



## Year 5 Newsletter Summer 2025

Values this year: G.R.E.A.T.

Wow! We can't believe that we are in our final term of year 5. This year has flown by. We have been so impressed with the children and the progress they have made so far this year and have loved seeing them flourish.

The Summer term is always exciting with lots of things to look forward to. Please remember to send them in with water bottles so they can stay hydrated throughout the day.

It will really help your child if you could hear them read regularly and support them with their arithmetic skills and spellings. The children should be doing 20 minutes of Times Table Rockstars a week.

Thank you for your continued support.

### Mathematics

The topics we will be exploring in maths this term are:

Shape

Position and direction

Decimals

Converting units

Volume

We will still be focussing on arithmetic skills and consolidating our learning during fluency time.

### English

We start off this term by looking at myths and legends where we will be reading and exploring Beowulf. This is the oldest surviving epic poem in Old English. It is thought to be around a thousand years old and was written by an anonymous Anglo-Saxon poet.

After half term we will be focussing on Shakespeare and the Scottish play: Macbeth.

### Science and Foundation

#### Subjects:

In science we will be looking at living things and their habitats.

In History we will be exploring if the Vikings were raiders, traders or something else

In Geography we will be looking at Europe exploring both the physical elements and the human geography.

#### UKS2 timetable

Manta Ray PE: Tuesday and Friday

Sting Ray PE: Wednesday and Friday

Library visit: Monday Manta Ray. Friday Sting Ray

#### Reminders:

-Please ensure your child has a reading book with them every day.

-English and maths homework is set on Tuesday and is due the following Tuesday

-Spelling test day: Friday

We have started work on our play-Alice in Wonderland-which year 5 will be performing alongside our year 6 students in July.

We also have an exciting trip to the Shouthill estates on Friday 13th June. More information about these events will follow.