

# Wyborne School Summer Term Curriculum Newsletter



Yr 5: Tiger & Jaguar Classes

Dear Parents/ Carers,

Welcome to the summer term of Year 5!

We are so proud of single children in Year 5 for their hard work, enthusiasm and maturity since September. It has not been a normal year and the resilience the children have shown has been nothing short of impressive. The amazing work that came from home learning has greatly helped the year group to be where they are now so a huge well done to the children, parents and carers. We are really hoping that over the last months of Year 5, we will be able to get out of school for a trip as well as covering some fun and interesting topics.



As always, please keep checking Weduc for updates and news.



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| Dates for Diary Summer Term  | Home Learning   |
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| 28.05.21 – Start of half term<br><br>07.06.21 – Return to school   | <p>Homework is currently being sent home on a Friday afternoon and is expected to be returned before Wednesday. This is made up of comprehension work, maths and a spelling list to practice for our spelling test on Friday mornings.</p> <p>This work is sent home in order to support the children with what we are working on in the classroom. As the children have missed so much time in school, this homework is a perfect opportunity to improve their knowledge so we do ask that you encourage your children to complete the tasks.</p> <p>Reading for pleasure is a very important skill to develop and we would like the children to read for at least ten minutes every day. If you need any book recommendations for your child again just ask and we can help. Talking about books and stories is important.</p> <p>By Year 5, the children should know all times tables to 12x12 by heart, so please check how they are doing with these and practise as much as you can, as it will help them in various aspects of maths. There are many games you can play together indoors and outdoors to practise times tables, as well as online (Hit the Button for example). Further practice of telling the time would benefit the children.</p> |
| <p><b>Art &amp; Design:</b><br/>Clay pots linked to our History topic on Greeks</p>  <p>Children will research style and form of pots and in particular decoration techniques.</p>   | <p><b>Maths –</b><br/>We are currently focusing on the relationship between decimals and fractions and how to convert them and will shortly be moving on to percentages. This will be followed by shape.</p> <p>We will be revising all objectives covered across the year 5 curriculum. Using written methods for addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, and being able to calculate using fractions, decimals and percentages are important mathematical skills. These skills can then be applied to problem solving and reasoning.</p>   |
| <p><b>Science –</b><br/>The science topic that we will focus on is space. We will learn about the solar system, including how the planets and moon move, the history of space and day and night.</p>  <p><a href="https://www.stem.org.uk/resources/community/collect/12347/year-5-earth-and-space">https://www.stem.org.uk/resources/community/collect/12347/year-5-earth-and-space</a></p> | <p><a href="https://whiterosemaths.com/resources/primary-resources/">https://whiterosemaths.com/resources/primary-resources/</a></p>  |

### **History –**

This term, we are going to be learning about the Ancient Greeks as it links to our current text in English. We will be covering myths, art and architecture, the Trojan war, the origin of the Olympics and the legacy of Ancient Greece.



### **PSHE and Citizenship –**

We are going to be continuing our work on puberty and the changes that happen to our bodies. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this, please do let us know.

### **PE –**

We are currently working on dance and basketball on alternate weeks. This gives the children a chance to work both inside and outside as the weather is getting better.

### **Useful websites:**

<https://www.educationcity.com/>

<https://www.twinkl.co.uk/>

<http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/>

<https://www.planbee.com/free-teaching-resources/free-home-learning-packs>

<https://www.hamilton-trust.org.uk/blog/learning-home-packs/>

<https://www.tts->

[group.co.uk/home+learning+activities.html](https://www.tts-group.co.uk/home+learning+activities.html)

<https://www.tutortastic.co.uk/blog/homelearning>

(This website has lots of suggested resources and web pages with logins and passwords available)

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-5/>

<https://mathsframe.co.uk/> (login: wyborne password: maths123)

<https://kids.classroomsecrets.co.uk/category/year-5/>

<https://classroomsecrets.co.uk/category/ks2/mathematics-ks2/>

[www.corbettmathsprimary.com](http://www.corbettmathsprimary.com)

[www.topmarks.co.uk](http://www.topmarks.co.uk)

[www.crickweb.co.uk](http://www.crickweb.co.uk)

### **English -**

**Reading:** We will continue to develop comprehension and inference skills as well as developing reading for pleasure.

Inference skills can also be developed using films.

<https://www.literacyshed.com/home.html>

<https://www.audible.co.uk/>

### **Grammar, punctuation and spelling:**

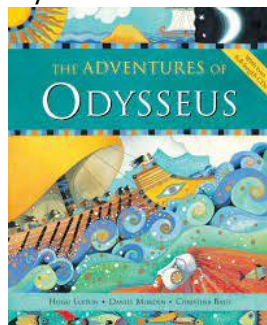
We will revise known spelling patterns and learn words from the Years 5 and 6 spelling list.

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCP4cc9slwfk7942HXYlSKPg?safe=true>

<https://spellingframe.co.uk/>

### **Writing:**

Our focus will be developing writing stamina and we will produce extended pieces of writing in a variety of genres, using our core texts as our inspiration. Our work on The Adventures of Odysseus will lead us on to writing our own myths based on what we have learnt.



### **General Reminders:**

As always, if you have any questions, queries or worries, please do get in contact and we will help out where we can.

It is possible that we may be offered some swimming slots to cover what we missed at the beginning of the year and as soon as we have more information about this, we will let you know in plenty of time.

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