

Dear Year 5 parents and carers,

We hope you have had a great holiday and are ready to start the new term at Grange Junior School. We'd like to take this opportunity to notify you of what to expect over this term.

PE

Our PE days will be on a Tuesday and Wednesday. Please can children come into school in their PE kits on this day. Please note that it is important that long hair is tied back on these days and children are not wearing hooped earrings and other jewellery should not be worn.

Water Bottles

Due to the hot weather, please can you ensure that your child brings a water bottle to school. If these can be named, it helps us to return them to their owners if they are misplaced. The children are allowed to access these during the school day whenever they wish. The only time we ask them to wait is during our lesson input times. An extra drink can also be provided for lunchtime should you wish.

Snacks

Children are most welcome to bring in a snack at playtime. As per healthy schools' guidance, we ask that these are fruit or vegetables where possible.

Reading

Reading is crucial part of our culture here at Grange. We ask children to read at least 3 times a week and record it in their reading record. Every reading night counts towards our reading reward scheme. We hope to see lots of children achieving 250 nights this year!

Times Tables and Spellings

Times Table Rockstars and Spelling Sheds are the two tools we use for homework at Grange. Times Tables and Spellings are essential areas of Maths and English so please provide your child with time to complete their homework.

Dates for your diary:

Monday 16th June- National Sports Week

Wednesday 18th June- Sports Day

Wednesday 2nd and Thursday 3rd July- Transition Days

Monday 7th and Tuesday 8th July - Teacher Training Day

Please keep an eye on the school website for updates and dates.

Finally, please remember that if you have any questions, feel free to contact us by sending an email to the school office or speaking to the class teachers.

Thank you for your continued support,

Miss Humphries (Year Group Lead), Miss Holley,
Miss Tylee and Mr Bailey

As writers we will be learning...

- to use the visual literacy 23 Degrees 5 minutes:
Narrative- writing an adventure story
- to use Everest:
to write a recount (letter)



As mathematicians we will be learning...

- Measurement, area and volume
- Geometry and properties of shape
- Measurement of time
- Statistics

As Artists and Designers, we will be learning: Pizza

Designing Making Evaluating

Technical knowledge and understanding

Focus - Celebrating culture and seasonality



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As scientists we will be studying

Animals including Humans:

- Process or reproduction
- Changes and life cycle
- Changing body parts

As musicians we are learning...

- to play the recorder /clarinets

In PE we are learning...

- Athletics
- Kwik Cricket



In RE we will be discovering...

What is the best way for a Christian to show commitment to God?

- I can show an understanding of why people show commitment in different ways.
- I can describe how different practices enable Christians to show their commitment to God and understand that some of these will be more significant to some Christians than others.
- I can explain why I think some ways of showing commitment to God would be better than others for Christians.

As French speakers we will be learning about...

My Home

- Types of homes and different locations
- Names of rooms within the home
- In my home there is/are...
- In my home there is not/ there are no...

In PSHE we are learning about:

Changing me

- Body image
- Changes in a girls and body and minds during puberty
- Conception
- What responsibilities I will have as a teenager
- What I am looking forward to in the future.

In Geography we will be learning...

The country of Chile:

- Location
- Topography
- Climate and terrain
- Human geographical features
- Comparing to the UK

Using our computing skills, we are...

Online Safety - Project Evolve

- Copyright and Ownership
- Privacy and Security

Teach Computing - Programming

Creating a selection in Quizzes
Exploring selection in programming to design and code an interactive quiz.