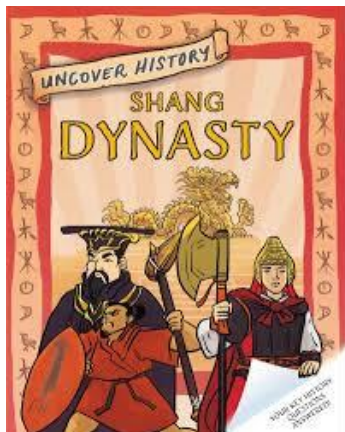


Year Five Newsletter

Term : Autumn 1

Welcome to Year 5!



Message from your teachers

Welcome to Year Five with Mrs O'Boyle and Mrs Peachornby. We are thrilled to start this new academic Year 2024/25 with you all. In this newsletter you will find information about what we will be learning this term and we hope that this will help support your child's learning.

We will be learning this term...

Our focus text will be 'The Hidden Hunting Lodge'. In English, we will be introducing writing objectives for Year 5 specifically, building tension, atmosphere and developing characters. In Maths, we will look at place value, addition and subtraction and multiplication and division for numbers up to 100 000. In History, we will be exploring the Shang Dynasty. Our focus will be key events that took place during this time, leaders of the Shang Dynasty and comparing the Shang Dynasty to other historical groups. In Art, we will be painting portraits in style of Gisella Stapleton to create mood through the use of colour and facial expression. In Science, we will be learning about living things and their habitats. Looking at the life cycle of various animals. Finally, in food technology (Design and Technology), Year 5 will be learning about nutrition and creating a recipe using a balance of food groups.

Reminders/Important Dates

- PE is every Thursday. Please ensure that children come dressed in Black/White kit on this day and that jewellery has been removed.
- Reading at least 3 times a week and record in your school planner. Grown-ups to sign once a week.
- Spelling Quiz every Friday.
- School planner checked every Friday.
- Homework due every Wednesday.

Useful pages/Contact us

www.sumdog.com

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>

<https://global-zone61.renaissance-go.com/welcomeportal/6702048>

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