



Spring Curriculum Newsletter



Year 5

Dear Year 5,

Thank you for all your hard work last term, I hope you are all feeling refreshed after the Christmas break. I am so proud of all your progress last term and I hope you are as excited about the term ahead of us as I am.

PE will take place on a Monday and Friday. This means you need to wear your full PE tracksuit (our **school tracksuit** with black trainers or black plimsolls), or a **plain black** tracksuit.

Homework will consist of a maths activity and a list of that week's spellings. This will be set on a Monday and due the following Monday. In addition to this, you need to be practising your spellings and times tables at home regularly. You can do this through accessing Hit the Button, or TTRS. Our Spelling Test is on a Friday, and you can access these spellings on the school website or through the weekly sheets in your Homework books. Don't forget that you need to be reading regularly at home as well - for at least 20 minutes, 3 times a week. You might wish to share a story with a sibling or an adult. Please ensure that reading records are sent into school each day so the adults in school can sign them.

Please continue to check the school's website for updates and weekly achievements.

If you have any concerns or queries, please feel free to contact me on SeeSaw, Class Dojo or through the office email: office@stjosephsbillingham.bhcet.org.uk

Thank you,

Miss Schiller (Class Teacher) and Mr Canning (Teaching Assistant)

HIS RIGHTEOUSNESS WILL BE LIKE A
GARDEN IN EARLY SPRING, WITH PLANTS
SPRINGING UP EVERYWHERE.

ISAIAH 61:11



'Walk in the Light of Christ'



Subject	Topics	Big Question
English	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Persuasive writing - Non-Chronological Reports - Newspaper writing 	
Maths	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Addition and Subtraction - Multiplication and Division - Measurement - Fractions, decimals and percentages - Place Value within 1,000,000 	
R.E	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mission - Islam - Memorial Sacrifice - Sacrifice 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Do we all have a mission in life? - What is Ramadan and why is it important? - Why do we need memories? - Why do we need to make sacrifices?
Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Earth and Space - Sound and Hearing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What does a year in space in look like? - How do we measure the speed of sound?
P.E	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Football - Hockey - Dodgeball - Dance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Can I throw, catch and kick a ball with accuracy? - Can I move around objects at speed?
Computing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Databases - Game Creator 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Can I interpret information from a database and create my own?
History	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - WWII 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What was the main aims of the Home Front during WWII?
Geography	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Deserts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - How do plants and animals adapt to living in the Desert Biome?
Art and D.T	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Textiles - Transient Sculptures 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Can I create and sew my own tablet case with a secure fastening? - Can I build a sculpture using foraged materials?
MFL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Descriptions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Can I describe my family? - Can I describe myself?
Music	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Livin' on a Prayer - Dancing in the Street 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - How does Rock music differ to the Motown movement?
PSHE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mini Medics - Mental Health - Online Safety - Financial Capability 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - How can I look after my mental health? - How can I stay safe online? - How can I look after my money?



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