

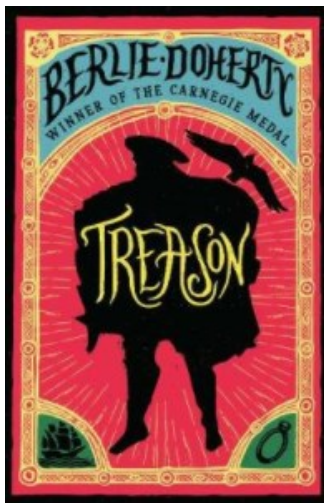
**English:** The main book for our Tudor topic will be 'Treason' which is written by Berlie Doherty. It focuses on a young boy's dangerous mission through King Henry VIII's reign in Tudor times. We will use this story to help us to write various texts including: a journalistic recount, a biography and a set of instructions. The children will be encouraged to apply the writing techniques they have learned this term along with applying new vocabulary.

**Vocabulary:** These are our vocabulary words for our Terrific Tudor topic; executed, succession, reign, illegitimate, rebellion, heir, legacy, perilous, treason, descendant, dissolution, reformation.

**Geography:** The children will get a chance to explore the city centre of Peterborough to see how it has geographically changed over time.

**Art:** Our Year 5 children will explore the medium of digital media and have a chance to create their own art pieces combining traditional art methods and digital techniques.

**MFL:** Year 5 will begin learning greetings in French this half term before moving onto formulating simple sentences in French.



**PSHE:** Our PSHE focus for this term is family and friends whilst we will also cover anti-bullying. This will include Anti-Bullying Week 2021 where there will be a focus on kindness and how our words can affect others.

**Maths:** Calculation will be the focus for our children this half term as they revise and learn mental and written methods for the four operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division). We will also begin our fraction, decimal and percentage unit where the children will learn different types of fractions including equivalent, improper and mixed number.

**Science:** Our materials topic will continue up until Christmas. The children will get a chance to experiment using different methods. This will allow them to see how new materials can be formed when others are combined. Some of these processes will involve sieving, filtering and evaporating.

**History:** Our children will organise events into a timeline to represent the Tudor time and identify primary and secondary sources of evidence.

**RE:** We will look at the church reformations that took place during the Tudor times and see how the Church of England was created.

**PE:** Gymnastics and dance will be our units this term. Our first unit of dance will look back through the history of dance during the 1950s, 60s and 70s.

**Music:** This term it will be Newton's term to have Djembe drum lessons with Mr Robinson whilst Attenborough complete the first unit on Charanga 'Living on a Prayer'.

**ICT:** Our children will use our Purple Mash platform to begin a unit on coding - they will revisit algorithms and learn to build code for different functions.

**Forest School:** Our Forest School sessions will see us explore the paddock and the trees within it. The children will use prior knowledge to name and locate different trees using orienteering skills.