

# Welcome to Spring 2 in Year 5

## Here is a brief summary of what will we be learning this term

As writers, we will write a warning tale, where the main character ignores a warning resulting in getting into danger. We will weave setting description throughout the tale by using these 4 focus tools:  
Select time or weather to create, or shift, the atmosphere.  
Show the character's reactions to the setting.  
Use action in a sentence to bring the setting alive.  
Create a strong sense of atmosphere using metaphor, simile and personification.

In reading we are comparing the beginnings of novels and looking at the impact on the reader. We will discuss the compare and contrast the beginnings of the novels and look at the effect they have on the reader.

As mathematicians, we will be continuing to learn about fractions, before moving onto decimals, percentages, angles and coordinates.

In dance we will continue to learn our dances and practise for our performances at the Derngate later in the year.

**Please follow this link to our knowledge organisers:**  
[East Hunsbury Primary School - Our Curriculum](#)

In PE, we are continuing to work from Real PE. We will be focusing on the Creative Cog and challenging ourselves by changing activities to express our own ideas.

In Modern Foreign Languages, the children will be retrieving some of their learning from last term, alongside learning some new common everyday words and phrases.

As scientists, we will learn about irreversible (permanent) changes, comparing and contrasting these to reversible changes. We will learn that in an irreversible change a new material (product) is always made. They will understand that mixtures are the result of a reversible change and that all mixtures can be separated.

In PHSE, we will be focusing on the topic Healthy Me. The children will be learning the importance of having a healthy body and mind.

In RE, we will be learning about Judaism and looking to answer the question: What is important to Jewish people in our community?

In DT, we will be working with textiles to plan, make and evaluate the making of a book cover.

As Geographers, we will learn about natural resources and the different types that can be found in the UK. We will observe and collect information about the natural and man-made features found in our local area

Our PE days  
are: Monday  
and Thursday

Our class book:

