

YEAR 5 AUTUMN TERM NEWSLETTER

Mrs Williams & Mrs Didd



Dear parents and carers,

Welcome to Year 5!

Mrs Williams will be teaching the class on Monday and Tuesday, with Mrs Didd teaching on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to come and speak to one of us.

Exciting events to look out for this year include the Wick Court Farm trip as well as the Passion play.

We hope everyone has lots of fun this year while working **very** hard too!

Spellings will be tested on a Monday.

Homework is set on Monday and due in by the following Monday.

Maths homework will be set on mymaths.

English/topic homework and weekly spellings will be set in on Purple Mash and Seesaw.

Our main form of communication will be through the Seesaw app, your child's unique login code was sent home last week.

Topics this term:

Literacy: Power of reading, story writing, instructions, recounts, non-fiction tests, etc

Maths: Revising previous knowledge and developing this onwards to a higher level.

Topics: Marvellous Maps and The Victorians

RE: Creation and God's Covenants

Science: Properties and changes of materials

Reading is essential, the children should be reading every night.

Reading to an adult at home and discussing what they have read as often as possible will be continue to be extremely beneficial to the progress of your child.



Your child's book will be changed as often as possible, please ensure you sign their reading record so we know they have read with an adult.

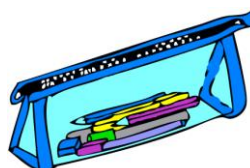
School equipment

Year 5's PE days are a **Wednesday** and **Thursday**. PE kit—shorts, t-shirt, plimsolls (not trainers) should be worn to school on these days. Please put names on everything - especially plimsolls, jumpers and coats!

Year 5 are allowed to bring in a pencil case as long as it will fit neatly in their trays.

Stationery needed is:

- Pencil
- Rubber
- Sharpener
- Ruler
- Pritt stick
- Colouring pencils/pens



The children are expected to take responsibility for looking after their own belongings.

Our rules for Year 5:

- We have a quiet learning environment, working in silence when we need to, and using our inside voices when working as a group.
- We take care of our belongings, making sure our trays are kept tidy and our pencil pots are clean.
- We listen carefully when others are speaking.
- We are kind, helpful and respectful to all members of the class.
- We put our hands up if we want to share something with the class.
- We stay in our seats unless we have permission to get up.
- We will have good manners and patience with each other.

Please encourage your child to follow the class rules every day and to understand the importance of being a happy and hardworking member of the class .