



YEAR 5 END OF YEAR EXPECTATIONS A GUIDE FOR PARENTS & CARERS

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Introduction...

This booklet provides information for parents and carers on the end of year expectations for children in our school. The staff have identified these expectations as being the minimum requirements your child must meet in order to ensure continued progress throughout the following year.

All the objectives will be worked on throughout the year and will be the focus of direct teaching. Any extra support you can provide in helping your children to achieve these is greatly valued.

If you have any queries regarding the content of this booklet or want support in knowing how best to help your child please talk to your child's teacher.



READING...

- Summarise main points of an argument or discussion within their reading and make up own mind about issue/s.
- Compare between two texts
- Appreciate that people use bias in persuasive writing.
- Appreciate how two people may have a different view on the same event.
- Draw inferences and justify with evidence from the text.
- Vary voice for direct or indirect speech.
- Recognise clauses within sentences.
- Explain how and why a writer has used clauses to add information to a sentence.
- Use more than one source when carrying out research.
- Create a set of notes to summarise what has been read.

WHAT CAN I DO TO HELP MY CHILD:

Read books with your child and talk about the story, the poems or the information in them. What parts of the book have they enjoyed the most and why? Allow your child to read at their own pace and encourage them to re-read their favourite stories. This will help to begin recognising familiar letters and words.



Remember that reading isn't just about books—make the most of shop and street signs when you are out and about. And why not ask your child to find out what a DVD is about by reading the back of the box,





WRITING...

- Add phrases to make sentences more precise and detailed.
- Use range of sentence openers judging the impact or effect needed.
- Begin to adapt sentence structure to text type.
- Use pronouns to avoid repetition.
- Indicate degrees of possibility using adverbs (e.g. perhaps, surely) or modal verbs (e.g. might, should, will).
- Use the following to indicate parenthesis:
 - brackets
 - dashes
 - comma
- Use commas to clarify meaning or avoid ambiguity.
- Link clauses in sentences using a range of subordinating and coordinating conjunctions.
- Use verb phrases to create subtle differences (e.g. she began to run).
- Consistently organize into paragraphs.
- Link ideas across paragraphs using adverbials of time (e.g. later), place (e.g. nearby) and number (e.g. secondly).
- Write legibly, fluently and with increasing speed.

WHAT CAN I DO TO HELP MY CHILD:

Encourage your child to want to write. Let them use crayons, pencils, felt-tips & paints to make patterns and pictures.

Write down a story your child tells you—they will learn through what they see. Get them to suggest words and phrases



Find lots of opportunities to write together—make lists before you go shopping, and write letters to friends and family. Help them to make their own books, posters or labels for things in their room.





MATHS...

- Count forwards and backward with positive and negative numbers through zero.
- Count forwards/backwards in steps of powers of 10 for any given number up to 1,000,000.
- Compare and order numbers up to 1,000,000.
- Compare and order numbers with 3 decimal places.
- Read Roman numerals to 1,000.
- Identify all multiples and factors, including finding all factor pairs.
- Use known tables to derive other number facts.
- Recall prime numbers up to 19.
- Recognise and use square numbers and cube numbers.
- Recognise place value of any number up to 1,000,000.
- Round any number up to 1,000,000 to the nearest 10, 100, 1000, 10,000 or 100,000.
- Round decimals with 2 decimal places to nearest whole number and 1 decimal place.
- Add and subtract:
 - Numbers with more than 4-digits using formal written method.
- Use rounding to check answers.
- Multiply:
 - 4-digits by 1-digit/ 2-digit
- Divide:
 - Up to 4-digits by 1-digit
- Multiply & divide:
 - Whole numbers & decimals by 10, 100 and 1,000
- Recognise and use thousandths.
- Recognise mixed numbers and improper fractions and convert from one to another.
- Multiply proper fractions and mixed numbers by whole numbers.
- Identify and write equivalent fractions.



Help you child to count from a number . Help them to recite their times tables.





WAYS YOU CAN HELP YOUR CHILD SUCCEED...

There are lots of ways parents and carers can help children at home, but making sure they regularly complete their homework and hand it in on time is essential.

It would also help if you could:-

- Ensure your child has a calm quite working space.
- Talk with your child about what they are learning and the homework they have been set
- Visit the library regularly, which will also help.

Ideally parents should read with or listen to their children daily to help them to develop fluency, confidence and a love for reading. We ask parents and carers in Foundation Stage and Key Stage One to sign and record comments in their child's Reading Diary to show that they have heard their child read and to maintain a dialogue between home and school of how well their child is reading. In Key Stage Two children are encouraged and supported to keep a reading journal allowing them, through a range of different activities, to demonstrate what they have been reading, their understanding of what they have read and their personal preferences.

If parents and carers have any questions about homework or

their child's learning they should, in the first instance, contact their child's class teacher.



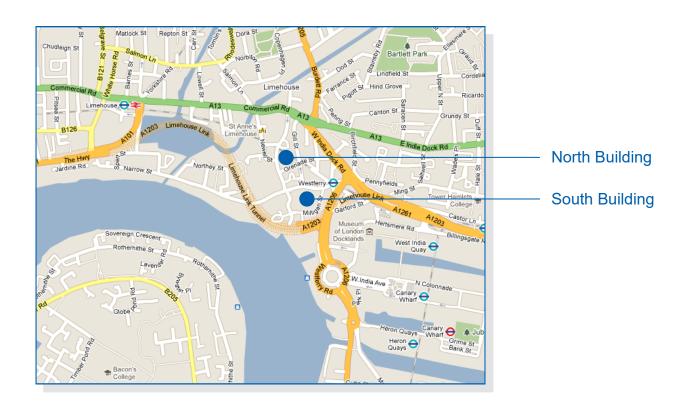
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