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5S class will be learning this half
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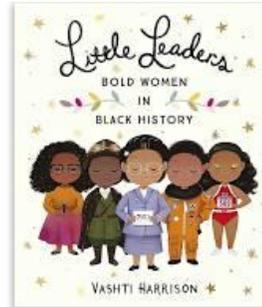
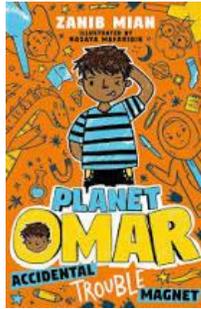
Thank you all for your support over the past few months!

I have worked really hard to plan engaging, exciting and educational lessons for my class and I am over the moon to be back in the classroom once again.

This year we will have a new teaching assistant helping us every day and I couldn't be happier to welcome Ms Emma Clayton and her superb knowledge in a school setting.

English

We will be writing our own stories inspired by the book *'Planet Omar accidental trouble magnet'*. We will also write an information text based on a book called *'Bold women in black history'*. We will finish this half term by writing poems inspired by Martin Luther King's speech *'I have a dream'*.



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Topic:

Our topic is Civil Rights Movement and all of the events that define it. We will also work as historians to investigate the Black Lives Matter movement and its ties to the Civil Rights Movement. Topic homework is due on 19th of October.



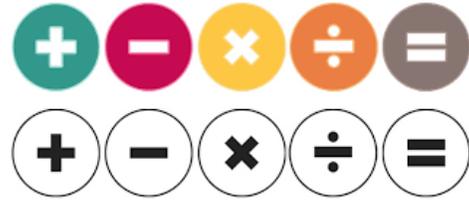
Science:

In Science we will be learning about Earth and Space. Precisely, the planets in our Solar System, the movement of the Moon, why day night occurs, and more. Children can choose to complete a homework project based on this topic also.



Maths

This half term in Maths we will learn about place value, negative numbers, rounding of the numbers, addition and subtraction. We will also focus on number facts and time tables.



Reading

In reading we will learn how to discuss our ideas and how to support each other when reading. We will learn how to summarise, clarify, infer and predict when reading different types of text.



Spanish

This year we will once again start Spanish lessons.



ICT

This term we will learn all about coding using Minecraft.



PSHCE

We will learn about children's rights and responsibilities. We will set our academic and personal goals for the year.





PE will be on **Mondays** (teacher led) and **Wednesdays** (Nation Sports led).

Children need to wear:

- Shorts, leggings or tracksuit bottoms in plain black, grey or navy.*
- Plain white or red t-shirt.*
- Black or white trainers or plimsolls.*

Home reading books will be changed on **Monday, Wednesday** and **Friday**. Children must summarise, clarify or infer what they have read.

Homework (choice of Science or Topic) is due on **19th of October**. Children have received more information about this on Monday the 7th of September.

Spellings and Time table tests will not be continuing this half term. Please contact me if you would like extra work for your child at home.

*Please could I ask that children bring a **healthy snack** to school as our class will be having a late lunch.*

a little bit
about me



I've completed 4 years of university studies and acquired a Bachelor's degree of Educational Science and the professional qualification of a Teacher in the year of 2009.

This will be my 6th year in a Harrington Hill primary school and I am very happy to be a teacher of a year 5 class!

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