

Year 5 Newsletter - Summer 2- 2025

Dear Parents, welcome back to Year 5 and our Summer 2 newsletter.
We have a busy term ahead of us, as the children continue to work hard.
This newsletter will outline what your children will be learning across the curriculum this half term.
Mrs Arshad and Mr Kassim.

 English	This half term, Y5 will be focusing on Poetry, Fiction and Non Fiction. They will be writing a fiction narrative and report during this time! Our Shared Reading text will be 'A pocketful of stars' by Aisha Bushby. The theme we will be focusing on is 'Hope and Survival'. The children have enjoyed reading a range of books by different authors. Use the link below to access a range of reading books at home. https://openlibrary.org/ This is a free online library where you can access a range of books.
 Maths	During this half term, the children will be focusing on Number: Decimals. The link below can help support your child with Mathematics at home! https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z826n39
 Science	In Science this half term, children will be learning about Plastic Pollution. The children will be learning about the effects of plastic on the environment. https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/articles/zvh8qp3
 RE	During RE, the children shall look at the following dispositions: <i>Participating and Willing to Lead, Being Temperate, Self-Disciplined and Seeking Contentment, Being Accountable and living with integrity.</i>
 Computing	In Computing, children will be focusing on Programming B: Selection in quizzes.
 History	During this term, the children will be focusing on History. Our Topic will be the 'Alexander the Great'.
 Art and Design	This half term, the children will be focusing on Painting and Mixed Media and Cooking, and Nutrition. In Design Technology, the children will be working on healthy and nutritious cooking. In Art, the children will be developing their skills by creating portraits.
 PE	During this half term, the children will be learning Athletics. This will happen every Thursday. Please remember that the children must wear PE kits from home and wear joggers, a white or blue shirt and trainers.
 Music	In Music, the children will be exploring Musical Theatre. They will be creating their own pieces of music.
Modern Foreign Languages	This half term, the children will be learning Latin. They will be learning subjects and object nouns.
PSHE	In PSHE this half term, the children will be focusing on shared responsibilities, media literacy and economic well-being.



Attendance

In order for your child to get the best out of school and maximise their learning, please make sure your child is **on time for school and comes to school every day**. School starts at **8.40am**.

THANK YOU