

Spring Term  
Issue 3



# Year 5 News



Happy New Year and Welcome Back!

## Maths



This term we will be building on work done before Christmas. We will be working a lot with decimal number and being able to x and / by 10 and 100. We will also be revising column addition and subtraction again in order to improve our confidence with it.



## Science

Reversible and Irreversible Changes is our topic this half term. We will be investigating which changes of state can be reversed and which can't and why they can't be reversed..

## Literacy

This terms work involves us investigating Film Narrative and looking at Raymond Briggs 'The Snowman'. We will then move onto older literature and looking at the Victorian author Beatrix Potter. We will be continuing revising work on punctuation and writing using more complex sentence

**HANDWRITING** please make sure you take care on your homework to make sure it is presented as nicely as your class work. Some of you seem to



## Dates for Your Diary

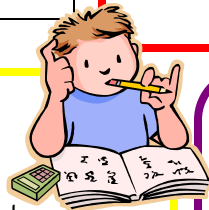
Date	Activity
16 <sup>th</sup> Jan	Sportshall Athletics
7 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Trip to 'World of Beatrix Potter'
18 <sup>th</sup> February	Homework Project In

## ICT

In ICT we will be learning how to create a game using Scratch. You can download a copy of the software at home [www.scratch.mit.edu/download](http://www.scratch.mit.edu/download)



## Homework Project



Wow, you produced some great information about a Victorian Christmas. I hope you remembered what you learnt when you were pulling your cracker on Christmas Day!

This term is a Science based project. What I would like you to do is investigate changes of state that occur at home e.g. a solid to a liquid and vice versa. I want you to see if you can record at least one physical change and one chemical change. You can present info as you like - a camera might be useful for this one. (The kitchen is a good place to look for changes).

Try and upload your project to our VLE (Virtual Learning Environment) if you can't just create a paper copy.

## History

This term we will be moving on from thinking about Victorian Children to how Egremont changed in the Victorian times. We will be looking at old maps and census data.

## Other Topics

RE ~ Judaism

PE ~ Dance (Rock & Roll)

Music ~ Journey into space

PSHE ~ Going for Goals