Welcome to Year 5!

## Things to remember

-Reading books every Monday- MUST be signed.
-P.E kits- in all week. P.E on a Wednesday and Thursday.

- Clothing to be named.
- Letters are sometimes emailed.
- Water bottles in class.
- Spellings when given need to be learnt.
- Homework tasks are set on Friday for Wednesday.



## Reading

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-Reading books checked every Monday.

Daily whole class reading

- Important for children to read out loud still at home and to discuss together.
- Children respond well when they see you enjoy reading.

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## Reading Vipers

Vocabulary - find and explain the meaning of a word in context. Infer- make and justify inferences using evidence from the text. Predict-predict what might happen from the details given and implied.
Explain-content related, language chosen, information contributes.
Retrieve- retrieve and record information and identify key details.
Summarise- summarise the main ideas from more than one paragraph.

## Writing

What we focus on in Year 5:
-Plan, draft, edit and evaluate their writing.

- Using expanded noun phrases- thesaurus.
- Using adverbs and powerful verbs.
-Using relative clauses (who, which, where, when, that) e.g. Sarah, who is five years old, went to school.
-Punctuation- commas, hyphens, parenthesis (brackets, dashes, commas), semi colons, colons and bullet points.
- Spelling rules for Year 5 and 6 . Spelling list will be emailed to you.


## At home you can:

- Character descriptions
-Describing a setting
- Story writing
- Letter writing
- Posters
- Instructions
- Reports
- Spellings- learning Yr 5 and 6 spelling words.
- Handwriting- joining
- Punctuation checked

Numeracy

Addition and Subtraction
In Year 5 children need to add and subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits, using a formal method.


Multiplication
To multiply up to 4 digits by 1 or 2 numbers (short and long multiplication.)

Identify multiples and factors. Know prime, square and cube numbers.


## Division

To be able to divide a number up to 4 digits by 1 (short division.) Long division in year 6.

Multiply and divide whole numbers and those with decimals by 10 , 100 and 1000.


## At home you can:

- Calculation methods
- Times tables and the inverse division-quick fire.
-Telling the time confidently to nearest one minute.
- Recognise and describe $2 d$ and $3 d$ shapes- number of sides, vertices, edges, faces and lines of symmetry.
- Prime, square, cube numbers. Multiples and factors.
- Reading scales when cooking.
-Focus on reasoning- explaining why.
- Support with Friday homework.
-WHSmiths/ Amazon Year 5 books.


## Foundation subjects $m$ m

All subjects are taught in the afternoon



