

Year 5

Summer Term 6

2015-2016

**Homework**

Given out each Friday and to be returned on the following Wednesday.

Reading

Children should read every day at home, and their reading record should be signed by an adult.

Spellings

Words to learn will be given out every Friday with homework and children will be tested the following Friday.

PE kit

PE kits need to be in school every Monday and will be sent home on Fridays. This term, Year 5 will continue to go to **The Oval** on Thursday afternoons to complete an afternoon of sport and computing at the **Ben Hollioake Centre**.

You are invited...

... to an Enterprise fair, which will be held on July 7th. Parents will be invited in to school to see (and buy!) all the fantastic items pupils across the school have designed and made. More details to follow.

This term our learning will be based around the theme of
'How other people live: China'

Children will learn about the following...

Maths: Children will learn about how people use money. They will understand concepts such as spending, saving and budgeting. Children will apply their knowledge through an enterprise project.

English: Children will study famous poetry authors from around the world. They will use their knowledge of persuasive writing to prepare adverts, signs and letters for their enterprise project.

Science: Children will find out about living things and the natural environment. They will study the key resources that animals and humans need to survive.

History: Children will find out more about the Shang Dynasty of Ancient China and its notable achievements.

Geography: Children will learn about the Great Wall of China; its purpose and its construction.

Art/DT: Children will use painting techniques to create Chinese Ink art.

PE: net games

RE: How do people express their faith through the arts?

Computing: multimedia

Music: Reflect, Rewind and Replay (Charanga)

Spanish: breakfast/ingredients

PSHE and Citizenship: sex and relationships education

You can help your child to succeed by doing the following:

- Encourage your child to read their reading book every day and ask them about what has happened in the story – don't forget to sign and date in their reading record book!
- Daily spelling practice
- Practising times table facts up to 12x12 daily
- Support your child in becoming more independent in getting organised for school; packing their own bag and remembering the things they'll need.

Welcome back to the final term of the year. This term we will spend time looking back over our progress this year and preparing children for their transition into their next class. Please feel free to speak to a member of the Year 5 team if you want to discuss your child's progress and development.

Mr Hollingsworth and the Year 5 team