**Year 5 and 6**

**Term 2 2019**

**Yes Minister!**

**ICT:** Within ICT children will be developing their knowledge of online safety. They will also be able to select and use a range of software to find and present information.

**Spanish**: We will be ensuring children are able to initiate conversation, know how to say numbers and colours.

**Science:**

Our focus this term is on Electricity. Children will be exploring circuits; they will have the opportunity to build a circuit and investigate different materials and if they conduct electricity, bulbs and buzzers. They will also be developing their knowledge on the creation and developments of electricity.

**PSHE:** Children will be exploring the unit, ‘Celebrating difference’. Within this unit, they will be exploring how cultures, religions and people are different.

**RE:** Children will be Christmas and how it is celebrated around the world, alongside developing their understanding of Christianity.

**Geography:** Within Geography, we will be exploring the UK. We will be locating specified areas and locations on maps both within the UK and the world.

**History**: We are exploring the Government system and how the systems and laws were created and are developed.

**PE:** They will be working on and completing circuits in PE. They will also be looking at Hockey and the skills needed to play a game. Children will be developing key skills to help improve their fitness. We will also be working heavily on developing children’s teamwork skills and sportsmanship!

**Art:** We will be looking at an artist called Claude Monet. We will be exploring a range of painting techniques and creating our own versions of his work and using his inspiration to create work of our own.

**Music:** Within music, we are exploring the song ‘Happy’ by Pharrell Williams. We will be experimenting with a range of instruments to create our own beats and rhythms.

**Maths:** We will be developing our knowledge of fractions (year 6) and statistics (year 5). Children will be learning about how to add, subtract, order and convert fractions. They will also be exploring how to display and interpret data and statistics.

**English:** Children will have a focus on developing their knowledge of non-fictional writing, alongside developing key grammar and spelling skills. Children will be encouraged to read a range of texts in order to develop their love for reading.