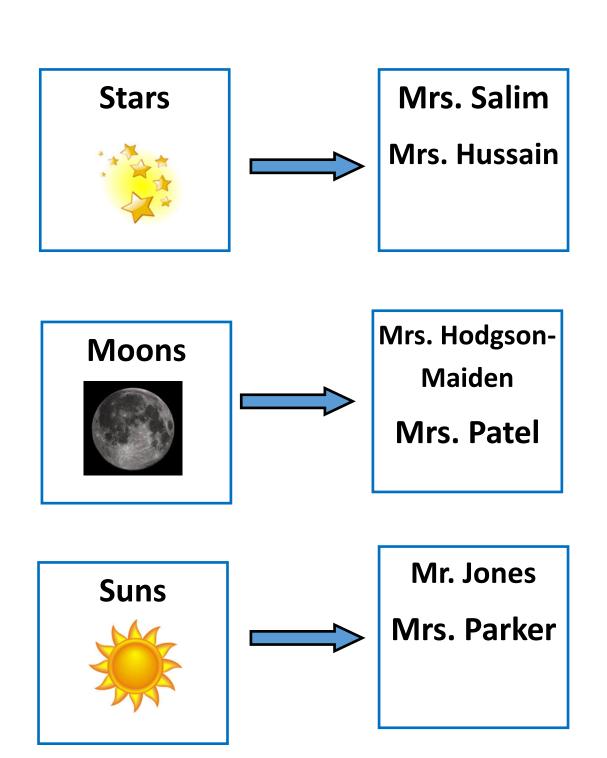


Welcome to Year Five





Your Teachers



Year 5 Deputy Headteacher Mrs. Brightcliffe

Key Information

P.E

Stars: Monday afternoon

Suns: Monday afternoon

Moons: Thursday afternoon

Swimming

Each class will receive a two week intense block where they will visit the swimming baths everyday for two weeks-more details to follow

Stars:16th-27th September 2024

Suns: 30th September -11th October 2024

Moons: 4th-15th November 2024

Bikeability

All children in Year 5 will be invited to take part in free training on how to ride a bike safely. This is planned for Monday 3rd March to Friday 14th March 2025. Details will be shared nearer the time!

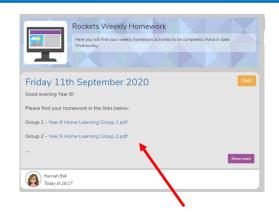
Walking Home: Reminder

If you wish your child to walk to and from school without an adult, please fill in the correct letter and bring back to school as soon as possible.

Sample Daily Timetable

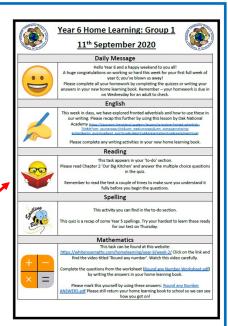
8:45	1:1 reading		
9:00am	UKS2 Assembly		
9:15am	English-Reading		
9:45am	Maths		
10:35am	Playtime		
10:50am	English-Writing		
11:50am	Spelling/Handwriting		
12:00	Lunch		
1:00pm	Everyday Maths		
1:30pm	The Wider Curriculum		
(each afternoon we teach a different subject)	Science R.E PSHE Computing Geography or History Art or DT Music or French		
3:00pm	Class Novel		

Home Learning





Homework will be set on Purple Mash. Click on the link and the PDF will open containing your weekly homework



Children may be set weekly tasks in:

Maths: in most cases this will reinforce what the children have been learning in Maths that week.

Spellings: the children will have a list of spellings that they are expected to learn how to spell by heart and understand the meaning of.

English: this is likely to be a grammar task linked to the learning that week.

Reading: as well as reading their home reading book EVERYDAY, the children will be set reading activities on Purple Mash.

Handwriting: handwriting practice sheets will be sent home if required.

Teachers may also use ClassDojo to share homework.

Please use ClassDojo as a means of communicating with your class teacher about home learning.

All children will bring home a blue homework book to complete their tasks.



Homework will be set on a Friday and handed in the following Wednesday.

Reading

Year 5 Home Reading

Book Band	Year Group Expectations	Stages / Levels
Brown inc. copper and topaz	Year 3	11/12
Grey inc. ruby and emerald	Year 4	12/13
Dark Blue inc. sapphire	Year 5	13/14

The chart above explains how book bands are organised in KS2. In Year 5, we also encourage children to write a comment or summary in their planners about what they have read.

Reading at Home Expectations

- We expect all children to read out loud for at least 20 minutes per night with an adult or older sibling.
- They should then log this in their school planner and write a brief comment about what they have read.
- Please sign this to indicate that you have read with them that evening.

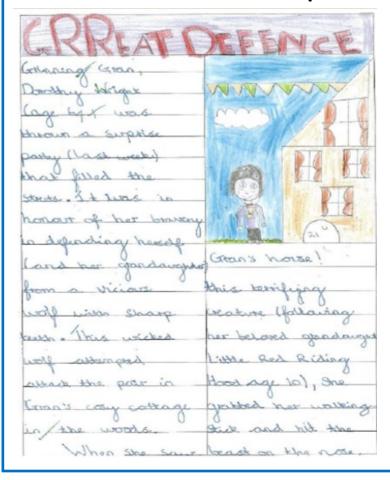


Year 5 Spellings:

Year 5							
apparent	cemetery	determined	explanation	interfere	occupy		
rhythm	amateur	communicate	develop	familiar	language		
occur	secretary	ancient	community	dictionary	foreign		
leisure	persuade	shoulder	available	conscience*	environment		
forty	lightning	physical	soldier	average	convenience		
equip (-ped, -ment)	government	muscle	programme	stomach	bargain		
curiosity	excellent	hindrance	neighbour	queue	temperature		
bruise	desperate	existence	individual	nuisance	recognise		
twelfth	rhyme	vegetable					

Year 5 Writing:

On the school website you will find what is expected of a Year 5 writer. Below is an example of the standard expected:



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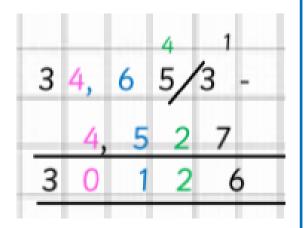
- Joined handwriting.
- Use relative clauses beginning with who, which, when, whose or that.
- Create atmosphere
 when describing settings
 and characters.
- Use brackets, dashes or commas to indicate parenthesis.
- Use further
 organisational devices
 such as headings and
 bullet points.

Maths

End of Year 5 Expectation: ADDITION

End of Year 5 Expectation:

SUBTRACTION



End of Year 5 Expectation:

Multiplication

End of Year 5 Expectation:

DIVISION:

Continue to use the bus stop method of short division:

		4	_	5	Ţ	3
5	2	2	² 7	² 8		

28 ÷ 5 = 5 remainder 3

If your calculation has a remainder, remember to record it in the answer using the letter **r**.

The Wider Curriculum

In Year 5 we teach a broad and balanced curriculum. Below are just some of the subjects and topics your children will be learning about this year:

Science:

Changes of Materials Forces Earth and Space







History:

The Victorians
The Anglo-Saxons
Ancient Greece







Geography:

Biomes
South America
Fieldwork





Art:

Picasso Henry Rousseau Textiles-Karen Rose







Design and Technology:

Baking Bread Structures (Wooden Pop-up toys)





Website

The School Website:

www.deepdalecommunityprimary.co.uk

Please visit the school website and click on the Curriculum section and then Year 5 for further curriculum information.

There is lots to support your child with their learning including:

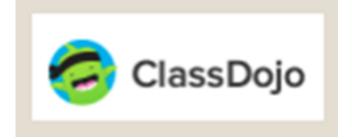
- A yearly overview of all the content we will be teaching your children.
- Knowledge Organisers for each subject that give details on the topics taught.
- Maths support documents then you can see the methods we teach.
- Additional websites that your children will find useful when learning at home.



Keeping in Touch

Please make sure you are signed up to ClassDojo.

This is similar to text messaging and is a great way of keeping in touch with your child's class teacher about their learning.



Please continue to report all absences through the school office, not Class Dojo.

If you would like to talk to a member of the senior leadership team, please contact Mrs. Brightcliffe, the Year 5 Deputy Headteacher by phone call or come and see her at the school gates (Number 4) where she is situated most mornings and evenings.



If you wish to contact school, please use the details below:

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