



# Livingstone Road Primary Federation

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## Livingstone Life!

### Year 5

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Year 5 have got an out-of-this-world half term ahead, as we finish the Autumn term with our Space themed learning.

As part of Year 5, we will continue to set home learning each week on Google Classrooms, which is based on spelling. However paper copies are available in the classroom.

A reminder that Year 5 PE days are on Mondays and Fridays, when children can wear their kit in to school.



Our novel for this half term is Cosmic; the story of a young (but very tall) boy who tricks his way onto the trip of a lifetime to a theme park. But, he gets more than he bargained for on the journey there... Through this incredible story we will develop our retrieval skills and continue to infer character feelings and motives. Cosmic will also be the inspiration for our first English unit as we create persuasive leaflets based on the theme park 'Adventure Land'.



#### The learning menu this half term

Our driver this half term will be Science, focusing on space. We will be looking at the way the Planets in our Solar system move and how this affects us down on Earth. We will also explore how views on the Universe have changed throughout history.

#### History

In History, we will be learning about crime and punishment throughout the ages. We will study some of the odd penalties that have been used over then centuries and look at the how our modern justice systems has roots in the past.



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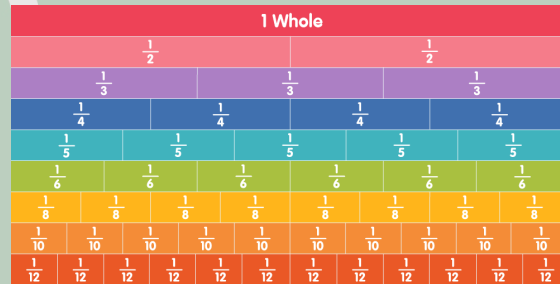


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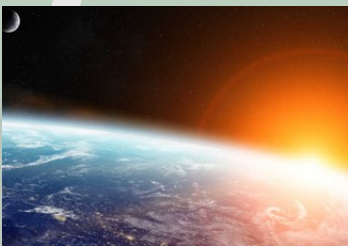
This half term, children will be building on their previous knowledge of multiples and factors. They will learn about square numbers, cube numbers and prime numbers. They will review and develop their skills of multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1000.

We will also begin our journey into the world of fractions, finding equivalent fractions, ordering and comparing fractions, and adding subtracting fractions.

Alongside this, we will continue to recap our recall of times table facts and to recall learning from Year 3 and Year 4.



### Science



In our Science this half term, we are focussing on Space. We will learn about the movement of the planets and how this causes night and day, as well as the seasons. We will also be exploring how gravity affects the way planets move in space and what this means for us on Earth.

### DT

This half term, the children will be disassembling and evaluating pre-existing products. They will evaluate how a product has been developed, identify strengths and consider possible changes they might want to make. They will then design and make their own space-themed product, before personally evaluating it.

