



Spellings will be given out on each Monday with a Spelling Test on the following Friday.



Homework (Spellings, Reading and Maths) will be given each Friday to be handed in on the following Thursday.



Please continue to access SPaG.com at home.



Can you become a timetables rock legend? Your teacher has your login details.



PE days are Tuesday and Friday.

YEAR 5 AUTUMN 2 Newsletter

We hope you have had a great Summer break, filled with rest and relaxation, and you're ready for a busy autumn term! We have lots of exciting learning happening this term including: animals (including humans), the Mayans, Rainforests, learning about ourselves and where we live.

Kind Regards,
Mrs Coverdale, Miss Frew & Mr Hammond.

Key Information & Reminders:

Reading:



We cannot stress enough how important it is for your child to read at home! Your child can read independently or with a family member. Whilst we do expect that your child reads their reading book, which has been given to them from school, we also really encourage your child to read for enjoyment too, whether it is Roald Dahl or a magazine! After all, variety is the spice of life! Whatever your child has read, we ask that you please add it to their reading record so that the Year 5 team can track this.

Homework

Homework will be posted on SeaSaw weekly on a Friday and will be completed by the following Thursday. There will be spellings, maths and readings.

Water Bottles



Don't forget to bring water bottles in - it is important for the children to stay hydrated throughout the day. Please put a label on bottles, they can refill them in school.

PE Kits

5H- Friday

5F- Tuesday & Friday

5C- Tuesday & Friday

White t-shirt
Black Shorts
Pumps
Trainers (outdoors only)
No Logos!

On PE days, children must bring their P.E. kits into school and get changed in preparation for the lesson. Therefore, please make sure it is weather appropriate!

English

Our novel for the term will be 'The Maker of Monsters' by Lorraine Gregory. The novel deals with a young magician who must go on a quest to help his friends and discover the truth about his own family. The story is a fantasy, full of magic and adventure. We will be completing writing tasks based on the story.



PSHE

In our relationships curriculum, we will be focussing on being a citizen in our school and city, learning about choices in behaviour and how they can lead to rewards and consequences.

R.E.

Our main topic will be an exploration of Christianity and we will be asking the question, "What would Jesus do?"

Spanish

Ourselves.

We will be looking at vocabulary and expressions involving our homes and family.

Music

We are very excited to have singing assemblies every Thursday linking music to our learning!

Science

Biology

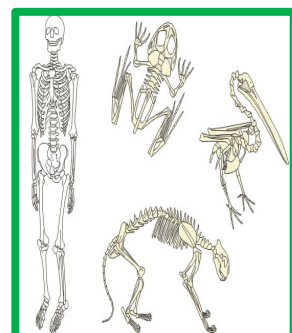
We will be studying animals (including humans).

Physics

We will be looking at the solar system, circuits, forces and light.

Chemistry

This term we will study the Properties of Materials e.g. insulators and conductors, gases, liquids and solids.



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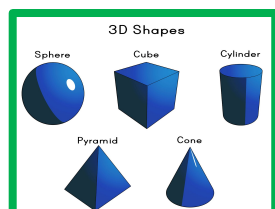
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Maths

Place Value and Addition and Subtraction.

This term we will be looking at numbers up to a million and rounding numbers.

We will also be studying a method of adding and subtracting numbers with more than four digits.



History

How do the Mayans compare to other civilisations?

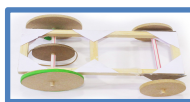
We will place the Mayan civilisation on a timeline of the world, and compare life in Ancient Mayan to life in Ancient Britain. We will also study their artefacts.



D&T

Making Bread.

We will be studying the process of making bread and comparing different recipes and varieties of bread from around the world. We will make our own bread.



Geography

Why do people destroy rainforests?

This term we will be exploring Rainforests. We will be looking at the biomes that make a rainforest, how land is used in the Amazon and we will also compare a British Woodland to the Amazon rainforest.

