Creative development

In **DT** we will be designing and creating our own living environments from recycled materials, just as the "Old Man" does in 'The Tin Forest'.



Knowledge and understanding of the world

In **ICT** the children will be learning to program software to follow a set of commands. ICT will be taught as part of rotations with Mr. Mackarness.

R.E: We will be focusing on stories from the 'Old Testament' and 'Who God is to Christians', how this implicates the Christian way of life.

Science: We will be looking at Properties of Materials - solids liquids and gases, and what happens when we apply changes to them.

Geography: As our theme for the term is 'Exploring Incredible Environments' we will be exploring a range of different environments across the planet and making comparisons with our local environment.

Communication language and literacy

In Literacy we will be using 'The Tin Forest' by Helen Ward to help us think about the different ways in which we could use our environment more sustainably-through descriptive and diary writing.

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Physical development

This year we welcome back Mr.

Angella who will be teaching our

SKiL PE lessons first session on a

Monday morning. Our follow-up PE
lesson will usually be on a Thursday
afternoon. Please ensure that your
child's PE kit is in school at all times.



Year 5

<u>Problem solving, reasoning</u> <u>and numeracy.</u>

We will be looking at number skills this term, including mental calculations and written methods, and using these to solve a range of problems. We will also be focusing on our understanding of different kinds of numbers and place value.



Personal and social development

This term the class will be focusing on the ideas of 'New Beginnings' and 'Pupil Voice'-What it is like to be in Year 5 and the expectations they have of each other.

