# Year Five Autumn Term Newsletter







#### Welcome Back

Welcome back to school Year Five!

It is lovely to see you all back in school and we are very excited for the year ahead! Please take a look at what we will be learning about this term in the curriculum box below.

Mrs Irwin, Miss Page and Mrs Grigg

#### **PE DAY**

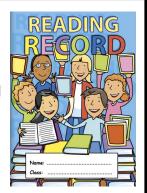
Our P.E days are on <u>Tuesday</u> and <u>Thursday</u> this term. Please remember to send your child in their PE kits on a PE day. Children should be wearing a white t-shirt, blue or black shorts, trousers or leggings and white or black trainers.

They will remain in their PE kits for the whole day.

### Reading records

Daily reading is essential to support your child's development.

Please ensure that each time you read with your child or they read independently, a comment is added in their reading record for the class teacher to see.



#### **Passwords**

You child's passwords for **Spelling Shed** and **Purple Mash** can be found in the back of their reading record.

Please ensure that they use these resources regularly to support their learning.



## Daily celebrations

Each day, a child will be chosen by the class teacher to visit the SLT office to celebrate their achievements. Please find a record of this in your child's reading record.

#### Autumn Term Curriculum:

- In Maths, we will be focusing on place value, measurements, division and fractions.
- In English, our core text is Kensuke's Kingdom. We will be writing in a range of style based around this text.
- In science, we will covering Earth and space and forces.
- In history, we will be learning about how the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings changed Britain.
- In geography, we will looking at types of settlement and land use.
- In art, we will be creating digital art and a collage inspired by the artist Sara Fanelli.
- In design technology, we will be constructing a model bridge.
- In R.E, we will be learning about Christianity, focusing on the story of

Adam and Eve and the Salvation story.

- In PSHE, we will be looking at managing friendships and peer influence, feeling safe and recognising prejudice and discrimination.
- In P.E, we will develop our health and fitness and tag rugby skills.
- In computing, we will be learning about eSafety, search engines, OneDrive and coding.
- In music, we will be following the Charanga scheme to explore and appraise different styles of music.
- In Spanish, we are going to talk about animals and colours, and learn about festivals and Christmas in Spain.







