

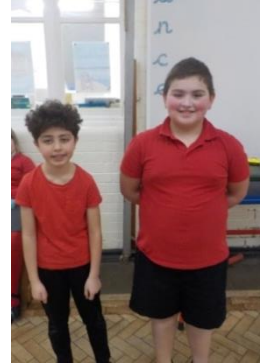
Year 5 News – Being Creative!

Year 5 have worked hard over the last fortnight to create some incredible work within our Space topic.

In English, we have completed our Science investigations and have been honing our editing skills for writing our work in our independent writing books. Our next unit is poetry. We've made a start by reading and discussing a narrative poem called 'Blast off!'

In Maths we have been learning about fractions. We have been looking at converting improper to mixed number and vice versa. We have also been learning how to compare and order fractions, which we've had to apply our converting skills to, to make this easier.

In QUEST, we have been creating our front covers using techniques inspired by a variety of artists including: Peter Thorpe, Andy Warhol, Wassily Kandinsky and Joan Miro. We have also been using Kodu to create our own planets on which we created our own game – be it finding a hidden object or shooting at a target. It was great fun!



Last term we had our space team tournament for badminton. The results were: 1st – Endeavour, joint 2nd – Atlantis and Enterprise, 3rd Discovery. The competition was fierce!

Next two weeks

We will be working on creating our very own narrative poems in English. In Maths we are continuing our fractions topic, learning about adding and subtracting fractions. In our topic sessions, we will be creating more artwork inspired by other artists and developing our drawing skills. We will also be looking at how the sun's light shines on us and the moon in Science. In PE we are continuing our dance unit and hopefully playing some hockey – weather permitting!