

Year 5

Summer Term 2026 Route to Justice

This term we are exploring different influential figures that have sparked change, focusing on people like Nelson Mandela, Rosa Parks and Martin Luther King. We will learn about the issues of social injustice and rights for women. In addition, we will consider the significance of modern figures like, Marcus Rashford, Greta Thunberg and Malala, understanding that they and we all have a responsibility to spark change in our world.



Useful Websites

- **BBC Newsround**—<https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround>
- **BBC Bitesize**— Civil Rights and Social activists—<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zjkj382>

Suggested Reading

- The Boy at the Back of the Classroom by Onjali Q Rauf
- Malala: My Story by Malala Yousafzai
- Coming to England by Floella Benjamin
- Little Leaders—Bold Women in Black History by Vashti Harrison
- Little People Big Dreams— Nelson Mandela, Rosa Parks, Marcus Rashford, Greta Thunberg, Ruth Ginsberg, Michelle Obama and many more...

Suggested Experiences

- Magistrate Visit—explore how court works.
- Winchester Science Centre
- Visit the Houses of Parliament
- Listen to some live music
- Go swimming and practise strokes learnt.

Maths

Number and place value
Addition and Subtraction—inc Measures
Multiplication and Division
Fractions decimals percentages
Geometry—shape and co-ordinates

English

Diary writing—Boy at the back of the Classroom
Newspaper article—The Highwayman
Biography—Malala
Persuasive Writing

Science: Separating mixtures and living things

RE: Justice and Stewardship

PSHE: Relationships and Changing Me

Art: New Orleans City Scape

Computing: Video Production and Crumbles

DT: Make a nightlight and programme it

Geography: Comparison of a region in North America with a region in the UK

History: Civil rights movement

Spanish: Weather, school, transport and holidays.

Music: Jazz—texture and duration

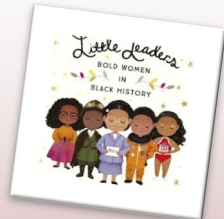
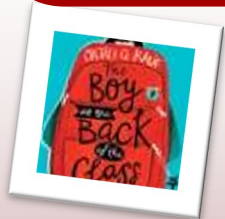
PE: Swimming, rounders, Cricket, Athletics

How I can help at home

- World Geography Games—
<https://world-geography-games.com/>
- Learn spellings—using website
<https://spellingframe.co.uk/>

How I can help at home

- Timestables.co.uk to learn the times table for the week
- Watching Newsround and talking about some of the world issues.
- Google maps to explore different regions of North America



Homework

- At least 20 minutes reading 4 times a week
- Practicing spelling at least 4 times a week
- TT Rockstars
- Project homework



Vocabulary

- **Racism**— believing that one race is better than all the others and treating people unfairly
- **Social justice**— is when each person can exercise their rights within a society.
- **Suffragettes**—women who campaigned for the right of women to be able to vote
- **Apartheid**—means “separateness” or “being apart” in Afrikaans. Blacks and whites were kept separate from each other.