

Important Events

3rd-7th June Kench Hill (Week 1 group)
10th-14th June Kench Hill (Week 2 group)
17-22nd June Kench Hill (Week 3 group)
Keeping Healthy Week - Monday 24th – Friday 28th June
Sports Day – Friday 28th June
Parents Evening – Thursday 4th July
Hispanic Day – 10th July
Year 5 DT Day – 11th July
Summer Fayre – Friday 12th July
Federation Music Festival – Monday 15th July 2019
Year 5 Celebration Assembly – 16th July
End of term finish date – Friday 19th July at 2pm

Homework

Literacy and Numeracy homework will be sent out **every Thursday**. The class teacher will collect homework from the children on **Monday mornings**.

Spellings will be sent out every Monday and tested every Friday.
Home readers need to be completed and brought to school daily and signed weekly by a Parent/Carer.

PE

Please remember it is important that children participate in PE each week. Our kit is specifically designed to be of low cost and can be bought from general high street shops or our school office. The kit consists of: plain white t-shirt, plain black shorts or jogging bottoms, and black trainers or plimsolls.

- **Poplar Class – every Friday**
- **Holly Class – every Friday**

Year Five Summer 2 Curriculum Newsletter



Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to the final half term of the year. We hope you all had a restful break and are ready to dive into the new half term!

We have lots of interesting new topics to cover this term, as well as enrichment days and end of year celebrations.

Please ensure that your child is reading and practising times tables every evening. Remember practice makes perfect!

Should you have any concerns or wish to talk to us about your child's progress, please feel free to speak to us. We are available to talk after school on most days.

Information about what your child will learn this half term is on the inside of this booklet.

Kind regards,

Mr Carruthers and Mrs Vora
Year 5 Class Teachers

As writers, we will be exploring discussion texts in detail and looking at how we can develop our writing skills through learning. We will be focusing on presenting two sides of an argument fairly as well as completing a film narrative unit.

Children will have the opportunity to develop their ability to debate and present their opinions in an open discussion.

As mathematicians, we will continue to develop the mental strategies we use to solve problems. We will be developing our use of number and work with word problems, reasoning and problem solving activities.

As scientists, we will be looking at 'Forces'. We will investigate the effects of gravity and identifying the effects of air resistance, water resistance and friction that act between moving surfaces.

NUMERACY

Fractions, problem solving, measurement, geometry and place value

LITERACY

Discussion texts, recounts, poetry and film narrative

PSHCE & RE

RE: Hinduism
SEAL: Being Healthy

Where is the water?

SCIENCE

Forces

ICT

Computer Science: Website building

HUMANITIES

Water Cycle and Rivers

ART & DT

Collage and water wheels

PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

Athletics

This half term we will design our own water wheels using a range of materials, testing and evaluating our models to see how effective they are.

This term we will focus on athletics and learning about the different skills and techniques to get us ready for Sports Day.

Our Geography topic this half term is about the water cycle and rivers.

We will learn more about how rivers work, the effect of flooding and undertake a case study with a focus on human and physical features.