



Year 5 Weekly update: 5th October

Messages:

PE is on Tuesday and Thursday. Children need to come in to school in their PE kit. Homework should be brought back on Thursday and new homework will be given out on Friday.
Thanks!

Maths:

Year 5 will be learning to use the column method for addition and subtraction this week. We will start off with calculations involving one exchange before moving on to two exchanges.

Spellings:

licence	history
license	imagine
practice	increase
practise	important
	interest

English:

Reading:

This week, the children will be identifying humour in the story. They will use extracts of the text to infer what the boy is thinking.

Writing:

Year 5 are writing a poem about the sea. We will be using poetic features such as rhyme, similes, metaphors and personification.

Talk homework:

We are writing poems about the sea. Describe the sea to your family. Discuss what you see, hear and smell when describing the sea.
Can you use similes and metaphors to describe the sea?

Topic:

Year 5 will take part in a Let's Think lesson this week based on the book 'The Conquerors'. They will think about what it means to conquer somewhere and reflect about the themes in the book.

Science:

We will continue learning about air resistance this week. We made parachutes of different size last week. This week, we will measure the time it takes for each parachute to fall and find patterns in the size and time. We will record our results and present our conclusions.

Your child's homework grid with activities for their homework will be in their homework book this week.