

Term 2 Newsletter—Year 5

Topics for the Term

This term, we will be looking at rainforests in our Topic lesson and we are learning about Space in Science.

Home Learning

Spellings/literacy - every Wednesday, due in the following Tuesday (in books)

Maths— every Friday, due in the following Friday (on sheets)

It is important that all work set is done every week.

Children will be asked to stay in at lunchtime to complete any unfinished homework.

We welcome the opportunity to speak to parents after school, but please could we ask that you make an appointment, as we are not always available due to after school clubs etc.

Please can you ensure your contact details (especially your phone numbers) are correct.

PE and Sports News

Please could all children have their full PE kit in school every day.

We now have a PE kit uniform: red t-shirt, black shorts, dark joggers/tracksuit bottoms, a dark hoodie and trainers

Outdoor PE: this term both we will have football on Wednesday [5A] and Friday [5B] afternoon.

Indoor PE will be on Thursdays [5B] and Fridays [5A]

It is a curriculum requirement that all children take part in PE every week. If your child is unable to do PE, please could we have a doctor's letter explaining the reasons.

Key Dates for the Term

W/c Monday 7th November: Library Open Week

w/c Monday 14th November: Upper Juniors residential trip to Stackpole

Tuesday 15th November: Upper Juniors trip to Stratford Butterfly Farm

Friday 2nd December: Christmas decoration day

Wednesday 7th December: Christmas jumper day and Christmas dinner

Thursday 15th December: Christmas party

Dates will be confirmed on the newsletter.

Ways to support your child at home

Please ensure homework is completed every week.

- Listen to your child reading and talk to them about the book
- Encourage your child to read alone every night
- **Practise times tables**