

# YEAR 5 SPRING TERM NEWSLETTER

**Mrs Williams & Mrs Didd**

Happy New Year to you all and welcome back. Please do not hesitate to speak to either of us if you have any queries. Thank you for your continued support.

Homework is set on Monday and due the following Monday. Spellings will be tested on a Monday.

Maths homework will be set on MyMaths.

English/topic homework and spellings will be set on PurpleMash and Seesaw.

## Topics this term:

In English we will be looking at two power of reading texts: The Princess' Blankets by Carol Ann Duffy and The Highwayman Poem by Alfred Noyes.

In maths we will be consolidating our skills so far and developing new skills based on number, geometry, measures and statistics.

In Science our topics are Animals, including humans and Life cycles.

Our History topic for this term is Victorians.

Our Geography topic is Rivers which we will begin studying at Wick Court Farm.

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.

## Dates for your diaries:

22nd January and 19<sup>th</sup> March - Year 5 mass at Our Lady of the Crays

2<sup>nd</sup> February - 6<sup>th</sup> February - Year 5 off to the farm!

25<sup>th</sup> March (pm) - Year 5 Passion performance

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.

