

Summer Term -Year 5

Teacher's Message



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Welcome back! I hope you have all had a restful Easter break. I am looking forward to our exciting Summer term.

Enrichment continues to be Music and French on Friday afternoons.

Please feel free to join in with your child's learning on the school and class twitter pages:

School: @RowParkAcademy Class: @Miss_R_Shenton

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To being our new challenge pack, 'Castle Attack', we are visiting Stafford Castle (17th April).

We will be exploring the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings, and their impact on modern day Britain.

Our challenge pack outcome is: Can we engineer a piece of equipment to attack a castle?

Science

As part of our science lessons this half term, children will be exploring the impact of diet, exercise, drugs (legal and illegal, smoking, vapes and alcohol) and lifestyle on the way their bodies function. Please be aware that children may ask questions about this at home. Mrs Smith will continue to teach these lessons so if you have any further questions or would like some support around these conversations, please speak to her at the beginning/end of the day.

Maths

We will begin the term by finishing our topic of Decimals and Percentages. As the term unfolds, we will be exploring: Perimeter and Area, Statistics, Shape, Negative Numbers and Converting Units.

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P.E

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Our PE days remain on Tuesday's and Wednesday's. The topics covered in PE this term are athletics and striking games.

Children will also partake in Time 4 Sport sessions for the first half term, with a focus of health and wellbeing.

Children must bring their PE kit in a separate bag on PE days. If your child wears earrings, please make sure they take them out on PE days.

R.E

This half term, Year 5 will explore the diverse places of worship, understanding the significance of sacred places in various religions.

In the second half of term, our focus will shift towards the theme of temptation and the valuable lessons of religious teachings, supporting children to navigate challenges of temptation in their own lives.



Homework

We are Reading...

Reading – Reading books are changed weekly. Children should be reading 3-5 times every week.

Spelling – Spellings are provided weekly and these can be practiced on EdShed. Children are tested on spellings every Wednesday.

My Maths – Set every Friday, linked to classroom learning.

TT Rockstars – Children can use TTR to support their X table practice.

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

Dates

Wednesday 17th April – Trip to Stafford Castle.

Monday 6th May – Bank Holiday Monday – School closed

Friday 24th May – INSET day – school closed

End of term - Friday 19th July

