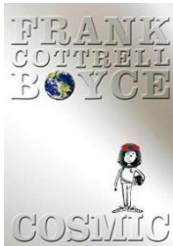


Foresters Years 5 and 6 – Disasters – Mitigation, change and recovery

Term 3

Core Subjects	Personal Development	Foundation subjects Year 5 and 6
English	Value: Respect	History and Geography
<p>This term we will start by creating 'Space' inspired poetry. We will then explore two fictional texts: 'Alien' by Pie Corbett and 'Cosmic' by Frank Cottrell Boyce. Through these texts, we shall explore fictional, narrative storytelling with an emphasis on character and setting descriptions along with some persuasive writing. We will also learn how to write newspaper reports based on events in the stories.</p> 	Moral	<p>In Geography, we will be focusing on weather patterns and climate change. We will compare data for the rainfall per annum across the UK and USA in the past year debating if changes could link to climate change. We will also be looking at countries and capital cities across North and South America. History this term is closely linked with Geography. We will be studying Famous disasters in History; why have they happened and how could they be mitigated?</p>
	Values	
Maths	<p>This term we will be challenging stereotyping and discrimination, thinking about what we can do to keep our minds and bodies healthy and looking at how money affects the way we live. We will also be talking about puberty and how bodies change, along with key facts about the menstrual cycle.</p>	Music and Physical Education
		<p>This term in Music, we will be focusing around one song from Benjamin Britten's Friday Afternoons: A New Year Carol. We will also use and understand staff and other musical notations.</p> <p>We will be having a 'cognitive' focus to our PE this term. In this unit, the children will develop and apply their stance and footwork through focused skill development sessions, modified/non-traditional games and sports and healthy competition.</p>
Science	RE	
<p>In Science, Year 5 and 6 will be learning about Forces and Living Things followed by habitats. Sir Isaac Newton's 3 laws of motion will feature in our 'Forces' learning.</p>	<p>Pupils will be exploring: Creation vs Science: Confliction or complimentary? We will be using our persuasion skills from English to debate this matter.</p>	<p>In computing, we will be looking at using the internet to allow us to share data with other people in school. We will also study how computer networks enable computers to communicate and share information and use and combine services on the internet to share information. French will have a food focus this term!</p>

If you have any questions or resources you'd like to share, please contact Miss Hedley: hedley@crockerton.wilts.sch.uk