

Year 5 - Newsletter

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The Year 5 team welcome everyone back for our last half term of year! We have had lots of fun this year and we are going to finish with an action- packed half term,

“I have no special talent. I am just passionately curious.”

- Albert Einstein

Staffing

Joanne Burton – 5B Windmill
Lauren Armson & Ms. Smith – 5AS
Thomas Doherty – Low Road – 5D

Science

Our topic for this half term is Animals including humans

We will be looking how animals (including humans) are born and the changes they go through throughout their lives.

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Athletes Visit

On Tuesday 11th June, Isla Ward (Alpine Skier) will be deliver an assembly and some circuits with your children.

Children that have raised the threshold will have a photo with Isla. In addition, there will other rewards giving out. Following this, there will be an assembly and a circuit session.

Topic

Our topic for this half term is:

Year 5: Journeys

In our Geography topic, we will be looking at the journeys our school uniform and lunch make to get to us... This will include:

- Where and how they are produced
- How it affects the countries of origin
- What local produce do we use?

Homework

There will be a new homework grid, with a Science and Topic focus, uploaded to Google Classroom. Children are expected to self-select activities from the grid to complete throughout the half term. This work can be brought into school on paper or photos can be uploaded to Google Classroom.

Homework will be set on a Friday and due in the following Friday.

In Year 5, it is important for all children to be secure in their times tables. Due to this, we encourage all children to spend some time on ttrackstars at home.

If you need a new google classroom login or Ttrackstars login, please speak to your child's class teacher.

PE

In PE, we will be improving our hand & eye co-ordination by learning how to play rounders and cricket.

Maths

During this term, Year 5 will be learning Statistics, geometry and shape.

Swimming

This will be the last half term for swimming. Classes 5B & 5A will continue with their swimming time. However, 5D will now be attending swimming at 9.30am every Tuesday.

Sports Day

Here are the following dates for Sports Day:

Windmill: Tuesday 25th June 1.30pm – 3.00pm

Low Road – Thursday 27th June 1.30pm 3.00pm

English

This half-term in Year 5, we will be writing a fantasy narrative based on Jumanji-style game. In this narrative, a child will find a mysterious game that they decide to play. However, this will not be a normal game.

Following this, we will be using figurative language to write a piece of poetry based on our dreams and aspirations.