

Welcome to Year 5!

Dear Parents/Carers/Guardians,

Welcome to Year 5! We have had a good week settling into class and sorting out all the new bits and pieces!

Many of the routines are very similar to last year, but there are a few changes.

Reading:

As well as completing the homework tasks set, children will need to read at home each night. Their reading book is changed at least once a



week. It is unlikely that your child will be heard reading their home reading book as reading and comprehension will be taught through comprehension lessons and guided reading texts which do not go home.



Homework:

Homework in Y5 should take no longer than 2 ½ hours per week with English and Maths being the main focus. An outline of the homework timetable is below for your reference.

All homework must be handed in on time.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
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PE:

Y5 will have PE on Tuesday so please ensure the correct kit is in school for this. Remember to take home the kit and bring back every Tuesday.



Drinks and snacks:

Snack (fruit, vegetables) and water for break time are still allowed. Children are allowed water throughout the rest of the day.

Important dates:

Assessments in Maths, Writing and Grammar, Punctuation and Spellings will be tested at the end of each half term.

In Autumn One your child will be completing an Ancient Egyptian fact file/project- please see the relevant sheet that your child has.

And finally...

During the year, there will be opportunities for you to come to school for parent evenings, but we are always available whenever you may need to discuss anything. Please make an appointment with the office.

This will be a fantastic year and we look forward to sharing many fun and enjoyable experiences together!

Thank you,

The Year Five Team