

Y5

NEWSLETTER

Week beginning 10.11.25



Message from the Year 5 Team

In Year 5, we do not have a set afternoon playtime. We will always ensure the children have brain breaks during the afternoons whether this is in the classroom or outside.

As the weather is getting cooler, please can children bring coats to school to keep them warm.

Attendance

F2 96.6% Y1 95.3% Y2 95.9% Y3 95.9%

Y4 97% Y5 96.3% Y6 96.2%

The whole school target for attendance is 97%

Key Information

5CC and 5MS will have PE on Fridays and 5CT on Wednesday mornings.

5CT will have swimming on PE Tuesday mornings.

Stars of the week:

5CT – Ajah & Jack C

5CC – Miller & Maisie

5MS – Finley & Elliott

Please could you bring an empty cereal box and a 500ml empty bottle into school for Art. Thank you.

Thank you for your support with the Rainforest art show, we raised £399

This week's learning

In Literacy, we will be looking at Natural Disasters. The children will be focusing on using parenthesis and apostrophes ready for writing a non-chronological report later in the term.

In Maths, we will be looking at graphs. The children will be looking at how to read information from tables and line graphs.

In Geography, we will be learning about Natural Disasters. The children will be fully immersed into how natural disasters occur and what effects they have on the surrounding areas.

Message from Mr Wilkes

Welcome back to a new half term which has got off to a great start! I have been away this week with the Year 6 children who have made me so proud with the way they have supported each other and pushed themselves to overcome challenges. They are a wonderful group of children and a credit to the school. A big thanks to the staff team who have worked tirelessly to make it a positive and memorable experience. (As year 6 are away there won't be a newsletter from them this week).

During last half term, we ran a recruitment process to appoint a new role to the school: Inclusion Leader. The Inclusion Leader will work in school for 3 days a week and alongside being the new SENCo, will also oversee a number of other areas. After a robust interview, I am really excited to say that Mrs Emma Langon will be joining us in January. She currently works as a teacher and SENCo in a primary school and will bring with her a wealth of experience.

Thank you to those parents who have put themselves forward as parent governors. Please make sure you return your ballot paper to school no later than 9am on the 17th November.

The work on the Nursery classroom was completed over the half-term break and it has created a fabulous environment for the children. We are now excited about the development of the outdoor space.

You will have also seen the construction work which is taking place at Cator Lane. This is to have a ramp installed to enable access from the lower to upper playground. This work should take about 4 weeks.