

YEAR 5!

Your teachers this term will remain as:
Mr Backett, Miss Mottram
and Miss Fisher.



Amila Ahmed and Farzana
Khatun will be supporting us.

YEAR 5 PUPILS

During your time in Year 5, we will expect you to:

- ◆ always try your best,
- ◆ be kind and considerate to Everyone,
- ◆ do your homework - hand it in every Tuesday and it will be given out again on Wednesdays,
- ◆ read regularly to an adult at home,
- ◆ look after your own things,
- ◆ make sure you wear the correct uniform with the appropriate footwear,
- ◆ bring your swimming kit to school every Tuesday.

I will be learning...

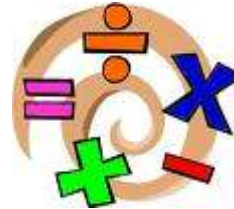
LITERACY

We will be studying a film unit this term, as well as developing our persuasion skills through writing adverts.



NUMERACY

Children will continue to work on using the four operations to solve tricky number problems as well as investigating data and shape.



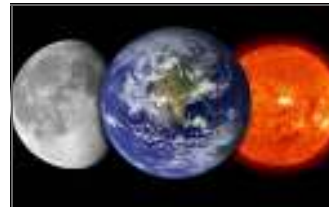
TOPICS

Our topic this term will be *Space Exploration*. We will examine the history of space travel and famous space explorers. In Summer term 2, we will be focusing on Japan; its culture, climate and history.



SCIENCE

Our topics this term are *Earth, Moon and Sun*. We will be exploring the orbit of the moon and the earth around the sun and why we have night and day.



I.C.T.

We will be learning how to create digital advertisements using videos, recording equipment and digital imaging.

ART & D.T.

We will be creating a solar system using the techniques of colour mixing, marbling and texturing.

SWIMMING

Year 5 will be continuing with swimming every Thursday, leaving at 12.45pm. All children must attend these sessions unless they have a valid doctor's note.

HOMEWORK

Children will be given weekly Literacy and Numeracy homework. Tasks should be completed and returned on a Tuesday.

TRIPS & EVENTS

We will be watching a film at the IMAX about space exploration and visiting the Science Museum.

MANGA HIGH & BUG CLUB

Please ensure your child is keeping up to date with these online activities weekly.

FOR PARENTS/CARERS

Please support your child by...

- ◆ ensuring they have the correct uniform and all clothing is labelled with their name. 
- ◆ encouraging their growing independence.
- ◆ letting them sort out their own items for school, such as lunchboxes, coats and shoes etc.
- ◆ listening to them read or asking them about the books they are reading and encouraging them to read **every day**.
- ◆ practising numeracy skills in a friendly and informal way - number games, mental arithmetic and table facts. 
- ◆ encouraging and supporting them to do their homework by themselves. Remember it is their homework, not yours!

If you have any questions or if you or your child have any worries, please just come and let us know - no matter how small!

We are always happy to listen so please just pop in and ask!

Things you will need in Year 5...



SCHOOL SHOES

Plimsolls or lace -ups. Trainers can be worn, as long as they are completely black.

P.E. KIT

Shorts, T-shirt, plimsolls or trainers in a small bag - drawstring if possible.



J. BLOGGS

MRS KEMP

Please **remember** to label everything with your name - especially sweatshirts, PE kits and coats!



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