



Year 5 Parent Information

Summer Term 2022

Phase leader: Ms Bull-Mannan and Ms Khan

Teachers: Ms Milling, Mr Razza, Miss Zahid, Miss Miah

Supporting teachers: Ms Maskell

Teaching assistants: Ms Patel, Mrs Elabbassi, Ms Hallaci, Mrs Avel, Ms Misbah,
Mrs Amin, Ms Clarke, Miss King,

Year 5 Expectations

~ Eating a good breakfast.

~ Getting to bed early:
Stick to a routine.

~ Good attendance
and punctuality.

~ Read daily, writing a
summary.

How you can help your
child in Year 5...

~ Practise times tables
and number facts.

~ Practise Year 5 and 6 spellings from
the '*Year 5 and 6 Spelling list*'.

~ Use the resources
found in diary.

Complete homework uploaded on Google Classroom.

Year 5 Literacy

Writing:

Term 5:

- Advocacy Journalism.
- Memoir.

Writing:

Term 6:

- Speech making performance project.
- Match reports.

Grammar:

Children will focus on a range of grammatical terms, such as word classes, first person pronouns, synonyms, rhetorical questions, reported speech, Poetic devices - Metaphors, similes, hyperbole, alliteration

Year 5 Literacy Expectations

Each half term, children are expected to write and publish pieces of writing in their progress books.

- Children must ensure their handwriting and presentation of their work is neat, legible and joined.
- As well as practicing weekly spelling, the year 5 /6 spelling words can be found in your child's diary. Learning these words is essential.

Ways you can support...

- Encourage handwriting practice at home.
- Support your child when practising for spelling tests and learning the year 5 /6 spelling found in diaries.
- In order for your child to be a good reader, the key is to get them to READ, READ and READ.
- Encourage your child to use synonyms for key adjectives and verbs by looking them up in a Thesaurus.

Pen licences

We would like as many children as possible to get a pen licence for fantastic handwriting.

Try your best!

Look in your diary for all the handwriting joins so you can practise at home.



Year 5 Maths - Term 5



This term, we are studying fractions. Some of the concepts that will be covered are comparing and ordering fractions, comparing mixed numbers, adding and subtracting fractions and multiplying fractions by whole and mixed numbers. We will then move onto decimals and percentages and focused worded problems linked to these methods.

During the term, we will have weekly arithmetic and times tables tests to ensure pupils are progressing and consolidating prior knowledge. Additionally, there will be an end of chapter test to check children's understanding of the concepts taught.

Children will also continue to get weekly homework, which links to our maths topic, set on Google Classroom.

Please ensure your child is continuing to practise their times tables at home too - they all have access to Times Tables Rockstars where they will be set competitions against other classes in year 5.

Year 5 Maths - Term 6



This term, we will be covering time and graphs. Some of the concepts that will be covered are telling time on a 24 hour clock, changing time (minutes and seconds, minutes and hours) and time durations problems. We will also focus on reading tables, drawing and reading lines graphs, picograms and bar charts.

The focus for this term will be using a range of strategies, including mental ones, to show mastery of using a given operation. We will be developing a habit of using the inverse operation as a way of double-checking our answers. Within lessons, we encourage our pupils to use journaling as a way of showing their thought process, aided with pictorial representations.

Children will also continue to get weekly homework, which links to our maths topic, set on Google Classroom. If they are having any issues with accessing Google Classroom, please ask your child to speak with their class teacher.

Please remember to use Times Tables Rockstars. You all have a login and password but if you are having any issues, please speak with your class teacher.



Please ensure your child is continuing to practise their times tables at home by participating in their class's weekly Battle of the Bands tournaments. Pupils are awarded weekly certificates for being the most active, 2nd most active and 3rd most active players within their class. Moreover, pupils get the chance to earn coins, allowing them to edit and improve their avatar.

Foundation Subjects Overview:

Term 5:

Science - How the body changes with age.

Geography - Enough for Everyone
(environmental issues)

P.S.H.E - Relationships.

Design and Technology - Mechanisms- Solar Ovens.

Art: Skill: Painting - Perspective of London.

Computing- We are Web Developers.

R.E - What inner forces affect how we think and behave?

P.E - Net & Wall: Tennis
Strike & Field: Rounders

Music - Improvisation - Patriotism – Music since 1900+

Term 6:

Science - The Solar System.

History - London's Calling (WW2).

P.S.H.E - Changing Me.

Design and Technology - Mechanisms- Solar Ovens.

Art: Skill: Painting - Perspective of London.

Computing - We are Bloggers.

R.E - What do religions and world views believe about God?

P.E - Athletics - Sports Day events practice
Games: Performances and skill games

Music - Performing / Antiphony
Composition 1960+



Debate Mate

Some children from years 5 and 6 have been selected to take part in an exciting debating competition run by an organisation called Debate Mate.

Debate Mate run after-school debating clubs in primary and secondary schools across the UK. During these sessions, the children learn the art of debating and have debated important issues around climate change, the rise of technology and its place in today's society, as well as political issues. They then take part in the competition, debating against other schools in the borough.

To date, there has been two rounds for competitions.

Vicarage primary school have been successful in both rounds, coming first place in the league on both occasions! We are aiming for continued success in the upcoming round, which will be taking place in May.

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