

**ENGLISH - writing:** This term, we will be writing a news report about the 1969 moon landing, revisiting formal language and use of different sentence structures. We will then move on to story writing - specifically Science Fiction - to link with our class text, 'The Many Worlds of Albie Bright'. We will be developing how to start our sentences and revisiting the word classes in our grammar work.

**ENGLISH - reading:** In Term 3 we will be focussing on comprehension and understanding through group discussion, thinking about the best strategies to answer literal questions (finding information quickly and accurately).

**LIFE SKILLS:** Our life skills will look at 'Going for Goals'. This will include thinking about positive learning behaviour and how to work towards a personal goal. We will also look at resisting pressure, and assessing and managing risk.

We will also be using our oracy skills to engage in discussions about space exploration.

**MATHS:** This term will focus on written methods for multiplication and division before moving on to start our fractions topic.

Year 5 are required to learn how to multiply 4 digit numbers by 2 digit numbers, using a written method, as well as divide 4 digits by 1 digit.

**ART:** Our Art this term is linked to painting techniques. We will be studying the techniques of Van Gogh (specifically night skies) and in contrast, hope to look at abstract artist Peter Thorpe and his bold space paintings.

## EMERALD EAGLES TERM 3

**Are we alone in the universe?**



Theme: The Solar System

**MUSIC:** Towards the end of the term, the Eagles will start learning some of the songs that will appear in our Term 4 performance.

**RE:** The Eagles will be looking at Epiphany this term.

**PE:** This term, we will be continuing with our Sportshall fitness challenges and will also be thinking about health and fitness in our main PE sessions through a range of non-traditional games. We will be practising 'stance' and 'balance' as well as coordination of footwork needed for most sports.

**COMPUTING:** This term, Year 5 will continue learning how to navigate and use spreadsheets to enter and retrieve data, including line graphs.

**SCIENCE:** Our science focus this term is Earth and the Solar System. Year 5 will be learning about the planets; how we get night and day; the phases of the moon; as well as following their own lines of enquiry to find out about our universe and current scientific developments!