

Year 5

Summer Term 6

2016-2017

**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**.

Important dates

Key Stage 1 and 2 Sports Day on Friday 15th June. Join us at Kennington Park from 1pm onwards.

21st June – Opera Dress Rehearsal

22nd June – 6pm Opera Performance

23rd June – 2pm, 7pm Opera Performance

Ashmole Enterprise Fair on Thursday 6th July.

Ashmole History Project sharing event on Thursday 13th July at 3:30pm – 4:30pm. Come along to see the children's work and to pick up your child's end of year report.

This term our learning will be based around the theme of

'How other people live: South Africa'

Children will learn about the following...

Maths: Children will apply learned methods to real world problems and develop mental maths strategies. They will also be exploring shapes: features of 2D and 3D shapes, angles and area/perimeter.

English: Children will write a non-fiction report about South Africa and a 'Guide to Year 5'. They will also be writing recipes for our product for the Enterprise Fair.

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

History: Children will focus on the life and achievements of Nelson Mandela.

Geography: Children will study South Africa, its location in the world and its key features that affect how people live there.

Art/DT: Children will use weaving techniques to create their own Zulu telephone wire baskets. They will also be cooking for the Enterprise Fair.

PE: cricket coaching at the Oval

RE: spiritual leaders

Computing: multimedia

Music: Reflect, Rewind and Replay (Charanga)

Spanish: breakfast/ingredients

PSHE and Citizenship: sex and relationships education: puberty

Welcome back to the final term of the year. This will be a very busy term so please look out for letters and text reminders about all of the exciting events we will be taking part in. Thank you for your continued support.

Ms Norouzi and the Year 5 team

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

- Daily reading practice with your child, focusing on asking questions about what they have read (see back of reading record books for question ideas)
- Daily handwriting practice
- Daily spelling practice
- Practising times table facts and division facts daily
- Completing the weekly homework from school