

Week beginning

07.11.2022

Year 5 Newsletter



STAR moments

This week's happy leaves go to:

5R: Saimon, for becoming more independent when using his chromebook to aid his learning. Saimon has also worked hard on writing more legibly. Well done Saimon! Keep it up!

5T: Aayanna, for her independence during her evaluation of her artwork. She can identify areas she is proud of and what she can improve in her next piece.

5PN: Aasiyah, for having steadily developed her independence and confidence since September. She contributes a lot more to class discussions and uses her initiative when needed. Well done, Aasiyah!

Please ensure your child is in school each day. The class with the highest attendance each week will get a special reward.



Our new theme for this half term is Media Mayhem.

This term we have the exciting opportunity to investigate how people lived during WW2 and discover how WW2 finally came to an end.

In English, we will be creating and performing our own live news report. We will then begin writing our own news report based around WW2.

In RSHE, we will continue to look at positive relationships and how we can build them throughout our school lives focusing on anti-bullying.

In Maths this week, we will be learning how to multiply by 10, 100 and 100, as well as learning how to multiply 4 digit numbers.

As scientists, we will be learning about how unsupported materials fall to the ground because of gravity.

As readers, we have begun to look at Friend or Foe and this week we will be beginning to look at David and Tucky's journey to the countryside and reflecting on how they would have been feeling.

As historians, we will be devising historical questions about World War 2.

As theologians, we will be considering two versions of the same Christmas story and suggest reasons for similarities and differences in the viewpoints.



Don't forget!

PE is on Thursday so you need to come into school dressed in your PE kit with black trainers!

Fit Friday is on Friday so you need to come into school dressed in your Fit Friday kit with black trainers!

There will be no PE on Thursday 17th and Thursday 24th November due to swimming



Happy Diwali to all of our families that celebrated!
We hope you had a joyful day celebrating with all your family and friends.

SWIMMING COMMENCES MONDAY 14TH NOVEMBER

All Year Five pupils will go swimming each day from Monday 14th November until Friday 25th November. Attendance is compulsory

Please ensure your child has:
Trunks or swimming costume, which must be skin tight (no board shorts or bikinis)
A swimming hat
A towel (to be dry each day)

Over to you...Home learning

Don't forget to log on to Mathletics and complete the work assigned to you each day!

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 too.



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