



YEAR 5

Class Newsletter

Spring 2

Welcome and Special Announcements

Welcome back everyone!

Although this is a shorter half term, we will be packing lots in! We have a trip to 'Into University' on the 4th & 5th March and we will begin having P.E. lessons with a member of Salford Red Devils.

We will also have activities taking place to celebrate World Book Day.

Your Year 5 Staff are:

Miss Johnson
Mr Wheeler
Mrs Harrison
Miss Wilkinson

Our Learning this term

Writing This term, we will be writing a biography, a diary and a narrative.

Reading This term, we will be analysing an information text called **Exploring Space**.

MATHS

This term we are focusing on:
decimals, percentages, and geometry.

Science

This term we are learning about **FORCES**

Our Key Knowledge is:

- Air resistance and water resistance are forces against motion caused by objects having to move air and water out of their way.
- Friction is a force against motion caused by two surfaces rubbing against each other.

Geography

This term we are learning about **MOUNTAINS**.

Our Key Knowledge is:

- that a mountain is a landform that sticks up above the surrounding land
- that mountains are formed when the earth's plates collide and land is pushed upwards or folded.

OTHER SUBJECTS LEARNING AND KEY KNOWLEDGE

- In Art, we will be looking at the artist Andy Warhol and making sculptures.
- In Jigsaw this half term, our topic is called 'Healthy Me.'

Class Reader



Cosmic by Frank Cottrell Boyce

Key Information This Term

Reading

Year 5 children should be encouraged to read regularly at home with an adult. (4 lots of 20 minutes a week is a good start).

Home Learning

Year 5's home learning book will be sent home again this term. It will contain some writing tasks for them to pick them.

It is still expected that the children will read their reading book regularly, complete their spellings and access TT Rockstars.

P.E. This term we will have PE on **Tuesday and Thursdays**. Make sure your child has correct kit (school house t-shirt/plain white t-shirt, black shorts, school pumps or black trainers) School house t-shirts are available to buy online at www.parentpay.com

Trips and Visits

We will be making our first visit to the 'Into University' organisation on the 4th & 5th March.