

## Year 5





## **Autumn 1 2023 Newsletter**

Welcome back to school, we hope you all had a wonderful Summer!

We hope you enjoyed discussing how your child has settled and indeed, your child's progress at

The children, much to their credit, have settled in very well to their new classes and are well on their way on their Year 5 learning journeys.

## **Reminders:**

**PE days** are: Wednesday pm (outdoor, while weather permits) and Friday am (outdoor).

As the weather begins to grow colder, please provide your child with suitable warm PE clothes, ideally school uniform hoodie and navy joggers.

Please send your child into school already dressed in their school PE kit and suitable footwear. Earrings are not to be worn on PE days.

Water bottles: Please make sure your child brings a named water bottle each day.

**Reading books** are collected in and changed as your child completes and returns them. The reading records are for parents and pupil use, as class teachers will be monitoring and assessing reading each day in our comprehension lessons. Your child has also chosen a book from the school library, this may be a longer text with which they are encouraged to take their time and enjoy. Once returned, they are encouraged to visit the library and select another.

**Homework** is given out each Friday and must be returned by the following Friday to be

marked. Homework consists of reading, spellings, times table practice, maths challenges and a question to be discussed with parents to encourage higher order and deeper thinking skills.



Term dates: School opens Tuesday 5th September 2023

School closes Friday 20th October 2023

There will be lunchtime football club, singing club this term. Lookout for further details.

Mrs Hodgkins, Mrs Taylor, Mr Maguire and Mrs Jordan.