Reading— VIPERS
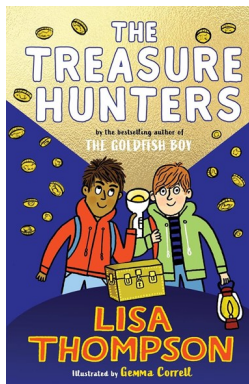
Read the text and answer the questions from the book The Treasure Hunters by Lisa Thompson

Retrieval:

1) What do some people think will turn you into a Zombie?

2) What does gaming help improve?

3) What wouldn't a Zombie be able to solve?

4) What is their gaming name?

5) What did Vincent's writing resemble?

Vocabulary:

1) What does the word 'coordination' mean?

2) Explain what the word 'resemble' means.

3) What does the word 'noticeable' mean?

Inference:

1) Why does he have a real name and a gaming name?

Mental Maths

Complete these addition and subtraction calculations for fractions. Remember to show your working out.

$\frac{2}{7} + \frac{3}{7} = \boxed{}$

$\frac{2}{10} + \frac{4}{10} + \frac{3}{10} = \boxed{}$

$\frac{5}{6} + \frac{3}{6} = \boxed{}$ or $\boxed{}$

$\frac{6}{8} + \frac{3}{8} = \boxed{}$ or $\boxed{}$

Spelling

Practice spelling these words which we have looked at this week. Write a short story using all the word below and then create the front cover for the book.

Difficult
Peculiar
Describe
Circle
Consider
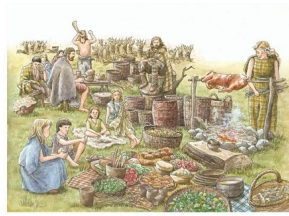Increase

Pick a challenge to complete this week.

French	History	Science
Find out the birthdays of as many people in your family and write them down in French. Try and find out the day they were also born on. E.g Jeudi 13 Juin 1991.	Research the different foods that people in the Iron Age would have eaten. Then design a menu using the information that a family would have eaten.	Identify the different traits that you have inherited from your family. E.g What traits did your mom get from her mom and dad. Have you inherited any of these traits?

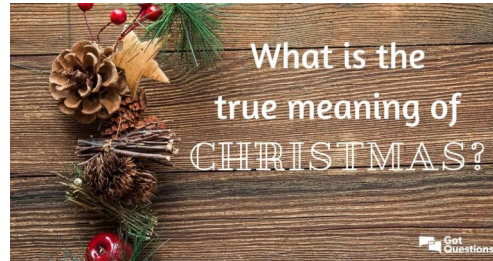| Art	RE	PE
Choose one of the spelling words from this week and create your own piece of graffiti art.	Create a poster that shows what the true meaning of Christmas is for Christians.	Create your own break dance routine, using the different moves you have learnt in our PE sessions. Get an adult to video this to send into school.

Year 5's Home Learning	Homework due back on Wednesday 13th November 2023

Chapter One

A Zombie Couldn't Solve a Rubik's Cube

Lots of people think that if you play video games too much you'll turn into a zombie. That's rubbish. Did you know there is real science that proves that gaming can actually make you smarter? Playing computer games can improve your coordination, decision-making and problem-solving skills. A zombie wouldn't be able to solve a Rubik's cube, would it? But a gamer probably could. So that is your evidence right there, as far as I'm concerned.

I guess you could say that, because of gaming,

I have two different names. First, there is my real name – Vincent Forbes. That's the name my parents gave me and the one I've been known by for the past twelve years. But then there is my gaming name – butterfingers55. And, no, my fingers don't resemble lumps of butter. I chose that name because of something my mum said when I was little. She and Dad had noticed that I was quite late at crawling and walking, and then as I got older I was always dropping stuff and seemed extra clumsy. My older brother, Ewan, wasn't like that in the slightest so I guess that made it even more noticeable. Whenever I dropped something, Mum would say, "Oops, butter fingers!" as if I had buttery, slippery hands and that was why I was always having to pick things up from the floor.

Things got a bit more interesting when my teacher in primary school made a comment on my end-of-term report.

She wrote: *Vincent's writing resembles a spider that has walked through ink before performing a waltz around the paper. He is always forgetting to bring things to school, loses his pencils and is generally very, very disorganized.*

Mum complained to the school about that, but I

Adding fractions maze
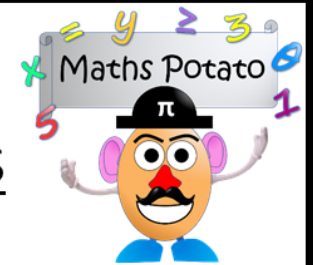
Adding fractions with uncommon denominators

Start

$\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2}$

$\frac{1}{2}$

$\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4}$

$\frac{1}{4}$

$\frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{6}$

$\frac{11}{12}$

$\frac{7}{12} + \frac{1}{6}$

$\frac{3}{4}$

$\frac{2}{6}$

$\frac{2}{5}$

$\frac{3}{15}$

$\frac{1}{9}$

$\frac{3}{4}$

$\frac{3}{4}$

$\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2}$

$\frac{3}{4}$

$\frac{1}{6} + \frac{3}{4}$

$\frac{11}{12}$

$\frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{12}$

$\frac{5}{6}$

$\frac{4}{9} + \frac{1}{4}$

$\frac{2}{5}$

$\frac{5}{6}$

$\frac{9}{10}$

$\frac{25}{36}$

$\frac{3}{36}$

$\frac{3}{5} + \frac{2}{3}$

$\frac{11}{15}$

$\frac{2}{5} + \frac{1}{2}$

$\frac{3}{8} + \frac{2}{5}$

$\frac{7}{5}$

$\frac{2}{5} + \frac{5}{6}$

$\frac{5}{8}$

$\frac{2}{12}$

$\frac{3}{7}$

$\frac{28}{40}$

$\frac{31}{40}$

$\frac{5}{13}$

$\frac{6}{11}$

$\frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{7}$

$\frac{6}{15}$

$\frac{5}{6} + \frac{1}{9}$

$\frac{17}{18}$

$\frac{2}{5} + \frac{2}{3}$

$1\frac{1}{15}$

Finish