

## Year 5 Peek into Next Week Spring 1 Week 4

### Things to know:

- ★ Swimming lessons continue for Indigo Class this week. Thank you to all those who have volunteered. Your help is greatly appreciated.
- ★ We are going to be making a vegetarian bolognese as part of our D&T project this term. Please see the letter we sent for information about the ingredients your child will need to bring and the equipment required nearer the time.
- ★ This year's Spelling Bee will be held on Wednesday 4th February. Please use the spelling list to practise the Year 5 -6 common exception words.
- ★ Forest School this week is Blue. Next week will be Indigo class.
- ★ Blue Class assembly will be Friday 6th February. Parents of Blue class are invited to watch at 9am in the Hall.
- ★ Year 5 are visiting North Cheam Baptist Church on Thursday 5th March to take part in the Easter Experience. This is a wonderful, immersive show which tells the story of Easter in an interactive fun way. Each session will be 1.5 hours. The children will not need a packed lunch. We will be walking to the church and it will take about 20 minutes. We will need one parent volunteer from each class to accompany us. We will all be attending in the afternoon leaving school at 1pm returning by 3:30pm. Please email [mcucharo@suttonmail.org](mailto:mcucharo@suttonmail.org)
- ★ World Book day is also Thursday 5th March. Please make sure your child's costume is suitable for walking to and visiting a place of worship.

### A summary of Week 2

**Maths: Fractions - finding fractions of amounts.**

**English: Star Write - balanced argument for and against zoos**

**Reading: Reading skills - Cosmic**

**Grammar: SPAG Paper**

**History: EQ: How did William Shakespear and Jane Austen change British History for Literature?**

**Science: What are the similarities and differences between the life-cycles of living things?**

**Music: Music Tech**

**PE: Dance/Swimming**

**RE: Rites of passage: funerals.**

#### A weekly overview (subject to change)

Monday	Uniform. Spelling Test day
Tuesday	PE Kit/ Forest school for Indigo
Wednesday	School uniform - homework due in.
Thursday	School Uniform
Friday	PE Kit. Indigo Swimming

**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

## Spring Term 1 Week 4

### You must:

- Read daily at home for at least 20 minutes and record this in your diary. Diaries are checked on a 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

Using our inspiration from the Charles Darwin sketches we looked at in History, use the videos to sketch a selection of birds and tortoises. Don't forget to colour them in.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wdDQN7hjz04> - sparrow

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hgKIyhLUW6M> - bluebird

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=emCOgFHVyIQ> - tortoise

### Silver

Factfile on William Shakespear or Jane Austin.  
How did their writing change British literature?

### Bronze

Practise a Year 5 arithmetic paper. Remember to mark your own.  
How did you get on?  
Did you make any marvellous mistakes? What did you learn from them?

### This week's spelling:

**Group 1 Spellings: Unit 5.19:** society, deficient, efficient, emergencies, glacier, inefficient, science, scientists, species, sufficient

**Group 2 Spellings: Unit 3.36:** disappear, specifically, reaction, committed, capable, misunderstanding, forbidden, neighbour, personal, confusion