Time Traveller

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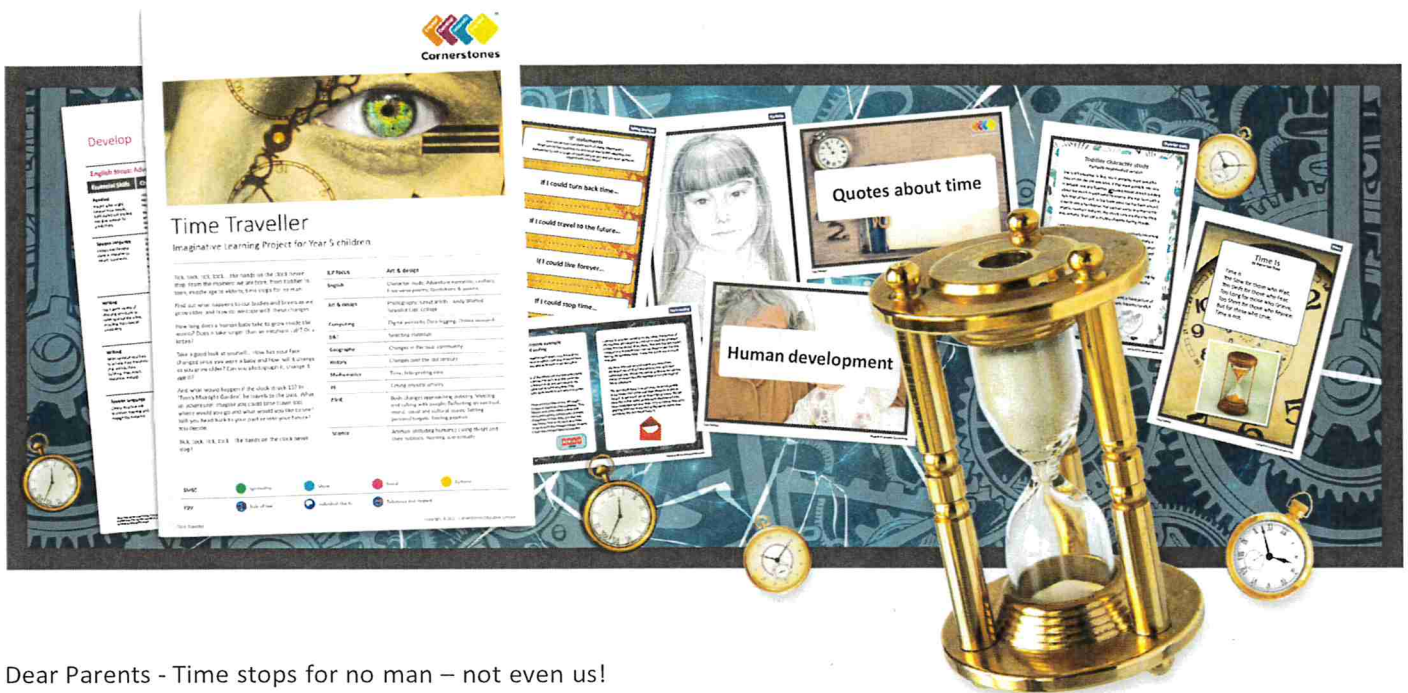

Dear Parents - Time stops for no man — not even us!

Next half term, we'll meet people from different generations to find out what life was like in the past and we'll predict how things might change in the future. Using real portraits from the past for inspiration, we'll write character descriptions about the people in them. We'll create a timeline of our lives and watch a time-lapse of human development. By taking close-up photographs, we'll be able to create our own Andy Warhol style prints and experiment to see how photographs can be changed and enhanced. Smile, please! We'll write adventure stories about the fascinating subject of time travel. Our science work will focus on puberty and why hygiene is important. We'll also create clock artwork based on the style of Salvador Dali.

At the end of the ILP, we'll make collages to represent our hopes and dreams and create an electronic time capsule that represents life in the present day.

ILP focus	Art & design
English	Adventure stories, Flash back stories, Persuasive Writing, Tom's Midnight Garden
Art & design	Photography, great artists — Andy Warhol and Salvador Dali, Clocks, self portraits
Computing	Digital portraits, digital aging, Time capsules
History	Changes in everyday life.
Mathematics	Multiplication, division and fractions.
PE	Timing physical activity
PSHE	Changes during puberty, Personal hygiene products, Hopes and dreams.
Science	My timeline, Human development, Sexual Reproduction, An ageing population reactions

Help your child prepare for their project by going through old photographs of them. Please send them in with a baby photograph of themselves for the start of our project.

There's a wealth of knowledge about history in your own home. Why not look back at photo albums to see what your parents and grandparents looked like at your age? What clothes did they wear and what toys did they play with? You could also ask family members about their favourite memories and what school was like when they were a child. Alternatively, you could visit your local museum to look at toys, packaging and other objects from the past.