



Newsletter - Spring 1 2022

Year 5

Theme: Materials

This half-term, our Year 5 theme focuses on Science, History and Art.

English

Street Child
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Your child will:

- Develop their ability to write poetry, including the use of onomatopoeia, non-finite openers and a rhyme.
- Develop their ability to write a letter, including the use of inference, semi colons and conjunctions.
- Develop their ability to write a non-chronological report, including the use of dashes as well as working on appropriate sentence length.
- Develop their ability to write a biography focusing on the use of brackets and passive voice.
- Have daily spelling, guided reading and handwriting lessons.

Mathematics

Your child will:

- Multiply and divide numbers mentally, drawing upon known facts.
- Divide numbers up to 4 digits by a one-digit number using the formal written method of short division and interpret remainders appropriately for the context.
- Solve problems involving multiplication and division, including using their knowledge of factors and multiples, squares and cubes.
- Compare and order fractions whose denominators are all multiples of the same number.
- Identify, name and write equivalent fractions of a given fraction, represented visually, including tenths and hundredths.
- Recognise mixed numbers and improper fractions and convert from one form to the other and write mathematical statements > 1 as a mixed number.
- Add and subtract fractions with the same denominator, and denominators that are multiples of the same number.

Wider Curriculum-Please see over page

Visits and Visitors

We will be visiting the Knitters Museum to support our learning on the Industrial Revolution.

Reminders

PE day is Wednesday for both 5O and 5B	PE Please send your child in the school PE kit as detailed in the letter you received.
Friday	Spelling test – Spellings can be found on your child's Seesaw account.
At the beginning of the half term	A range of homework activities will be set on seesaw for your child to complete throughout the half term. These activities will enhance their wider curriculum learning.

How Can You Help?

Please read with your child at least 3 times a week and write it in their diary.
Learn your child's spellings with them ready for their spelling test on Friday.
Practice your child's times tables as often as possible. Please use TTRS to support this.
Check Seesaw regularly for homework, news and updates.

Other

Our drop off and pick up times are below:
Drop off: 8:50
Pick up: 3:05

Thank you for the support that you have given your children. If you would like any further information about the work set or about this term's curriculum then please do not hesitate to contact us.

Thank you.

Mr O' Donnell and Mr Lord.