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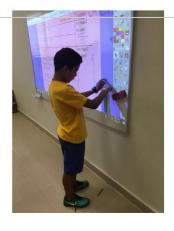
Thank you for taking the time to read our Year 5 newsletter. We are well into the new term and have been doing lots of exciting activities to help support our thinking and learning. We are starting to develop our own learning styles and finding new ways to engage with our learning objectives.

In this Newsletter, please find information about the content of what will be studied, along with some of the great learning we have already been doing. As always, the very important information will be communicated via the school website. If you have any queries, please feel free to contact the class teacher by using the record book or email.

This month, we will be ensuring that the children are conducting themselves correctly both in and around the school. Raffle tickets are being handed out to the classes who are demonstrating positive behaviours. Collect enough raffle tickets to have a chance at winning the coveted Pizza Day prize, among other incentives!

Please ensure that the children are fully prepared for the school day. In Year 5, the children are responsible for packing their bags and including everything they need!





KEY DATES

Open Day Monday 26th February
Rugby Training - Saturday 4th March
KS2 Class Photos Monday 12th March
Y4 Alex Trip Tuesday 13th – Thursday 15th March
Y5 Sports Day - 25th March





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English: In English, we have started to discover Myths, Legends and Fables. These traditional stories have been passed amongst many generations to become some of the most renowned and acknowledged stories of our time. Gods, monsters, heros, heroines, mythical beasts all await our exploration

Maths: In Maths, we will revisit our prior learning on Multiplication and Division. We will be

using different methods to help us solve problems and focusing on inverse operations to help us check our answers.

Science: In Science, we will start to look how different creatures (amphibians, mammals, birds and insects) have different life cycles. We will be comparing our own life cycles to vertebrates and invertebrates and we will be researching many fascinating things.

Humanities: In Humanities, we will be continuing our journey into the mysticism the Ancient Egyptian Gods and looking more in depth to how Egyptians used to prepare others for the afterlife. Think mummies and Pyramids, alot of which is in our own back garden!

PSCHE: In PSCHE, we will be learning how to keep ourselves healthy and happy by focusing on diet and exercise.



WHAT WE HAVE BEEN LEARNING...

We have had a great couple of months so far! We have been immersing ourselves with our learning objectives and we have started developing our critical thinking skills. The teachers have started implementing more comprehension and grammar activities to help improve our literacy skills, across the board. It has been very exciting to find out the children's new skills and how they have accessed their prior learning and started to apply it to new

situations. We have endeavored to engage with our new topics and are excited about continuing our learning journey.

Shout outs to 5A and 5C who have won both Pizza day and spot prizes for their conduct! Keep up the hard work!

