Autumn One



Welcome back to school!

We are so pleased to welcome you into Year 5. Your teachers and TAs this year will be Miss Taylor, Mrs Peck, Mrs Clarke and Mrs Moxam. We are going to learn lots and more importantly have a fabulous time. In this newsletter, you'll find everything you'll need to know to have a successful autumn term.

A checklist for Year 5:

Monday	Reading book and a water bottle	Always Badge
Tuesday	Reading book and a water bottle	Always Badge
Wednesday	Reading book and a water bottle	Always Badge Wear P.E Kit to school.
Thursday	Homework diary, reading book and a water bottle	Always Badge Spelling test and Maths homework completed.
Friday	Reading book and a water bottle	Always Badge

P.E kit

PE will be taught on a Wednesday, the children will need to wear their full P.E kit to school please. This will require:

- School uniform jumper
- White PE t shirt
- Plain black shorts
- Plain black joggers (non-branded)
- Trainers



This term, we will learning about tag rugby.

Our learning in Autumn One

- In English, we will focusing on our spelling, punctuation and grammar. We will also be writing a narrative based on Hansel and Gretel.
- In maths, we will be focusing on place value and addition and subtraction. We will be practising reading and writing numbers up to one million. We will be using Times Table Rockstars at school and we can also practise our speed and accuracy at home.
- In religion, we will be learning about stewardship and the dignity of the human person. We will also be studying Moses and the Ten Commandments. For RSE and PSHE, Year 5 will be exploring relationships, personal wellbeing and making positive choices through the **Ten Life to the Full** programme.
- In history, we will be studying the city of Baghdad. We will be looking at why were there so many restless minds in Muslim Cordoba and Baghdad.
- In geography, we will be looking at California. We will be focusing on why California is running out of water.
- In science, we will be learning about materials. We will plan a fair test to investigate factors affecting the speed at which solids dissolve in water.
- In Art, we will learning about drawing and typography and creating a map with a hidden message.
- In music, we will be studying our listening unit which involves exploring new music, lyrics and listening to music for detail
- In computing, we will learning about programming and how to design and make quizzes.

Dress to impress

We take great pride in our school and our uniform . Please make sure you're wearing full school uniform at all times.

Dates for your diary:

11.09.26: Whole School Mass @ 9:30am

22.09.26: School Photograph Day

02.10.26: CAFOD Family Fast Day & Y5 class mass

09.10.26: Hello Yellow Day

14.10.26: Flu Vaccinations

23.10.26: School finishes for half term @ 3:15pm

Class Dojo

We use Class Dojo to reward our children, showcase our learning and send reminders.

A polite reminder that messages via Class Dojo are not always monitored, should you have a query please seek help at the office.