

Information for Parents and Carers Summer Term – Year 5

Friday 9th May 2025

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.



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

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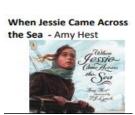
In writing we will be focusing on a number of texts and genres in writing. In Summer 1 we will study:

Midsummer Night's Dream – William Shakespeare





The Matchbox Diary - Paul Fleischman



We will write a variety of narratives, balanced argument, diary entry and a letter. In Summer 2 we will study:





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:



Shenandoah: Wednesday and Thursday **Acatenango**: Wednesday and Thursday

Fitz Roy: Wednesday 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 11th 2025 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:

Acatenango: Friday 16th May 2025

Fitz Roy and Shenandoah: Friday 23rd May 2025

Term dates:

We break up for half term at **2:30pm on Friday 23rd May 2025**Children return to school on **Monday 2nd June 2025**We break up for the summer holiday at **2:30pm on Friday 18th July 2025**

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
Year 5 Team



Investigating Global Trade

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



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?
- \cdot 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)

DT

Textiles: Stuffed toys

Computing

Using Multi-Media for Presentation: Google Sheets

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

R&W

Thankfulness

What impact do beliefs have on the Alevi community?

Science Reproduction A

Reversible and Irreversible Changes

Plastic Pollution

Reproduction B

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 19th May

National Numeracy Day

Wednesday 21st May

Assessment Week

WB Monday 23rd June

Democracy Week

WB Monday 30th June

Sport & Wellbeing Weeks

WB Monday 7th July

UKS2 Sports Day

Monday 7th July 2025

Other dates for your diary

Non-Uniform Day

Friday 23rd May - 'Wear what makes you, you'

INSET Day

Friday 20th June

Class Photos

Wednesday 25th June

Summer Fair

Saturday 12th July