

Dear Parents and Year 5 children,

This Term, PE is Wednesday and Thursday where possible - although this can sometimes be disrupted, so please ensure PE kits are in all week.

Homework has now started! We will aim to hand it out on Thursday and due in on Monday.

Children will also have weekly spellings on EdShed and times tables ongoing.

Please feel free to chat to Miss Reid at the beginning or the end of the day should you have any queries.

Alternatively, contact the office for an appointment! 😊

In PSHE, we will be... learning about families and relationships.

In RE, we will continue to learn about the Dharmic religion of Sikhism.

In geography, we will be... learning all about maps!

Starting with atlases, we will look at Ordnance Survey maps and think about symbols and legends on maps.

The children are also going to learn about compass points and use grid references to locate different places.



As mathematicians we will:

Learning more about FRACTIONS: learning about turning mixed numbers into improper fractions and comparing fractions and adding and subtracting them!



Winchelsea Primary School  
'All individuals matter'



Year 5 Dates:

14<sup>th</sup> Nov: Children in Need

24<sup>th</sup> Nov: Parent Engagement Afternoon  
2:45pm

11<sup>th</sup> Dec: Year 5 and Year 6 Christmas Event

16<sup>th</sup> Dec: Pantomime Visit

In DT, we will be... researching traditional recipes and adapting them, considering nutritional content.

We will be particularly learning about Bolognese and cooking our own version of it! Yummy!



In ICT, we will be... learning about programming and physical computing.



In music, we will be learning to play the p-buzzers and continue to learn how to read with a music specialist from Lincolnshire Music Service, Mr Roberts.



As readers and writers we will:

...be sharing the fun book: The Carpet People and writing some stories and biographies.

Children are expected to read 20 minutes a night - please help us in encouraging this!



All children are expected to read out loud to an adult at least once a week - this will help their fluency and expression.

We hope you enjoy this time with your child too!

As scientists we will:

continue to learn all about living things, plants and animals.

We will also be learning all about forces: explaining that unsupported objects fall towards the Earth because of the force of gravity acting between the Earth and the falling object.

We will think about the effects of air resistance, water resistance and friction, that act between moving surfaces and recognise that some mechanisms, including levers, pulleys and gears, allow a smaller force to have a greater effect.

