

Homework Timetable

DAY	ACTIVITY	DAY DUE IN
MONDAY	English Homework	Monday
	Maths	Monday
	Spelling	Monday
	Times Tables	Friday
TUESDAY	Reading	
WEDNESDAY	Reading	
THURSDAY	Reading	
FRIDAY	Reading	

Activities and visits that may help your child with their topic

Areas to research at home	Places to visit on days out or holidays
Mountains and Volcanoes The Stone-Age	British Museum, London Science Museum, London

Learning Outside the Classroom

We are going to Winchester Science Museum as part of our Forces topic and for our Space topic next term. Letters will be sent about these nearer the time.

PE & SWIMMING

OUR PE & GAMES DAYS ARE:

5G— Monday & Friday
5R— Monday & Thursday
5P— Monday & Wednesday

Children are to wear their PE kit on their PE days, and please bring in swimming kit everyday.

Children may bring a plain tracksuit (black or blue) for outside Games during winter

READING

At least 10 minutes each night. Try to read to an adult, find a comfortable corner and enjoy your reading!

From time to time, the homework activity may change due to other class activities.

If you experience problems fulfilling this homework commitment, please speak to your child's teacher.



Curriculum Map

This leaflet has been produced to inform you of the some of the work and activities that your child will be carrying out this term in Year 5.

We have one science topic and one history topic over the whole of the Spring Term:

Mountains and Volcanoes

The Stone-Age

The topic web enclosed shows the areas of work to be covered across the curriculum.

**YEAR 5
AUTUMN TERM**

Year 5 - Autumn 2023

English

Fiction

We will be exploring the writing of Roald Dahl and creating our own characters, stories and poetry using his style.

We will be writing our own sequel to the Snowman.

Non-Fiction

We will be writing recounts and diaries based on the book 'Wolf Brother' and non-chronological reports about natural disasters.

Mathematics

- Place value
- Addition and subtraction
- Multiplication and division
- Fractions

ICT

Search engines - the children will explore different search engines and how to use them, investigate how to check what is true online and recognise the terms 'copyright' and 'fair use'.

Programming - the children will use Scratch to plan and program a soundtrack.

Geography- Mountains and Volcanoes

(Why isn't the Earth a smooth sphere?)

We will investigate the cause of different types of mountains and look at how tectonic plates create volcanic eruptions.

History– The Stone Age

(How do artefacts reveal the truth about stone-age Britain?)

We will research and explore how humans went from hunter gatherers to sophisticated farmers and how they used tools to create societies.

Mountains and Volcanoes and The Stone-Age

Music

We will be focusing on:

- How music brings us together
- Emotions and musical styles

We will learn to sing, play, improvise and compose.

Art & DT

We will be constructing Papier Mache volcanoes to link in with our topic and studying the artwork of Jackson Pollock.

We will be looking at cave paintings made by early man-kind, the techniques used in this and then applying these to our own art.

MfL

Au café

We will be learning to ask for drinks and food items in a café.

Chez Moi

We will learn to talk and write about where we live—in a house, a flat, a town or a city

RE

In RE we will be studying Christianity. Within this we will focus on why the idea of rescue is so important to Christians and how this is shown in the Bible.

PE

Autumn 1— football/netball

Autumn 2—dance/ basketball

Science

Forces

Friction

Air resistance - a parachute experiment
Water resistance; - planning an investigation
Gravity

Space

How day and night is caused

How the four seasons are created

The relationship between the Earth, Sun and Moon.