



Dear Parents/Carers,

This letter includes information about school values & expectations, the Y5 timetable and what your child will be learning this term. We hope that you find this information useful..

Expectations for ALL children

Wear school uniform (including black shoes & plain headwear) and always bring a coat.

On PE days, wear black trousers/leggings, sports shoes, house colour T-shirt & school jumper – NO LOGOS

Come to school by 8.40am every day ready to learn.

Always act according to our values of: Respect, Resilience, Responsibility, Curiosity, Collaboration

Bring a healthy packed lunch (only crisps or sweet treat on a Friday)

Read 4+ times at home to become a Green Reader and bring in your reading diary every day.



Respect
Be kind
Be polite
Be helpful

Resilience
Be confident
Be brave
Be calm

Collaboration
Listen
Be involved
Be supportive

Curiosity
Explore
Be creative
Be inquisitive

Responsibility
Be ambitious
Be focused
Be proud

Expectations of Year 5

Wear PE kit on Wednesdays (indoor) and Thursdays (outdoor).
Forest School on alternate Mondays.
Learn spellings for Friday

Key Dates for Term

Science trip to 'We The Curious' - Tuesday 26th November
PTA Winter Fair—Friday 13th December 3-5pm
Christmas Dinner—Thursday 19th December

Year 5 (Terms 1-3)	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8.40 – 8.50	Register Starter activities/reading record check	Register Starter activities/reading record check	Register Starter activities/reading record check	Register Starter activities/reading record check	Register Starter activities/reading record check
8.50 - 9.40	Reading or phonics intervention (PHASE 5 in lessons!)	Reading or phonics intervention (PHASE 5 in lessons!)	Reading or phonics intervention (PHASE 5 in lessons!)	Reading or phonics intervention (PHASE 5 in lessons!)	Reading or phonics intervention (PHASE 5 in lessons!)
9.40 – 10.45	Maths Authors	Authors	Authors	Authors	Authors
10.45 – 11.00	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
11.00 – 12.00	Art Computing	X tables/Basic Maths	X tables/Basic Maths	X tables/Basic Maths	X tables/Basic Maths
12.00 – 12.15		Maths	Maths	Maths	Maths
12.15 – 12.30		Spelling/advanced phonics/handwriting	Spelling/advanced phonics/handwriting	Spelling/advanced phonics/handwriting	Spelling/advanced phonics/handwriting
12.30 – 13.15	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
13.15 - 13.25	Forest School RE	Sticky Knowledge	Indoor PE Learning for Life	DT/MFL Outdoor PE	Sticky Knowledge
13.25 - 14.30	Music	Enquiry			Enquiry
14.30 – 14.45	Whole School Values Assembly (NOT Forest School class)				Whole School Golden Book Assembly
14.45 - 15.00	Class Novel	Class Novel	Class Novel	Class Novel	Class Novel

Summary of learning in Term 2

Authors

We will be writing science fiction narratives using creativity to paint vivid scenes whilst being supported by our learning about the planets that really do exist.

We will also write non-chronological reports on the planets in our solar system. These will link closely to our learning about Space in Enquiry.

Music

We will be exploring the style of rock music using the song 'Living on a Prayer' by Bon Jovi.

Learning for life

This term we will be working on a unit called 'Celebrating Difference'. We will explore similarities and differences focusing on showing respect for and celebrating each person's individuality.

Art

This term we will be focusing on different drawing techniques, which will link to topography and maps.

Design Technology

This term we are going to be designing, making and evaluating a photo frame structure.

PE

This term in our outdoor PE lessons, we will be doing Hockey and outdoor games. In our lessons we will be learning different techniques to pass, stop and dribble. In outdoor games we will be working on being collaborative.

In our indoor PE lessons, we will be doing Gymnastics, where we will develop our flexibility and balance.

Computing

We will be learning about coding.

Maths

This term we are going to be looking at fractions. In multiplication and division, we will be multiplying and dividing 4-digit numbers by 1 digit.

For our times tables, we will be refreshing our knowledge of the 7 and 8 times tables.

Enquiry Science

Our fascinating Line of Enquiry this term is 'What do we find in space?'. We will be Scientists, studying our universe and finding out where we fit in it. We will study the movements of the planets, explore seasons and the lunar cycle.

Religious Education

In RE this term our question is 'Why do religious books and teaching matter?'. In our lessons, we will be focusing on the religions Christianity and Islam.