Year 5 News



Dear Parent/Carers,
Welcome back after the half term break. We hope you had a lovely time. Here is an overview of what Year 5 will be learning in the coming weeks.

In **English**, we will be continuing our work on instructional writing especially recipes and craft instructions. We will look at imperative verbs and adverbs linking to this. We will also be learning about Myths and Legends and writing our own versions of famous Greek Myths. We will look at 1st and 3rd person and using pronouns linking to this.

Maths lessons will focus on multiplication, division, and fractions. As there is a big focus on multiplication and division this term, it is really important that your child is fluent with their times table and has a quick recall of not only the multiplication but the related division facts also. They can practice using their Times Table Rockstars Logins.

Our **Science** lessons will focus on the topic 'Properties and Uses of Materials'. We will be learning about different solids, liquid and gases and completing investigations relating to this.

In **DT** and **Art**, we will be working on a project called 'Here's One I Made Earlier', which will involve looking at Christmas through the arts. Our **Computing** lessons will look at vector drawing and being a graphic designer. **R.E.** lessons will focus on 'Why do Christians believe Jesus was the Messiah?' **PSHE** lessons we will be using the Dimensions program. This will focus on our emotions particularly around grief and celebrating our diverse community.

Our **P.E.** days continue to be **Monday** and **Thursday** and we will be focusing on golf and dance. We are asking that on PE days your child comes to school in their PE kits with their school shoes and school jumper/cardigan. Please ensure you child has their pumps/trainers in school in a bag to stay on their peg. Please ensure your child has removed any jewellery.

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Home reading books can be changed daily. Please remember to sign and date each time your child reads at home.

We are continuing with our Read Write Inc Spelling scheme. Your child will bring home a spelling list at the beginning of each unit. These will also be available on the Year 5 page on the website. Tests will then be administered at the end of each unit.

For homework, sheets of maths and grammar will be sent out once a week. Maths will be sent out Thursday to be in by Monday and grammar will be sent out Monday to be in by Thursday. Project homework will be sent out in a book with activities to be completed and returned by **Wednesday 9th December 2026.**

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Friday	Home reading books changed

If you have any queries or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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