

Week beginning

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Year 5 Newsletter



STAR moments

Year Group Attendance:

The class with the best attendance this week is 5ON. Well done!

This week's happy leaves go to:

5ON: Martyna for producing an incredibly informative and creative cause and effect thinking frame relating to climate change.

5T: Aiden for his excellent diagram of a moon orbit and a thorough explanation to accompany it. Keep up the good work!

5P: Rukhshona has been awarded the happy leaf this week for producing a very informative campaign poster, as a member from the Extinction Rebellion group.

School starts at 7:50am each morning and finishes at 2pm each day.

Don't forget to wear your school uniform.



Online learning this week is...

Log on to the Google Classroom. Read any comments in the class stream and click on the classwork tab to find this week's learning.

As mathematicians we are going to start to explore the world of fractions! We will recap what the most common fractions are. After that we will begin to explore the differences between a mixed number and an improper fraction. Finally we will begin to look at what an equivalent fraction is and how we can find one.

In English, we will be continuing our climate change topic and exploring how our consumption of meat is contributing to this global issue. We will be focusing on persuasive writing and recording ourselves delivering our arguments! As readers, we will be continuing with our book, 'Kick,' imagining Budi's life during a power cut and exploring sensory descriptions

Next Tuesday is Internet Safety Day! The theme this year is: **An internet we trust:** exploring reliability in the online world. We will be having a class assembly in the morning and a special online safety lesson in the afternoon, exploring why the internet is not always reliable and what we can do to make it more trustworthy. **Don't forget to enter the poster competition. Winners announced mid-week and PRIZES to be won!**

In RSHE, we will continue to focus on how coping skills can help us through difficult situations and what strategies we can use to calm ourselves down.

As scientists, we will be exploring the life cycle of stars, we will be discussing how they are created and how they die out. In Art, we will be creating our own piece of observational drawing using an image as inspiration.

Please check your child's timetable as we have included well-being activities (Joe Wicks Workouts) for them to access, as well as a **daily check-in sessions with their teacher at the end of each day.**

Week Six Timetable:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/17FCgAeyNnv17TQKbnnP3kjFQFGOPUZoa/view?usp=sharing>

Don't forget!

100% Attendance

Exciting news - we will be introducing **Golden 30** as of this week. Classes will now be awarded 30 minutes golden time each Friday for 100% attendance. Who will win it this week year 5?

Starting this week we are going to launch some tech free time, this will be on Thursday morning. Your teachers will go through your work with you and then you will be completing your work in your blended learning books.

Over to you...Home learning

YOU MUST ATTEND ALL OF YOUR ONLINE LESSONS EACH DAY AND 'AND IN' THE WORK YOU COMPLETE FOR YOUR TEACHER TO MARK!

Remember to access **Mathletics** as often as you can! Your teachers will be giving out certificates based on how many points you get. Who will be a master mathematician?

Continue to improve your reading skills by logging onto **Bug Club** each day. Remember to share a chapter from your favourite book with someone at home too.

Strive to achieve your bronze, silver or gold awards on **Times Tables Rockstars**! Oxford Owl has launched a new library service. **Your class can log in using this username and password by clicking on the 'My class login' button on the Oxford Owl** <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk>

The username is **star 5/6** and the password is **Star21**



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