

Year 5 Newsletter



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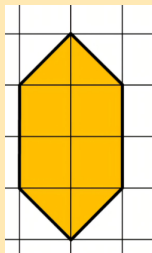
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Dear Families,

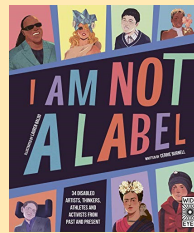
We hope you enjoyed the recent break. We have many learning opportunities this term, which we hope your children will enjoy. We have listed some below:



Maths: This half-term, we will continue learning different division methods, followed by studying area and applying knowledge to mathematical problems.

Writing: We will start this term by practising writing third-person stories set in another culture. We will continue to work on our handwriting to improve fluency, legibility, and writing speed.

Reading: We will be reading two books, **I Am Not a Label** (non-fiction) and **A Midsummer Night's Dream** (fiction), to develop a range of reading skills, for example, inference.



Geography: We will be looking at British geography, focusing on comparing land use in East Anglia, the Midlands, Yorkshire, and Humberside.

Science: We will be learning about the life cycles of plants and animals. We will also explore the work of Jane Goodall, who is famous for her work with chimpanzees.

History: We will be learning about the French Revolution, including Louis XVI, Napoleon, and two famous battles that took place.

Year 5 Team

Important Dates

Tue 23 Jan 2024—Parents Evening

Wed 24 Jan 2024—Parents Evening

Thur 15 Feb 2024—Rock Kidz

Fri 16 Feb 2024—Last day of half term

Home Learning

Weekly homework is set every **Friday** and is due back into class on the following **Wednesday**.

Weekly homework is:

Spelling: Spelling sheet

Maths: Maths sheet and TTRockstars.



Reading: Reading sheet and reading at home 3+ times a week.

Home Reading Challenge

To encourage our children to read, we have a home reading challenge.



Every child can achieve special certificates, bookmarks and badges for their home reading.

PE

Terranova and HMS Ark Royal both classes have PE on Wednesday afternoons.

Children to **arrive to school in PE kit:** a plain white t-shirt, black shorts and trainers. Please make sure your child has a water bottle in school.



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