

Year 5: Spring 1 2024

Our Year Group Team

Class Acacia:

Mr Africa (Year Lead), Ms Branco

Class Aspen: Mr Pallet, Ms Londo, Ms Sajjad

Important dates

15/1/24 – World Religion Day

17/1/24 – Energy saving week

22/1/24 Chinese new year

2/2/24 – NSPCC Numbers Day

7/2/24 – Safer Internet Day

9/2/24 – Last Day of Half-term

Reminders

School starts at 8.50am and finishes at 3.20pm. Good attendance is 96% and above. Please ensure that your child is in school regularly to meet this target. You can check on Weduc for your child's most up to date attendance.

Please ensure your child reads for at least 10 minutes every day at home.

Dear Parents and Carers,

We would like to wish you a happy new year and welcome you back for a brand new half term. We are looking forward to continuing our good learning in Year 5 and making the best of all the opportunities, we have in our school community. Please do talk to us if you have any questions or concerns.

The Year 5 Team

Our Curriculum Curriculum

This half term we are learning all about:

English – Fiction: Wolf Brother **Non-fiction:** Burial Places

Maths – Multiplication and Division, Fractions, Decimals and Percentages, Perimeter and Area, Statistics

Science – Properties and changing of materials

Topic- History, DT: Stone Age

RE – Islam

PE – Outside: Dynamic balance and agility **Inside:** Gymnastics

Computing – HTML Codes

French – The weather

Music- Exploring Key and Time Signatures

PSHE- Feelings and Emotions, Life skills

British Values

Our British Value focus for this half term is – Mutual Respect and Tolerance

Rights Respecting School Article 30 - Every child has the right to learn and use the language, customs and religion of their family, regardless of whether these are shared by the majority of the people in the country where they live.

Cultural Capital

The curriculum is designed to instil high aspirations in all of our children and to encourage them to become resilient, life-long learners who embrace challenges and continue to grow and develop their cultural capital. This half term, we have some wonderful opportunities planned such as:

World Religion Day

Uniform

Our PE days are:

Monday and Friday

Please ensure your child wears their PE kit on these days.



For non-PE days, our e is for all of our pupils to be in school uniform. If you need any support with providing a uniform for your child, please speak to the school office.

Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural (SMSC)

SMSC is in an integral part of school life and the on-going education of all of our pupils. Through our curriculum planning and assemblies, together with enriching experiences, children have the opportunity to explore values and beliefs. This half term some of our SMSC events are:

Safer Internet Day
Chinese New Year