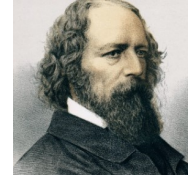


# All About Me: Year 5 Term 6 2024



### This Term

It's at this point in the year that we look back at our Year 5 journey and wonder how time has passed so quickly! This term is all about celebrating how far we've come and preparing the children for what comes next - their final year in primary school. The topic 'All About Me' is designed to promote self reflection and confidence, as well as learn how to deal with change and new challenges.

### Maths

During this term, we will be working on measures, shape and geometry, whilst also continuing to practise and revise previously learnt skills so they stay fresh in our mind, ready for our final round of testing. To support with this at home, measuring food in the kitchen using both grams and kilograms would really support your child. Also, measuring volume in millilitres, centilitres and litres, converting between the three. Rapid recall of multiplication facts continues to be a high priority and we encourage pupils to increase their recall speed using the TT Rockstars program at home.



### English

In English, we will be studying Alfred Lord Tennyson, a local Poet Laureate from Victorian times who wrote the famous 'Charge of the Light Brigade'. We will be studying the reasoning behind the charge first, to deepen their wider understanding, then we'll be writing descriptively about this fascinating blunder of heroism. After writing descriptively about the event, we'll then be learning about poetic devices and writing figuratively, with the end result being our own poem!

To help at home, you could read a range of poetry and talk about patterns and language. A summertime walk through Tennyson's village (Somersby) may also be great fun, scan the QR code for details.



### Science

In science we will be studying the human body and how we change throughout our lifetime. We have many exciting experiments lined up and it will culminate in our children presenting their learning on Microsoft Sway.

### Reading at Home

Please continue to log home reading on Boom Reader and encourage your child to log their own reading too. Thank you for your continued support in this, it really does make a huge difference to your child's reading speed and comprehension, as well as the acquisition of new and exciting vocabulary!

### Curriculum

In RE, we will continue looking at how different religions express their beliefs through the arts. Computing will focus on vector drawing. In Art, we will be continuing our textiles work, focusing on Alexander McQueen. The children will be screen printing on fabric and making their own fashionable clothing!

During our DT sessions, we will be adding to our Alexander McQueen outfit, creating an accessory that uses a wider range of stitching techniques.

### Key Messages

PE continues to be on a Monday and Tuesday, children are to come dressed in outdoor-appropriate kit - hats and suncream are essential as the weather warms up.

After school sports club will continue to be every Monday, 3-4pm.

Monday 24th June we will be visiting John Spendluffe Technology College, Wednesday 26th June we'll be visiting Skegness Academy and 8th July we'll be visiting King Edwards for their Y5 curriculum taster days.

Sports day takes place 27th June and you are invited to watch the events as the Y5 classes go head to head to find out who is best!

Thank you for your continued support.



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