

Autumn

Newsletter

Welcome!

We are very excited to begin this new school year and have lots of engaging learning planned for the children. Below you will find key information for this term.

All information about homework, home-readers, PE kit and days have already been communicated on the class story.

Dojo is Year 5's preferred form of contact.

Key Learning

We will be exploring the Kingdom of Benin this term in History and Geography, learning about its fascinating history, art, and culture.

We are looking at creating our own Benin style statues in Art and using our trip to the British Ironwork Centre to compare modern to ancient sculptures.

In English, our class text is *Holes* by Louis Sachar. The children will complete a range of writing tasks.

In Maths, we will start by focusing on place value before moving on to addition and subtraction with numbers up to 5 digits. Towards the end of the half term, we will begin work on multiplication and division with numbers up to 5 digits.

Key Dates

Teacher Training day (25/09/26)

Y5 Parent workshops (wc 12/10/26)

Pupil photos (05/10/26)

Odd Socks day (20/11/26)

KS2 Disco (after school 26/11/26)

Bonfire night is (03/11/26)

Christmas Jumper day (04/12/26)

British Ironwork Centre trip (TBC)