



# Detectives

Number 5 Miss Nossa

This term the children will be learning through the connector **Detectives**. In Literacy the children will be learning about:



Stories with repeated patterns



Poems with repeated patterns



Information texts

The children will be reading different stories and poems, then looking at the patterns within those texts. We will be reading non-fiction books and how they are set out, as well as writing their own information books.

This term the children in numeracy will be learning about:



Coins and their value



Number sequences



Measurements



Division

The children will be practising their skills for telling the time on the hour and half past. They will be learning new strategies for addition and subtraction, as well as how to divide into equal groups and learn multiplication as grouping.

This term in science the children will be learning about:



Sound and Hearing



Ourselves

The children will be learning about the ear and how they are able to hear. We will be investigating what happens when you get closer to an object making a sound. For Ourselves the children will learning to name different parts of the body. The children will be learning about animals and how they are different from humans.

This term the children will be learning through the connector Detectives.



In history the children will be learning about Victorians; what their houses were like and how Victorian children's lives were different from their own.



In ICT the children will be learning how to look for information safely on the Internet and how to put information into a PowerPoint presentation. We will link this with literacy and information texts.



In PHSE the children will be learning about different groups in the community that help us. We will link this to the detectives in the police.



In DT the children will be using different materials to make their own 3D house, this will be linked to history.

Please can your child bring in  
a cereal box to make their  
3D house this term.

### How to help your child at home.

You can help your child at home by:



Reading with them. Your child should be reading their schoolbook every night for a minimum of 10 minutes. Also share books together.



Practising their spelling list and number bonds.



Encourage children to write sentences, they can write about their school reading book. Children should form their letters correctly, use capital letters and full stops and begin to add some description. Your child can write about whether they enjoyed the book or not.



If you have Internet access at home, help them to find information about Victorians.



Encourage children to use name coin values, tell the time for on the hour and half past and add amounts together.

We will have P.E on **Mondays (indoors)** and outdoor P.E any other day, therefore please make sure your child has their P.E kit in school everyday.