



Welcome  
to Year 5

# Year 5 Team

Class 23 – Miss Goldsmith and Miss Simmonds (Monday)

Class 24 – Miss Comley (Year Lead)

Class 25 – Miss Browne

Class 26 – Mr Cummins

# Learning Project for this half term

- Alchemy Island (Creative Arts)
- The Mayans (History)
- Traders and Raiders (History)
- Gallery Rebels (Art)
- Scream Machine (Science)

9 weeks each

Further science focus across the year

# School Rules

- Ready
- Respectful
- Safe

# Reading

- New library!
- Reading - recording in home school communication books, listen to them read at least 3 times a week and discuss the content.
- Whole school reading challenge
- Every entry in their Blue Communication Books of reading at home will be counted as long as it is signed by a parent/carer each week.

# Homework

Homework will be handed out on a Friday and will be expected in on the following Thursday.  
Most of the work on Showbie will be self-marked.

Maths will be given weekly.

Grammar and reading comprehension will be set on alternate weeks.

Spellings will be tested at school on a Friday and new spellings will be handed out on the same day via Showbie.

# Uniform

Correct PE kit everyday and suited to the weather

Hair accessories are minimal

Earrings to be studs or tiny studs

All long hair to be tied up

Black school shoes

All clothing should be labelled

Must dress for appropriate weather - coat, gloves, sun hats

# Supporting your child

- Reading at home at least three times per week.
- Learning spellings
- Recall of times table facts out of order - Times Tables Rock Stars
- Water bottles and healthy snacks



# PGL (residential visit)

- PGL takes place in Year 6
- Introductory video shown in Year 4
- Generally takes place in September for a long weekend.
- It is an outdoor adventurous activities weekend focusing on teamwork and collaboration.