

Class 5 Newsletter

Welcome back. I hope you all had a lovely summer. I've really enjoyed hearing from the children about all of the fantastic places that they've been. I'm really looking forward to this school year: teaching many of the Year 6 children for a second time, teaching some siblings of children from last year's Class 5 and getting to know the children that I have not yet had the pleasure of teaching. I look forward to seeing some familiar faces and getting to know new families. I hope to see you at our Class 5 Welcome Meeting on Monday 11th September at 6pm.

What does Autumn term have in store for Class 5?

Our topic this term is...

Along the Amazon

In **art** and **DT** we will use a range of media to draw and make animals found in the Amazon. We will also create a layer of the Amazon rainforest and join them together with Class 3 and 4 to create a full replica of the layers.

Finally, we will use pencil and charcoal to create an accurate observational drawing.

In **science** we will classify animals and plants based on their characteristics.

We will also learn how water and nutrients are transported within animals.

In **geography** we will compare similarities and differences between areas within England and the Amazon.

We use Google Maps to locate different areas and study their features.

Important dates

- Our PE days this term will be **Monday** and **Thursday**.
- **Monday 11th September** Class 5 Welcome Meeting
 - **Friday 15th September** Class 5 sharing assembly
 - **Tuesday 26th September** Trip to Go Ape
 - **Friday 10th November** Class 5 sharing assembly
 - **Tuesday 19th December** KS2 Carol concert



	8:55 9:00	Session 1	10:15 10:30	10:30 10:45	Session 2	12:00 1:00	1:00 1:05	Session 3	Session 4			
M	Registration	Maths	Collective worship	Playtime	Guided reading	Lunchtime	ERIC	Spelling/	RE	PE		
T		Maths	Guided reading		Literacy			Spelling/	Topic	PSHCE	Collective worship	
W		Maths	Collective worship		Guided reading			Literacy	Spelling/	Topic		
T		Maths	Guided reading		Literacy			PPA PE/ Science			Collective worship	
F		Maths	Guided reading		Literacy			Spelling/	Spanish	Music	Collective worship/ Sharing assembly	

This year in Class 5 we will be supported by Mrs Free. We are also lucky enough to have a trainee teacher, Mrs Haffey, working with us for most of the year. She will also be available to meet at the Class 5 Welcome Meeting.