## Upper Key Stage 2 Curriculum News Spring Term 2015



This term's geographybased topic is Around the World in Eighty Days

## Topics in other subjects are:

Geography: locational knowledge of the world Computing: E-safety and Digital Literacy (using the Internet) Science: Earth, Moon and Sun & Forces DT: Mechanical systems (pulleys) Music: BBC Ten Pieces project Art: Printing (batik) PE: Dance, Gymnastics, Hockey, Indoor Athletics RE: Faith in Action Foreign Languages: French

## <u>Maths</u>

This term we will focus on learning:-

- Factors, multiples, prime numbers
- Square and cube numbers
- Algebra
- Position and direction
- Measures
- Number problems
- Ratio and proportion

Please take time each week to help your child practise for the next sticker on their Going for Gold certificate and support them in their weekly maths homework.

## <u>Literacy</u>

We will be focusing on:-

- Stories from other cultures
- Forms of poetry
- Instructions
- Journalistic writing
- Developing our range of punctuation

Please help your child practise the spellings they are given each week in their planner as well as their bookmark spellings.

After half-term, we will begin our 'Booster' lessons to prepare Year 6 for their SATs tests. We will explain this in more detail nearer the time. Dani Rees, Andrea Walton & Amy Jordison