

Year 5 Peek into Next Week

Autumn Term 1 Week 1

Things to know:

- ★ Forest School is on a Tuesday afternoon. Each class will have a whole afternoon session every 3 weeks starting with Indigo next week, then Sapphire and then Blue and so on.
- ★ Our PE days are Tuesday and Friday.
- ★ Swimming for Blue starts next Friday 12th September. Please see information sent out from Miss Butler.
- ★ Viking day on Monday 8th September. All children should attend school dressed as a Viking for this WOW day. Please see the information sent out at the end of last term. Children do not necessarily need to be dressed as a Viking Warrior, they could be a Viking craftsman, farmer or homemaker.
- ★ Reading diaries and bookmarks will be checked every Friday (Indigo and Sapphire) or Monday (Blue). Children are expected to read and record in their diaries 7 days a week to get 2 stickers. This process starts on Monday so please don't panic if your child hasn't recorded this week.
- ★ The children will read everyday at school therefore it is very important that they have their reading folders with them everyday. Please remind them daily.
- ★ Spelling tests will take place on a Monday morning. All the words will be posted on this weekly newsletter and on Spelling Shed. The first spelling test will be on the 15th September.

There will be a parent information session on Wednesday 10th September in Indigo Class for all parents of Year 5 children. This session will start as soon as possible after school and will be for around 30 minutes. I am going to send the Powerpoint out after the meeting so that anyone who is unable to attend the session has the information after the session. Then please feel free to email if you have any questions or pass questions on to another parent who is attending. My email is mcucharo@suttonmail.org

Enquiry Question of the week

What is the best thing about Year 5?

Please take time to talk to your child about Year 5 and what they like most? What is different?
etc

A summary of next week:

Maths: Numbers to 1,000,000

SPAG: -tious and -ious spellings and proper nouns

Reading: To practise specific reading skills - retrieval, inference and summarising.

Writing: Disciplinary writing.

Science: EQ: What does the phrase property of material mean and can you describe some properties of materials?

History: Viking WOW day. Who were the Vikings and what do we know about them?

Art: Shoebox installation.

PSHE: To understand how to form and maintain positive relationships.

A weekly overview (subject to change)

Monday	Viking Day
Tuesday	PE Kit - Forest School Indigo
Wednesday	School uniform - homework due in.
Thursday	School Uniform
Friday	PE Kit, Swimming in the afternoon (Blue Class)

**Reading diaries should be in school everyday and taken home every evening.
Children can change their own reading book any time they need to and have finished a book.**

Year 5 Home Learning - Dip and Do Autumn Term Week 1

You must:

- Read daily at home for at least 20 minutes and record this in your diary. Diaries are checked on a Friday/Monday but you must have your reading folder in everyday.
- Learn the weekly spelling words which are sent home and assigned on Spelling Shed. You will be tested every Monday morning (this will start next week).
- Practise your quick recall of the Timestables on TTRockstars at least 3 times a week.

Please Dip into these tasks. You do not have to do all 3 each week but of course you can if you want to! Tasks are set every Wednesday and due the following Wednesday.

Gold

Make sure you are all set for Viking day on Monday 8th September.

Can you make a shield or another accessory to go with your costume? There are lots of ideas online.



Silver

Write a diary all about a day you had this week in Year 5.

How did you feel when you woke up?
What was the classroom like?
What did you do?
Who did you play with?
How did you feel at the end of the day?
What was the best part of the day?
Did you have any problems? How did you deal with them?

Bronze

Create an information sheet on The Vikings.

Where did they come from?
What did they wear?
How did they travel?
Where did they invade?
What did they live in?