

Year 5 Newsletter



Summer 2



Dear Families,

We hope you enjoyed the recent break. With the summer weather, please ensure children are sent to school with a water bottle, and that any sunscreen is applied at home before the school day.

This term, we have many learning opportunities and experiences on offer, which we hope your children will enjoy.

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30%	$\frac{3}{10}$	0.3

Mathematics: This half-term, we will build on our existing knowledge or angles of fractions, decimals and percentages.

Writing: We will be learning how to improve our writing fluency through writing texts such as poetry and balanced arguments.

Reading: Books we will read, include: 'Five children and IT' and 'The Explorer' to develop a range of reading skills, such as summarizing and inference.

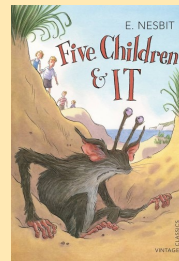
Science: We will be learning about meteorology, including the different layers of the atmosphere and factors affecting the weather—including the 6 air masses that affect the UK.

Geography: We will be exploring our local geography in Theford, focusing on issues in the local area studied on local field trips.

History: We will be learning about the life of people in the Victorian era, including going on a school trip to find out more.

Wider Curriculum: We will also be learning knowledge and skills in a broad range of subjects, including Art, French, PE, RE, PSHE, Music and Computing.

The Year 5 Team



Important Dates

21 June - Ancient House trip

24 June - Class Photos

28 June - Sports Day

10 / 11 July - Transition days

12 July - PE Day

17 July - Summer Fete

19 July - Last Day of Year

Home Learning

Weekly homework is set every **Friday**.

Homework is due on Wednesdays.

Weekly homework is:

Spelling: Spelling sheet

Maths: Maths sheet

Reading: 3+ times a week



Termly Topic homework: Research your future careers—see sheet for suggestions.

Career Related Learning - The Wonderful World of Work

We are continuing to look at how the lessons and skills we teach children in school link to jobs in the future. This half term, we are focusing on jobs that use English/Literacy. BBC Bitesize - Jobs that use English and Drama have a wide range of job profiles - from an emergency call handler to a social worker to a chocolate maker.



PE

PE is on a **Wednesdays**.



Children who have yet to pass the 25m swimming check continue to have swimming lessons on **Fridays**.

Children to arrive to school in PE kit: A plain white t-shirt, black shorts and trainers. Hair needs to be tied up.

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