

# Spring in Year 5

## English

### Nevermoor

This term our writing will be inspired by *Nevermoor*, by Jessica Townsend. We will be writing:

- Letters of apology
- A detailed setting description
- A narrative sequel
- A persuasive advert for the Hotel Deucalion
- A survival guide

We are reading...



### In grammar we will be focusing on:

- Punctuation for parenthesis
- Modal verbs to suggest degrees of possibility in independent writing
- Using commas to indicate parenthesis.
- Use of organisational devices
- Different sentence structures

## Maths

### Fractions, decimals and percentages

- Read, write, order and compare decimals
- Represent, identify, name, write, order and compare fractions (including improper and mixed numbers)
- Add, subtract fractions with denominators that are multiples of the same number
- Multiply fractions (and mixed numbers) by a whole number
- Explore percentages, decimals, fractions equivalence.

## Science

### Materials

To know that some materials will dissolve in liquid to form a solution, and describe how to recover a substance from a solution. To compare and group together everyday materials on the basis of their properties, including their hardness, solubility, transparency, conductivity (electrical and thermal), and response to magnets.

## LUNAR

### Biomes

This term we will learn about the biomes of the earth. We will use our knowledge of physical geography to classify biomes and locate them on world maps. We will consider how plants and animals are adapted to live in such climates and the impact humans have on them.