



Information for Parents and Carers

Summer Term – Year 5

Friday 21st January 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

Here's to the final term of Year 5!

We hope that you had a good break over the holidays and are rested and ready to complete the year on a high.

Core subjects overview:

In **Maths**, we will continue to learn about multiplication, division, and move on from our learning from the Spring Term. We have started the term with Statistics and will move on from here following the white rose scheme of Maths as well as continuing to recap on our skills of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

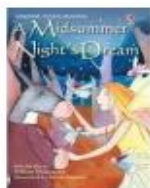
Summer term	Geometry	Geometry	Number		Number Negative numbers	Measurement	Measurement Volume
	Shape	Position and direction	Decimals			Converting units	

In **English**, we will be studying a number of books in reading.

Sum 1	Kensuke's Kingdom Predicting / Clarifying	Kensuke's Kingdom Predicting / Clarifying	Kensuke's Kingdom Combining	Kensuke's Kingdom Evaluating / Inference	Kensuke's Kingdom Combining	Kensuke's Kingdom Summarising / Making Connections
Sum 2	Matilda Predicting / Clarifying	Matilda Predicting / Clarifying	Matilda Combining	Matilda Evaluating / Inference	NFER Reading Assessments	Matilda Summarising / Making Connections

In writing we will be focusing on a number of texts and genres in writing. In Summer 1 we will study:

Midsummer Night's Dream – William Shakespeare



The Matchbox Diary - Paul Fleischman

When Jessie Came Across the Sea - Amy Hest



We will write a variety of narratives, balanced argument, diary entry and a letter.

In Summer 2 we will study:

The Island – Armin Greder



Cosmic Disco – Grace Nichols



We will use these texts as inspiration to write a welcome guide, letter of advice, diary entry in role and sequel from the main character's perspective and poetry.



Our PE times remain the same:



Curie: Tuesday and Thursday

Faraday: Tuesday and Thursday

Newton: Thursday and Friday

Please ensure that your child comes to school wearing their PE kit (*white top, navy/black bottoms and trainers*) on PE days and bear in mind that most PE sessions will be outside.

Homework and Reading

All children should have a reading book in school daily and read each night for at least 20 minutes. Homework will be sent via Google Classroom each **Friday**. This will include spellings, Maths Sheets and Times Tables Rock Stars. On Google Classroom you will also find our topic on International Trade. This project is due in on July 10th 2023 and we will hold our class presentations and exhibition throughout this week. We would appreciate your support in encouraging your child to read regularly and complete their homework.

Sharing Assembly:

Y5 Kench Hill Assembly: Friday 12th May 2023

Curie Class : Friday 30th June 2023

Term dates:

We break up for half term at **2:30pm on Friday 26th May**.

Children return to school on Monday 5th June.

We break up for the summer holiday at **2:30pm on Friday 21st July!**

The Millfields Mag is sent via email each Friday and is available on Google Classroom. Please read it with your child so that you can keep up to date with what is happening at school.

We can be contacted by email or by appointment if you have any questions.

Kind Regards

Sheyenne Watson, Jo Dyer, Mehmet Soylu and Ben Pahari

Year 5 Class Teachers

Investigating Global Trade



Key Question: How does trade connect people and places around the world?

Wow Trip



THAMES
EXPLORER
TRUST

Investigating the Thames
Faraday and Curie: Tuesday 9th May 2023
Newton: Friday 12th May 2023

PE and Games

**Rounders and Outdoor
Adventurous Activities**



Art

Artists: Kehinde Wiley, Bisa Butler

Outcome: Draw portraits and create collages in the style of Wiley and Butler



History Global Trade

Key question for enquiry: ·

How did trade become global? (history link)

- How far have the clothes we wear travelled?
- Where do the food products we buy come from?
- What happens on the journey from sources to sale?
- What does the UK export and to where?
- What is Fairtrade?
- What determines a country's highest value exports? (link with natural resources)

Computing

**Using Multi-Media for
Presentation: Google Sheets**

ESafety: Identifying trustworthy sources when using the internet and browsing content.

RE

Word Religions – Women's Role in Religion

Humanism – What qualities and belief systems do humanists have?

Science

Forces

DT

Textiles: Stuffed toys



PSHE and Citizenship

Collaboration: How to build a cohesive community

Nutrition and Food: Managing health and balanced meal choices

Music

Music for telling stories: creating atmospheres and effects
Charanga: – Dancing in the street

Music Technology: Garageband

Spanish

**My Classroom,
Languages around me
and Myself so far**

Going to year 6

Themed Days/Weeks

Parents and Families Week

WB Monday 22nd May

Antibullying Week

WB 5th June

Assessment Week

WB 26th June

Democracy Week

WB Monday 3rd July

Sports Fortnight

WB Monday 10th July

Other dates for your diary

Kench Hill

Monday 24th – Friday 28th April 2023

Millfields King's Coronation Celebration

Friday 5th May 2023

King's Coronation Bank Holiday

Monday 8th May

Class Photos

Wednesday 17th May

All Together Day

Friday 26th May - 'Wear what makes you you'

INSET Day

Friday 23rd June

Summer Fair

Saturday 8th July

Year 5 Sports Day : Monday 17th July 2023