BE A STAR SHINE BRIGHT

At the core of our whole school Topic will remain our Curriculum Drivers and our Values Education:

- ◆ Sport and Health
- ◆ Possibilities
- ◆ Environment
- ♦ Values
 - \Rightarrow Cooperation
 - \Rightarrow Empathy
 - ⇒ Resilience
 - ⇒ Excellence
 - \Rightarrow Determination
 - ⇒ Honesty

Art and Design

As artists, children will study the American artist Chuck Close. Using the grid technique, inspired by the artist, children will create their own self-portraits using the drawing skills they acquire.

Magnificent Me

Year 5

WOW

Children will come to school in their best clothes. As they enter, they will have their photograph taken on a red carpet!

Throughout the day, they will create a silhouette of themselves and a write a 'Who am I?' poem, which will be displayed in the school. Children will then be treated to a black-tie style lunch. They will take part in ice-breaker activities, so they can get to know a little about some other children in the key-stage and maybe even make some new friends.

Humanities

As geographers, children will study their heritage ,exploring the countries that they, their parents and grandparents were born in. The study will include identifying key landmarks and exploring the culture of the country. They will then focus on celebrating their heritage and that of others.

Computing

The children will be using the i-pads to create short stop-motion animations related to themselves. They will explore how small steps are required to ensure that movements are smooth not sudden or jerky. They will make use of a storyboard to plan their short animations and add titles and credits at the end.

Science

As scientists, children will describe the changes as humans develop to old age. They will explore the stages in the growth and development of humans, including changes experiences through puberty.

PSHE and P.E

Children will explore ways of keeping themselves physically and mentally healthy. As well as exercise, children will consider the impact of a healthy lifestyle through healthy cooking. They will also find out about the importance of keeping themselves safe in a fast advancing technical world. We will also explore the negative impact bullying can have on an individual's mind-set

Aspirations

To conclude our Topic, children will explore the vast opportunities that await them in the future. They will find out about many career paths that they could take in the future. They will be taught that determination and resilience is key to success.