

Year 5 Information Sheet

Summer 2022

**Reminders:**

-Please ensure your child wears their school uniform every day and has a pair of black pumps in school.

-Children have PE every Monday and Swimming every Friday; please ensure they have appropriate clothing on those days.

-Please make sure your child doesn’t bring any unnecessary items in from home.



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## **Year 5**

Teacher:

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**English**

In English, during the Summer term, we will be writing a setting description and then our own summer poem – we will be very busy! These writing genres look at different features so we have lots of learning to do. We will also be focusing on finding word meanings in texts during Reciprocal Reading. At home, you can support your child by using our online programmes which school pay into – Bug Club, TT Rockstars and Purple Mash as well as accessing their class Microsoft Teams pages. Homework will be set to support our topic learning but it is spellings and times tables that will be key. It is also important to read with your child as often as possible, they will bring one book home a week for home reading.

**Maths**

In Maths we use the White Rose Hub Maths. This supports us with learning various strategies to support our number work. In this term, we will be consolidating and learning about decimals, ‘Properties of Shapes’ and ‘Position and Direction’. This information is then used in word problems and reasoning problems, where we have to choose the correct operation. Times tables are an important part of maths learning in every year group. In year 5, children need to be able to fluently recall all their multiplication and division facts (TT Rockstars is fantastic for this) as well as other mental maths areas, such as adding or subtracting decimals and larger numbers.

**Science**

Our science learning this term is ‘Living Things and Habitats’. We will be comparing and describing the life process of reproduction in plants. We will be studying how pupils might work scientifically by observing and comparing the life cycles of plants in their local environment with other plants around the world.

**Theme**

Our topic for this term is ‘The Great Outdoors’. We will be learning about earthquakes, tsunami and volcanoes. We will also be having a field trip where we will be collecting geographical data and learning how to use a 8 compass. In Art and DT we will be designing and creating a microhabitat.

**Diary Dates**

Athens - 10th May – Into University

Vienna – 17th May – Into University