

Year 5 Curriculum Newsletter Spring 2

Class information

Welcome Back! I hope you all had a fantastic Half term!

Homework: COOL grids will be given every half term in the children's homework folders alongside one weekly piece of homework given in the children's homework books. This will be given on a Friday and is expected to be returned on the following Thursday.

P.E. will still be on a Friday as we will be continuing to visit Loughborough Leisure Centre to take part in swimming lessons! Please ensure that your child has swimwear and a towel with them every Friday. We also have **parents evening on the 11th and 12th of March** which will be bookable via Arbour later in the half term.

Please see our newsletter for a more detailed calendar of events.

English

Key texts:

'Who let the Gods out' by Maz Evans

Writing:

We are going to be writing to entertain, specifically focussing on character and setting descriptions.

Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar:

- Learning Y5 and 6 statutory spellings.
- Identify and write metaphors.
- Identify and write personification.
- Identify and write diacope.

Maths

Decimals and percentages – Find equivalent fractions and decimals, round to 1 decimal place, understand percentages, convert between fractions, decimals and percentages.

Perimeter and area – Finding the perimeter and area of a range of different shapes.

Statistics – Reading line graphs, two-way tables and timetables accurately.

Shape – Identify, draw and measure a range of different angles.

Curriculum

Art – Stencil and print

History – Trafficking of enslaved Africans

Science – Properties of materials

PE – Swimming

Music – Enjoying musical styles

French – Do you have a pet?

Geography – Fairtrade

RE

Creation and Science – Conflicting or complimentary?

PSHE

Rights and Respect – Exploring rights, duties and how to be respectful to others.

Ways to enrich and support at home

Please make sure that you are reading with your child every night and encouraging them to complete their spellings and their weekly homework activities.

Thank you for your ongoing support, we are looking forward to another fantastic half term!

Mrs Stone