to keep ourselves and others safe, as well as how to look after our environment.

**In RE,** we will continue to study the religion Islam and also look at the different accounts of Jesus' death at Easter.

**As historians/geographers, we will** be looking at locations across the American continent and their characteristics. We will also be comparing features of our own British forests with the amazing Amazon rainforest and trying some delicious South American cuisines.

**As computer scientists, we will** be continuing to take part in our Global Scholars 'e-classroom'. We will learn how water pollution and other water security issues in one place can impact people and the environment in other places.

*If you have any queries or issues, please do not hesitate to contact us via the class e-mail addresses.*

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**As artists and designers,** we will be designing some delicious South American cuisine recipes based upon our topic of Adventures Around America.