

## Year 5 SPJS Curriculum Headlines Week beginning: 15<sup>th</sup> April 2024



Below is an outline of what your child will be learning this week. To help you support your child, we have provided relevant website links as well as a brief summary of the learning outcomes.

Subject	What pupils will be learning
Reading & Writing	Writing: Our new book for this term is Holes by Louis Sachar. The children always love this book and we are really excited to get started! We will begin by looking at the front cover of the book and creating predictions about the storline. Could we please ask that if your child has not read the book or watched the film, that they hold off doing so until we have finished reading it.  Reading: We will be looking at a history text called 'Gold Rush'. We will be answering questions about author's vocabulary choices as well as working through a 3 mark question.
Spelling, Grammar and Vocabulary	Spelling: Challenge words. Adverbs of possibilities and frequency. PaG: The use of commas.  This week's words to boost the children's vocabulary are:  Single chilli: leap Double chilli: desperate Topic: peak
Maths	Estimating area  Area and perimeter end of unit  Drawing line graphs  Please continue to encourage your children to log onto Doodle Maths daily so they are constantly revisiting previous learning.
Health and Fitness	Monday: Bollywood dance - last lesson.  Wednesday: Outdoor and adventurous activities. (Orienteering)
Foundation Subjects	History: Viking hierarchy Computing: Computer systems and sharing information online. Art: Layering colours and planning final piece. PSCHE: Celebrating differences
Reminders  Don't Forget!	<ul> <li>Over the Easter holiday, please replenish your child's pencil case and make sure they have a blue handwriting pen, glue stick, white board pen, purple pen and pencil. Thank you.</li> <li>Please see the email regarding our Year 5 sex education meeting on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April at 5:30pm. Here you will find the Google Meet link. It can also be found on the school calendar: <a href="https://www.spjs.org/calendar.php">https://www.spjs.org/calendar.php</a></li> <li>Please see our RSE policy <a href="here">here</a>. The powerpoints we will be using in the lessons can be found <a href="here&lt;/a">. Have a lovely Easter break.</a></li> <li>Mrs Barney, Miss clare, Mrs Wadey, Miss Durston, Mrs Knight, Miss Kelly, Mrs Asten, Mrs Ali.</li> </ul>

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