

Welcome to Year 5

Mrs Cox, Mrs Phadey and Mrs Hobson

We are sorry we couldn't get to meet you in person. In this presentation we have tried to answer some of the questions you may have about Year 5.



Welcome to Year 5

Our classes are known as:
The Eagles - Mrs Cox and
Mrs Phadey
The Falcons - Mrs Hobson



Our building is called the 'Tree Tops'.

In Year 5 your child will have new responsibilities such as being a Foundation stage monitor at lunchtime or a register monitor.



Weekly Timetable

- English - Focused daily lessons, as well as additional handwriting sessions, a weekly grammar lesson, spelling rules and tests, guided and independent reading.
- Maths - Focused daily lessons, as well as mental arithmetic, times table tests, mathematical thinking and mastery.
- Science - Weekly lessons.
Our first topic is Earth, Sun and Moon.



Wider curriculum

Throughout the week we'll have lessons on the following-



Computing

RE & PSHE

PE – indoor and outdoor

Music & singing

French

Themed work:

History, Geography, Art, and Design technology.



Themed Work

Some of the topics we will study this year in line with the curriculum:

- Earth, sun and moon
- Mixtures - solutions, dissolving, filtering
- Forces, friction & resistance
- Changes - Keeping healthy

- Local field study -traffic issues/ noise pollution
- Coastlines
- Ancient Greece
- Local history



Physical education

- It's essential your child has their PE kit in school throughout the week:

A blue or white t-shirt, blue or black shorts/leggings and **trainers** are essential.

Please keep them in a small draw string PE bag.

No jewellery can be worn for PE.

- Swimming will not be taking place in the Autumn term.





Expectations

- Before and after school we expect your child to be dropped off and picked up promptly- if you require your child to do this independently we must have a letter.
- Please keep us updated on any medical requirements.
- Stationery and pencil cases will be provided at the start of term. No need for any extra equipment from home.
- Small bags only please as there is very limited space in our cloakroom! Book bags are big enough.
- Brookside uniform should include black shoes rather than trainers.



Assessment

- Children are assessed as -
 - working towards age related expectations
 - working at age related expectations
 - working above age related expectations
- Targets - We will be doing our best to plug any gaps in your child's learning.
- We hope to be able to hold parent meetings in the Autumn term.

Adult Support within Year 5

- LSA support - Mrs Sheth and Mrs Jones.
- Mrs Patel - French
- Intervention support teacher - Mrs Kelly
- Sports coordinator - Mr Burbidge
- Special needs - If your child has an IEP there will be further support.





Homework

- Reading - We expect this on a regular basis in order to improve vocabulary knowledge, comprehension and inference skills.
- Spellings - Tested on Wednesdays: weekly list of words to learn sent home every Thursday.
- 'My Choice' homework - theme related every 2/3 weeks.
- Maths homework - weekly reinforcement of class learning.
- Projects & research on the internet - termly.

Contact information

- Please ensure your address, email and phone numbers are correct with the office.
- Open door! In the Autumn term please drop in after school if you have any concerns- we're always here to help.
- We are really looking forward to meeting you and teaching your children.

