

Literacy – Linked to our class novel ‘Holes’

Informal letters
Newspaper articles
Persuasive writing
Stories from other cultures
Poetry
Instructions and Explanations
Spelling, punctuation and grammar lessons in line with the new National Curriculum (daily starters)
Reading a range of genres in Guided Reading and reading homework

History—linked to our topic ‘North and South America’

Understanding the historical features of North and South America
Learning about different cultures.

Geography—linked to our topic ‘North and South America’

Learning about the countries in both continents
Exploring the geographical features of North America.

Art

Learning about the great artist Henri Rousseau
Using accurate shading to draw
Design, make and evaluate an appealing product linked to our class novel ‘Holes’

DT

Lizard Art/DT project

Science- Reversible and irreversible changes

Compare and group everyday materials on the basis of their properties
Learning about materials that dissolve in liquid and how to recover a substance from a solution
Know about solid, liquids and gases and describe how mixtures are separated.
Carry out investigations relating to reversible and irreversible changes.

Maths

To understand and explore place value, in depth
Solving problems involving addition and subtraction
Solving problems involving multiplication and division
Understanding statistics and looking at real life contexts

WEEKLY MATHLETICS TASKS SET

Important Dates

Training Days — Friday 25th October
Book Fair week – week beginning 7th October
Vocabulary Parade – Thursday 10th October
Parents evening – 22nd and 23rd October
Half term – Friday 26th October
Back to school – Monday 5th November

Year 5 Curriculum overview

Autumn



Cookridge Holy Trinity Church of England (A) Primary School

RE—Christian Value– Thankfulness

Learning about the chapters and verses in a Bible and how to locate stories
Responding to the story of Moses
Exploring different positions for prayer
Learning about different religions, particularly Islam
Discussing Advent

Physical Education

Developing ball skills
Developing key movement skills (agility, balance, co-ordination)
Developing teamwork skills
Rugby skills

Learning Log/Homework

To be revealed before half term!

Music

Children learn viola taught by an outside agency.

MFL

All about our town.

Computing

Understanding the importance of e-safety
Exploring a range of programmable robots
Using a Bee-bot to explore controls and how they work
Using simple programming language

PSHE/Citizenship

Physical health and wellbeing in the media
Identity, society and equality: stereotypes, discrimination and prejudice