



Year 5 Newsletter

September 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to 5! Both classes have made a great new start to the Upper Key Stage 2 building and look very smart in their uniforms. We are hoping for Year 5 to be the best yet and there will be opportunities through out the year for the children to really take on active roles with in the school.

Reading Books.

Your child will be given a reading book to take home. This will be taken home every day to give children opportunities to read with an adult at home. The more a child reads at home the more points they earn towards their Raving Reader rewards. There will be a charge for any lost or damaged books. We encourage parents and carers to listen to their child read or discuss the books they are reading.

P.E. Days

Please could you make sure that your child comes to school with the appropriate P.E. kit on the day that they have P.E. Any class swimming three times a week will have no other P.E. session for that time period. They need to be prepared for both indoor and outdoor P.E which should include suitable footwear, no slip on footwear.

Details about suitable kit can be found in the schools uniform policy. Please ask if you are unsure.

If children wish to bring a deodorant for use after a P.E. then please send a roll on only.

Swimming Days

Swimming will take place this half term for 5SB and after the half term break for 5J.

As this is an intense swim course swimming will take place on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday morning. Children will need to bring their swimming kits which consists of swim wear and a towel only in a labelled kit bag.

As swimming is a National Curriculum requirement any child who forgets their kit will be given the opportunity to use spare kit provided by school which will be washed at school once worn.

Trips

Our topic for the term in year five is Scandinavia and the Vikings. Therefore we have arranged a visit to the Jorvik centre in York. Further details around the arrangements of the trip will be sent out on a separate letter near the time.

If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to speak to any of the year five team.

5SB Reminders



Every day

- Home reading books to be brought to school

Wednesday

- Morning with Mrs Stamer and Mrs Milligan
- Homework to be completed and returned to school

Friday

- Homework handed out

5J Reminders



Every day

- Home reading books to be brought to school

Tuesday

- PE

Wednesday

- Mornings with Miss Richardson
- Homework to be completed and returned to school

Friday

- Homework handed out

Key Topics this term

<p><u>English</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poetry • Explanations • Diary writing 	<p><u>Numeracy</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Place value • Addition and Subtraction • Multiplication and Division 	<p><u>Science</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Properties and changes of state • Everyday materials
<p><u>I.C.T</u></p> <p>Internet Safety</p>	<p><u>Music</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opera North Tuition • In Harmony 	<p><u>Topic</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scandinavia • Vikings
<p><u>P.E.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Real P.E. • Swimming 	<p><u>R.E.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why are some places and journeys special? 	<p><u>French</u></p> <p>All about ourselves</p>