



# Year 5 Autumn 1 - 2023

## Welcome Back!

### What will we be learning about this term?

**English:** descriptive writing, narrative writing, biography writing, grammar and punctuation, spelling strategies.

Key text: Beowulf.

**Maths:** Place value, addition and subtraction

**Science:** Forces

**RE:** Ourselves, talents and qualities

**RSE:** Created and loved by God

**History:** The Anglo-Saxons

**Computing:** E-safety, Chrome books skills

**Art:** Printing

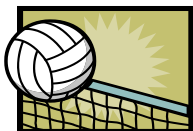
**Music:** listening, composing and evaluating music (sea shanties)

### PE this term

Every **WEDNESDAY** with Miss Strevett (Y5 teacher) and Ignite Sports.  
Every **FRIDAY** with dance teacher Ms Bolsher.

PE will be either in the hall or outside. Please come to school in your kit (and ready for the weather) on your PE days.

PE Kit: white t-shirt; dark (navy/black/ dark grey) shorts or joggers; plain (none branded) hoodie and trainers.



### Reading

Reading journals need to come into school every day and go home every evening. The children should use these to record when they read as well as their weekly spellings. Please continue to read to/with your child and also listen to them read.

### How can you help at home?

- ✓ Listen to your child read and read to your child regularly
- ✓ Practise times tables - TT Rockstars
- ✓ Practise weekly spellings

### Important Dates

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> October - Inset Day (children not in school)  
Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> October - Year 5 Liturgy (parents welcome)  
Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October - Parents Evening



## Optional Homework Tasks

All of this term's homework options link to the topics we are covering in class and can be presented in any format. You can share your work with us via google classroom/email. Please see the attached list of assignments.

## Recommended Reads

A list of high quality and diverse range of books to help excite your children to read.

