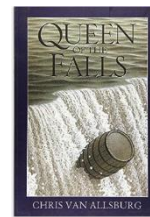# Team 5 - Autumn Home Learning

This term, our learning theme is: *North America*

The text we will be using to support this learning is: *Queen of the Falls*

You can support your child's learning at home in the following areas:

Maths

This term we will be learning about:

- The value of each digit of a number up to 1 000 000
- Comparing and ordering numbers
- Rounding numbers to the nearest 10,000 or 100,000.

This link may support place value understanding
https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zsjqtfr/articles/z9w3g82

Oak Academy: https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/reasoning-with-large-whole-numbers-2bf7

Times Tables

This half term we will be learning the following times tables and the corresponding division facts:

Reviewing all tables up to 12 x 12
For example:
4 x 8 = 32
7 x 12 = 84

It will support your child's Maths to use TTRockstars **at least 3 times a week**. I will be reviewing their progress and speed regularly.
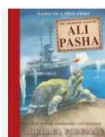

Spelling

We will be learning the following words from the joint Year 5/6 list this half term:

I'm a super Speller

Achieve, bruise, curiosity, desperate, disastrous, embarrass, especially, immediately, marvellous, muscle, opportunity, profession, queue, recommend, sacrifice, temperature

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Recommended reads for this topic:

The Amazing Tale of Ali Pasha
(Michel Foreman)

Goodnight Stories for Rebel Girls
(Elena Favilli)

Children are expected to **read for 15 minutes, 5 times a week at home** and to record this in their reading record.

Reading

Our spotlight author this half term is: *Katherine Rundell*

Download the BorrowBox app to download and read books free from the library.
https://apps.apple.com/app/borrowbox-library/id562843562

The link below explains how to register for this app
https://www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/residents/libraries/audio-downloads-eBooks-and-eMagazines.aspx

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If you would like to enrich learning further, here are some practical activities:

- Research North America countries, capital cities and national flags.
- Use iMovie to plan and present short films
- Create a map or model of North America

- Don't forget to tweet us @HMillSchool