

**English:** In English we will be reading 'The Man Who Walked Between the Towers by Mordicai Gerstein. We will be writing newspaper reports accounting Philippe Petit's daring achievement. We will also be writing Autobiography's about Philippe's life.

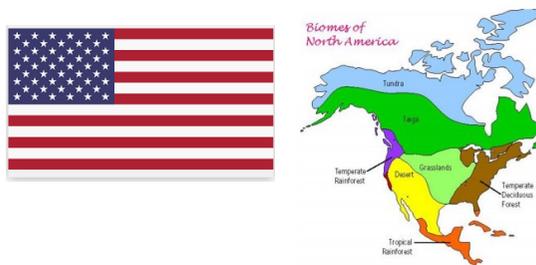
**Maths:** In Maths we will be finishing our work on decimals. We will also be looking at units of measure, including time and conversions. For more information visit our website @ <https://www.stannesroyton.oldham.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/National-Curriculum-Progression->

**Science:** In Science we will be learning about Electricity and Sound. The children will be learning about more complex circuits and electrical appliances. We will also be learning about how sound travels and how we hear sounds.

**Geography:** We will be learning about 'Is North America just the USA?' We will be learning about the different countries in North America and the geographical features of these places.

**Key Information:** PE lessons are every **Friday** afternoon and full kits should be in school for these lessons (Year 4 children). Year 5 children will be swimming every **Wednesday** afternoon and will need swimming kit. To see what we will be learning about in class this year and other information such as PE kits etc, please visit our school website <http://www.stannesroyton.oldham.sch.uk/> and navigate towards the ----Lilac Class tab. Newsletters are also archived here. There is also a calendar of events on the website. If you do not have internet access or cannot use this website for any reason, then please come and see me.

**Topic:**  
**Is North America just the USA?**



**Design Technology:** The children will be doing food technology. They will be looking a traditional American foods,, they will be tasting and evaluating foods and preparing their own dishes.

**RE:** The children will be learning about Jesus being the Son of God. We will be deepening our understanding of Jesus and his teachings. We will also learn about him being born both God and man.

**Homework:** Homework will be set every **Friday** and must be return the following **Wednesday**. This includes reading books which need to be returned to be changed. Children need to read their books and fill out their reading records. We encourage all parents to listen to their child read and to also sign the reading record to confirm the book has been read. The children will have their homework either sent home or set on Google Classroom every Friday.

**PSHE:** The children will be learning about Living in the Wider World: How can our choices make a difference to others and the environment?

**Computing:** The children will be learning about Coding and will be doing a crash course. The children will be using codes to make objects and characters do things. They will also be creating their own codes.

**Music:** The children will be reflecting on music and songs. They will be trying to edit music and add their own effects.

**PE:** Year 5 children will be going swimming and Year 4 children will be working with the Sports Development team.

## Half Termly Spellings

<u>Week 1</u> <u>w/c: 25.4.2</u>	<u>Week 2</u> <u>w/c: 2.5.22</u>	<u>Week 3</u> <u>w/c: 9.5.22</u>	<u>Week 4</u> <u>w/c: 16.5.22</u>	<u>Week 5</u> <u>w/c : 23.5.22</u>
<p><b>Homographs:</b></p> <p>bow lead row close tear sow wind</p>	<p><b>Suffix –ate:</b></p> <p>elasticated considerate affectionate pollinate facilitate</p>	<p><b>Suffix –ise:</b></p> <p>apologise customise brutalise familiarise personalise</p>	<p><b>Suffix ify:</b></p> <p>identify classify solidify justify acidify</p>	<p><b>Recap- Silent letters (b)</b></p> <p>comb, lamb, climb, numb, thumb, tomb, crumb, limb, bomb, plumber,</p>
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