

Autumn Term - Year 5

Teacher's Message

Welcome, parents and carers!

I am delighted to introduce myself as the Year 5 teacher, Miss Shenton. I am so impressed with how well Year 5 have settled back into school and how they have engaged with our Bake Off.

Should you have any concerns, or simply wish to discuss your child's progress, I encourage you to reach out to me. I am happy to arrange a convenient time for a phone call, or I can meet with you in person at the end of the school day.

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NICER

To start our new challenge pack, we are taking an exciting visit to the National Space Centre (26th September).

In our 'Space Infinity' topic, we will uncover significant key moments in history such as The Space Race, the moon landing and the development of space travel.

Our challenge pack outcome is: Can we code to create a space game?

English

Our first English topic will be inspired by the upcoming International Walking to School month, in October, to celebrate the benefits of walking and wheeling to school. Year 5 will write a persuasive letter to parents, encouraging them to walk to and from school. As we progress through the autumn term, Year 5 will cover genres related to our NICER topic, Space Infinity.

Maths

We will begin our maths topic by exploring place value in maths, teaching children how the position of digits in numbers affects their value. As the term unfolds, we will dive into addition and subtraction, followed by multiplication and division, and finally, fractions.

Your support at home is encouraged
...for a successful term in maths. If
you have any questions or would like
....any support or resources, please
don't hesitate to ask!

Dates

National Space Centre - 26th September

Parents evening - Wednesday 25th October

Half term- 30th October-3rd November

Christmas Panto- Tuesday 5th December

Christmas Fayre- Wednesday 13th September

Christmas Celebration- Tuesday 19th December

Christmas Disco- Wednesday 20th September

Term ends- Friday 22nd December 12.00pm

We are Reading....



Homework

Reading- We recommend children reading between 5-7 times a week for 15 minutes. Reading books will be changed weekly.

Spelling- Spellings are given out weekly (in homework diaries) and children can practice their spellings on Ed Shed. They are tested weekly on their spellings.

My Maths is set every Friday; linked to the learning in the classroom.

Children can use **TT Rockstars** to support their X tables practice.

Passwords will be in the front of children's diary.



