| Our Values |
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| Respect, Kindness, Resilience, |
| Integrity, Honesty and Trust |



## Our Pledge

- Listen and Learn
- Do our best
- Look after each other
- Look after our school


## Year $5 \mathbb{N e w s l e t t e r ~}$ <br> Swmmer 12023

In Science we have been learning about Earth and Space. Did you know that over 70\% of the Earth's surface is water? Over 7 billion people live on Earth and there are 195 countries.


How many countries can you name? Do you know their capital cities?
In Maths we have been learning about ratio and proportion. Ratio and proportion is an area in Maths which deals with the relationship between two or more quantities. In Year 2 there are 18 boys and 12 girls. The ratio of boys to girls is $18: 12$

This term in Literacy our work has been based around a book by Berlie Doherty called Street Child. Set in the second half of the nineteenth century, Street child tells the story of a boy called Jim who, after a series of misfortunes, spends time in the workhouse as a child labourer and lives on the streets. The book is based on the true story of an orphan whose plight inspired Doctor Barnardo to try to help street children, and led to the founding of his children's homes.

Exploring the novel enabled the children to discuss challenging themes including cruelty, injustice, resilience and humanity. It also enabled the children to develop an understanding of issues such as poverty and child labour.


In PE we played rounders and dodgeball which we really enjoyed.
In ICT we worked on writing our own Blogs. We did some research on blogs and then wrote our own based on a topic of our choice. We presented our blogs to the rest of the class.

