

# Week beginning

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# Year 5 Newsletter



## STAR moments

This week's happy leaves go to:

**5R: Tyler**, for his flourishing independence during his learning. I have been super impressed with his independence whilst writing at length using the scaffolding and key vocabulary to support him. Tyler has also shown an eagerness to support a peer by showing values of encouragement and helpfulness to support them be successful. Keep it up!

**5T: Skye**, for her fantastic independence Skye has been a constant role model this term and tackles each task with enthusiasm. I have been really impressed with her dedication to her work.

**5PN: Aasiyah**, for using her historical enquiry skills to independently identify the Allies and Axis during WW2. Aasiyah has been taking more ownership over her learning and is completing all tasks set to the best of her abilities. Well done Aasiyah, keep it up!

**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.

- In Computing, we will be using our Computing skills to create a Blog using Google Sites.
- As Mathematicians, we will be learn how to divide using the written method for division.
- As Scientists, we will be learning all about air resistance and conducting our very own experiment!
- As Engineers, we will be designing and creating a moving WW2 vehicle operated by a cams mechanism. The children will have the opportunity to work in groups to create their vehicle using dowling rods, section squares, saws and glue guns.
- In RE, we will be learning all about how Christmas is celebrated around the world. We will begin by exploring different Christmas Stories and comparing the similarities and differences between the stories. We will then move on to looking at the two similar stories and discussing how the viewpoints of different people can tell the same story in a slightly different way. Later, we will focus on what advent and epiphany is and why these events are important to Christians.



We will be visit Eastlea Community School on **Monday 5th December** to watch a Christmas Production and on **Tuesday 6th December** to participate in a Human Rights Workshop. On Tuesday we will be **returning to school at 3pm**. Please ensure that you have given your child consent via ParentMail.

## Don't forget!

PE is on **Thursday** so you need to come into school dressed in your P.E. 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!



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

**Don't forget to wear your school uniform.**

## 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.



## Keep in touch!

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