YEAR 5 AUTUMN TERM NEWSLETTER

Mrs Williams & Mrs Didd

Autumn Term*

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!

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 Ancient Greeks **RE:** Creation and God's Covenants **Science:** Properties and changes of materials

School equipment

Year 5's PE days are a **Wednesday** and **Thursday**. PE kit shorts, t-shirt, plimsolls/trainers should be worn to school on these days. Please put names on everything – especially 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
- \cdot Glue stick (MOST IMPORTANT!)
- \cdot Colouring pencils/pens

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

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.

Reading is <u>essential</u>, the children should be <u>reading every night</u>.

Reading to an adult at home and discussing what they have read as often as possible will 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.

Our rules for Year 5:

We will share with others and support each other.

We will listen to all teachers, teaching assistants and other students, not talking when they are.

We will put our hands up if we have ideas to share.

We will respect each other and show kindness and compassion.

We will include everyone in our games and ensure we are all happy in Year 5. We will try our best in class, work hard and persevere with everything we try to do.

We will be polite and have good manners. We will smile and be happy!

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.

