Year 5 - Weekly overview – Term 5 week 4

Friday 12 May 2023	This week we have been learning about:
English	Poetry analysis – Opening stanzas of part I of Alfred Noyes The Highwayman Identifying Rhyme, Rhythm and patterns in 'The Highway Rat' Storyboarding a tale. Comprehension task on Lewis Carroll – using capital letters to answer the questions.
Maths	Started work on angles: - Using directional turn in angles - Classifying angles - Estimating the size of an angle - Measuring an angle with a protractor Finding patterns with numbers: continuing work on money bags.
Other Subjects:	PE: rounders & swimming SCIENCE: comparing the lifecycles of flowering and non-flowering plants. Planting in pots on the pond decking – to observe changes in these over time. We might even feast on strawberries & raspberries before long 😊 RE: Islam – the Journey of Life and the 5 pillars of Islam. Art: drawings and tracings using Jim Dine's pictures of tools to look at form and tine. Music: Continued to analyse Tren de Caipiera – discussing rhythmic changes Also listened to some of the Eurovision Entries – enjoy watching at the weekend.
Other information	**Monday 15th May** – CAT4 testing for all pupils in Eagles class. These tests are multi-choice and marked externally. Results will be shared next term. **PE days – Tuesday** (Rounders with coaches) & **Friday** (swimming) – please come to school wearing PE kits on both days and bring swim kit for Friday just in case.

This week's spellings are homophones:

affect	dessert	draft	proceed	Whose
effect	desert	draught	precede	Who's

spelling group (words with a root word unchanged with suffix added):

enjoyment	sadness	careful	playful	hopeless	badly

Homework

Some more Mymaths pieces have been set – with a focus on angles. Please try to complete these in the next two week period before we move on to another focus.

Another grammar mat has also been sent home in paper copy (please complete by 24 May).