



Year 5



What a great start to our new year!

We have really enjoyed art this term! We began by looking at the work of Andy Warhol and used simple hand printing to recreate our own version of some of his artwork. Then we moved onto our focus artist for the topic, Orla Kiely, exploring her art and considering what we liked about her printed patterns. Using press print tiles we practised and then created our own patterns – we think they are really colourful and effective.



In Science, we have been finding out about space. We have worked collaboratively to consider everything we already knew about space and then used the chrome books to research the planets in our solar system. We have found out why the sun seems to move across the sky and have made our own sundials. Did you know that the earth spins on its axis? This rotation, taking 24 hours, is what gives us night and day!



In Geography, we have found out how mountains are formed (ask us!), and learned about how digital systems can be used to help us in everyday life in our Computing sessions. We are looking forward to the rest of the term, especially our field work down by the river and orienteering workshop in December.