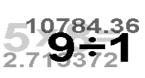
Year Five

MATHS

WE ARE STUDYING POSITION AND DIRECTION, DECIMALS, CONVERTING UNITS, NEGATIVE NUMBERS AND VOLUME.

PLEASE CONTINUE TO HELP YOUR CHILD LEARN TO TELL THE TIME BY USING AN ANALOGUE AND DIGITAL CLOCK, AS WELL AS PRACTISING TIMES TABLES UP TO 12X12.





COMPUTING

This term we will be improving our knowledge and understanding of Word processing.

English

We will study the work of Michelle Paver's 'Wolf Brother' and use this as the inspiration for our creative writing. For non-fiction, we are writing information texts linked to Wolf Brother.

Listening to your child read regularly is very beneficial to them and will earn them team points.



Please sign reading diaries regularly.

Practising weekly spellings with them is also essential.

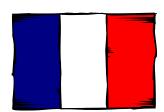
Music

We will be creating music linked to Keeping Healthy.



FRENCH

This term we will learn about the Planets—developing vocabulary for understanding the Earth and the solar system.







RE

We shall investigate the life of a person who has been inspired by their faith and make links between belief and action...







ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Every week, your child has spellings to learn. Spelling test will be on a Tuesday for both classes.

Children should be reading regularly (e.g. 10 minutes, five times weekly with a brief comment in the reading diary each time). The changing of reading books is now the responsibility of each pupil.

A piece of Maths and Reading homework is set on the Mathletics and Reading Eggs, and occasionally there may also be additional tasks set, linked to other subjects.

A piece of Writing homework will be set weekly and will need to be completed neatly and returned by **Thursday** morning.

Online homework should always be completed and returned by Friday morning.

Science

This term, we will be studying a range of topics including:

- ⇒ Age-related changes in humans
- ⇒ Life Cycles of Mammals, Insects, Amphibians and Birds
- ⇒ Evolution and Inheritance
- ⇒ Properties and uses of materials
- ⇒ Forces
- ⇒ Electricity

Geography

In Geography this term, we will be looking at: Ocean Currents and Marine Biome (including effects of climate change)

We will also be looking at a local study.

History:

In history we will be exploring the history of Burton.

Design Technology
We will be designing and making vehicles which include sensors.



PE

B5 have PE on a Tuesday and Wednesday. J5 have PE on a Wednesday and Thursday.

In team building, we will be working on cooperation and communication skills. In athletics, we shall improve our running, throwing and jumping technique.

Please ensure your child comes to school in their PE kit on these days.

No earrings are permitted to be worn in lessons. Please ensure that if children cannot remove earrings independently, then they should let an adult take them out before school on PE days.