

Welcome to year 5 2021-2022

Year Five Newsletter Autumn Term 1



THIS HALF TERM: AUTUMN 1

Meet the team

Welcome back to the new school year after what has hopefully been a restful and exciting summer! We would like to take this opportunity to introduce you to the new teaching team. This year the teachers are Beth (5BH) and Jason (5JG). We will be supported by Sandra and Demi. Please do not hesitate to contact us via the office if you have and questions or concerns.

PE

Year 5 PE will take place twice a week.

5JG: Monday and Wedneday

5BH: Monday and Thursday

Children no longer have to wear their PE kit to school and can now get changed in school. If they forget their kit 3 times they will be given a detention.

Homework

The children will be given a spelling and maths rocket card stating the yr 5 objectives for the year. Once they have passed an objective on the rocket card, they will be moved up to the next objective. Maths Rocket tests and spelling tests will both take place weekly.

A half termly topic homework will also be given out, this has several creative activities that your child can complete at home.

Reading

In Year 5 the children are expected to select their own reading books to take home each week. They will be given time during the week to do this and will need to bring back finished books and sign out a new one. **All children need to read both independently and with an adult**. Please ensure that you sign your child's reading record book when they have read for at least 15 minutes each day. Children will collect stickers in school and will then receive awards during assembly for completed reads.

Mathletics and Reading Eggs

Mathletics and Reading Eggs are online programs that can be used at home to support the children's learning in school. Children will be given their logins by the end of this week. If they have lose their login or need some additional support using each program then please encourage them to inform us in school.

Google Classroom

Please continue to regularly check Google Classroom for notifications.

<u>English</u>

Narrative writing - effective dialogue, 1^{st} and 3^{rd} person recounts.

Performing, analysing and writing poetry.

Maths

Place value, decimals, rounding, the four operations - formal methods and word problems -shape, space and measure.

<u>Science</u>

Properties of materials

<u>Topic</u>

Roman Britain

<u>Language</u>

French

We look forward to an excellent year!