

## Badger Class – Summer Term 2

### *Settlement, land use and economic relationships*

### *Comparison of a region of the UK, Europe and North America*

#### **Academic:**

This half term we are starting to learn about the settlements and why people choose to live where they do. We will look at the physical features of certain areas and the weather conditions in these areas. We will then identify different areas in the UK, Europe and North America and look at what influences the tourist trades.



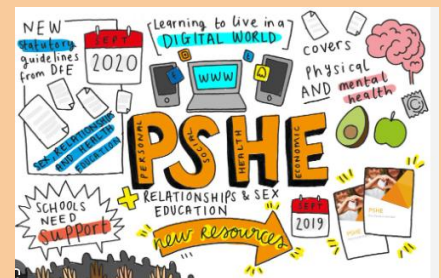
In science we are going to learn about Materials. We will carry out experiments to dissolve and separate different materials and we will look at reversible and irreversible changes such as freezing, burning and acid.

We will start the terms literacy with discursive writing and speeches followed by poems that create images and then the final unit on Shakespeares sonnets.

Maths for Year 6 will consist of position and direction before commencing themed projects after SATs. Year 5 will also begin position and direction, decimals, negative numbers, converting units and finally measurement and volume. We will also continue with our daily tough ten questions.

#### **Character:**

Our character education links very closely with PSHE where we will have lessons on Growing and Changing. We will look at how the children are feeling, how they look, media manipulation and pressure online as well as puberty. In addition, we will use our character virtues as play leaders working with the younger children in school, lunch helpers and of course House Captains and deputies.



We will continue to look out for children who regularly display their character virtues for certificates in our celebration assemblies.

#### **Community:**

Within our community we are lucky enough to have local places to visit which will hopefully inspire us to be more environmentally friendly. We will be visiting Beer Mill to investigate adaptations to life on land. We will also have a trip to the beach.



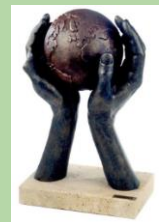
We will continue to have visits from Rev Paul in assemblies once a fortnight.

For MFL, we will be moving back to French where we will learn about the Olympics as this takes place in France this year.

We will also be inviting family and friends to watch our end of year production 'Rock Bottom'.

#### **Digital and Innovation:**

As usual, our chrome books will play an important role this term as we will use them for Times table rockstars and to research our topics. We will also use them for our Accelerated reader checks and to record many aspects of our learning.



In DT we will be learning about exploring self, relief sculptures and memory sculptures.