St Bart's Quick Guide To: Years 5 and 6



A warm welcome to Years 5 and 6! This guide outlines some important information that you will need to help your child stay organised and to have a successful time in Upper Key Stage 2.

Our curriculum

In Years 5 & 6 we will be covering the following topics:

Autumn- Activism, Rivers

Spring—Vikings, Climate

Summer — Ancient Greece, National Parks

Through each curricular area, we make links to these topics where appropriate. Please see our Year group overviews on the website for further details. Here you will also find what your child will be learning in English and Maths.



Homework

Children are expected to read their reading book at home every night.

Each week, children will also be given Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling and Maths homework on Emile to complete. Children will also be expected to complete at least 30 minutes of Reading Plus at home.

Homework is given on a Monday and needs to be completed by the following Monday. There will be a homework club every Monday and Thursday lunchtime for children in Year 5 and 6 to have the opportunity to do homework during the school day.

Children will also have the opportunity to complete a variety of other tasks each term linked to other areas of the curriculum.

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Drop off and collection

Children will enter school through the Year 1 playground. Mr Needham is there on a morning to answer any questions, or pass on any information to the class teacher. Children in Years 5 and 6 will enter the school building independently and walk to their class.

Classes 13 & 14 will exit school at 15:25 and be either collected or walk home from the Year 1 playground—each class will walk to the fence.

Classes 15, 16 & 17 will also exit school at 15:25 and be either collected or walk home from the following points:

Class 15—door near the hall and library. Class 16– hall door leading on to the Year 1 playground.

Class 17-hall door leading on to the Year 1 playground.

Pupil attributes

All staff members in Years 5 and 6 will be supporting the pupils in demonstrating the following school pupil attributes:



Commitment Willpower Optimism Resilience Ambition Integrity ^{Courage} Patience Drive

What to remember!

Your child will need to remember to bring the following each day:

- Their reading book
- Their planner
- Any homework they have been set
- Any letters needed to be passed back to school.
- Appropriate clothing—e.g. a jacket or coat dependent on the weather.

Children will be encouraged to bring their things in some

form of bag (for example, book bag or rucksack).



ΡE

Each class will have one PE slot and one swimming slot. Timetable: Class 13—Tuesday (PE) and Friday (swimming). Class 14— Tuesday (PE) and Wednesday (swimming) Class 15— Monday (swimming) and Thursday (PE) Class 16— Thursday (swimming) and Friday (PE) Class 17—Tuesday (swimming) and Friday (PE)

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Meet the staff in Years 5 and 6



Mr Needham Deputy Headteacher in charge of Mrs Dixon Mr Dawson Mr Leadbeater Mr Howard Years 5 and 6



Mrs Best Works throughout Years 5 and 6



<u>Class 13</u>









Class 14



Class 15

<u>Class 16</u> Mrs Smith Mrs Dyer Miss Christie Mr Middleton Mrs Martin































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