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Information for Year 5

Dear Parent/Carer

I hope you have had a very enjoyable and relaxing half term break!

This term, Class 5's main theme will be 'Earth and Space' – a science unit. Throughout the term children will learn about…

Topics

Maths – Multiplication, division and fractions

English – Newspaper report/biography (Tim Peake)

Geography – Exploring Eastern Europe

P.E – Gymnastics/ Social (Dynamic Balance/Counter Balance)

Science – Earth and Space

French – Christmas vocabulary, months of the year, days of the week

Computing – 5.2. We are cryptographers

PSHE – Think Positive

Art – Space themed art

For more information, please check the class page on the school website, for a detailed overview.

P.E

Year 5 P.E lessons will continue to be taught on a Tuesday morning and Friday afternoon. It is advised that P.E kit remain in school for the whole week. If your child brings their own water bottle to school, please make sure that it is labelled with their full name.

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Homework/Reading Records

A reminder that homework will be sent home on a Friday and will need to be completed and handed in on the following Friday. This provides an opportunity for the children to seek help in school if they find the homework challenging.

Reading records will be signed during the week (guided reading), and the records will also be checked on a Friday. This is for our weekly Top 5 Reader challenge.

Yours sincerely,

Mr McCarthy
Year 5 teacher