

Year 5 class newsletter Spring term

Year 5 staff

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Welcome to the second term of Year 5! I am looking forward to welcoming every single one of you back and watching the children make even more progress throughout Spring term. We have a lot to look forward to including Easter celebrations, the Year 3&4 production, Harry Potter book night, and lots of other exciting activities.

Home learning

Spellings – Spellings will continue to be set and tested weekly every Wednesday and can be found written in diaries/seesaw



Mathletics – Mathletics will be set weekly every Wednesday and needs to be completed by the following Wednesday. The tasks that are set either link to current learning in class or recap previous learning so please support all children to enhance their learning by completing their tasks.



Year 5 Timetable



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DAY	8:55-9:05	9:05-9:30	9:30-9:45	9:45-10:45	10:45-11:00	11:00-12:00	12:00-1:00	1:00-1:15	1:15-2:15	2:15-3:00	3:00-3:25
MONDAY	Register/Morning activity Daily readers	Guided Reading	Times Tables French	Maths	Break	SPAG English	Lunch	TRIC	PE	Science	Whole School Worship
TUESDAY	Register/Morning activity Daily readers	Guided Reading	Times Tables French	Maths	Break	SPAG English	Lunch	TRIC	RE	PE	Hymns
WEDNESDAY	Register/Morning activity Spelling test	Guided Reading	Times tables French	Maths	Break	SPAG English	Lunch	TRIC	PPA Art/DT Miss Jewitt		Key Stage 2 Assembly
THURSDAY	Register/Morning activity Daily readers	Guided reading	Times Tables	Maths	Break	SPAG English	Lunch	TRIC	History	Music	Class worship
FRIDAY	Register/Morning activity Daily readers	Guided Reading	Times tables French	Maths	Break	SPAG English	Lunch	TRIC	Computing	French (30mins)/ PSHE (30 mins)	Whole School celebration Assembly

Reading

Thank you for your continued support in ensuring that all children are reading at home alongside being read with twice in school weekly. Please can all diaries be signed each time your child reads as well as being signed weekly in the bottom right corner. The children can write in their diaries themselves when they have read and this could then be signed by a parent. It is important that every child reads at home for 10-15 minutes each day to ensure that they make progress in all areas of learning. We consistently promote a love for reading and we provide the children with several opportunities within school, including the two reading areas in our classroom and the KS2 library, which can be accessed by the children at lunchtimes!



PE days for Spring first half term:



Monday and Tuesday

DIARY DATES

JANUARY

22nd—After School Clubs Begin

26th—Multi Cultural Book Day

30th - Harry Potter Night

FEBRUARY

5th—9th—Children's Mental Health Week

6th—Internet Safety Day

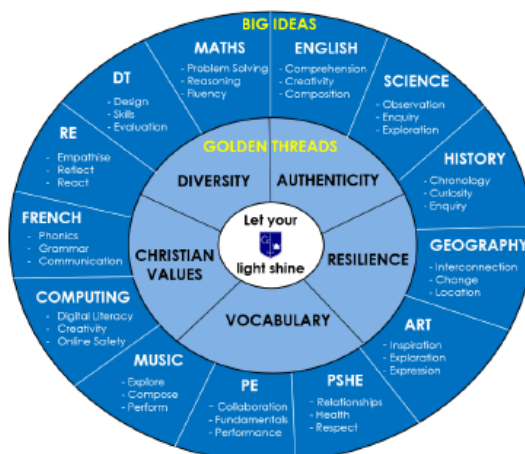
27th/28th—Parent/Carer Evening

MARCH

7th—World Book Day

Our School Curriculum

Our school website has lots of information about the intent of our school curriculum. These include our golden threads and big ideas. As the term progresses, we will be referring more and more to these within our classroom. The children will become more aware of the terminology 'big ideas' and 'golden threads' so I felt it was important to share our school curriculum with you, once again, so you can engage in conversation with your children about these.



Maths

Multiplication and
division
Fractions
Decimals and
percentages
Perimeter and area
Statistics

English

Films and playscripts
Classic narrative poetry
Science fiction stories
Information booklets
Novel as a theme
Magazines

Science

Properties of materials
Animals including
humans
Life cycles

History

The city of Baghdad

RE

Jesus

PE

Gymnastics
Netball

Geography

Volcanoes and
earthquakes

Art and design

Drawing
(oil pastels drawings)
Painting
(climate change hands)

Music

Let's go sing
performance preparation
Let's go song
performance
Charanga unit 'Make you
feel my love'

DT

Textiles
(design, make and
evaluate water
bottle holder)

Computing

Online safety
Spreadsheets
Databases
Concept maps

PSHE

Keeping myself safe

French

Saying what I and others
do Infinitive – er verbs

'Let your light shine before people so that they may see your
good works and glorify your Father in heaven' (Matthew 5: v.16)



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