### Reading Books

Reading books will be changed once per week. They need to be brought in on Fridays when they will be left for 48 hours before being returned to the general stock. New books will also be given out on Mondays.

### PE - On Fridays

Please come to school on Friday wearing full PE kit. Please ensure that earrings are not worn, or can be removed independently by your child. Long hair should be tied back.

We are fortunate this term that we have an outside agency coming in to work with the children on "Healthy body and Healthy Mind" this is a balance of written and physical work. When the lesson is more written based, I will endeavour to get the children outside at another opportunity in the day for some exercise that I will lead.

### Dojo

We will be sending most communication to you via ClassDojo. If you have not yet signed up for an account, or haven't logged on recently, please do so.

#### Homework

Once again, children will find their homework on DOJO. Homework will be posted on a Friday and is expected in the following Thursday. Please upload your child's work to the correct portfolio.

# Class Information Year 5

## Autumn Term 2 2020

We hope you find the following information helpful.

This term we will continue to teach the Year 5 curriculum, as well as continually assessing and filling in any gaps from the previous learning.

You will find a brief overview of the curriculum content for English and Maths as well as support for your child's well-being. Information about other subjects will be sent separately in a more detailed 'Knowledge Organiser'. This information is designed to give you a flavour of what the children in Year 5 will be learning this term as well as some more detailed information on the knowledge we expect children to know at the end of this term.

Many thanks for your continued support.
Miss Jordan

### **English**

Once again in first week back your child will have completed a star reader test, which indicates what level of book they will be reading. Spellings will continue to be given on a Monday and children will be tested the following Monday.

Understandably, children may still have gaps in their learning. These gaps will be identified through assessment and addressed accordingly.

This term we will be exploring portal stories and reading the exciting world of Narnia; with C.S Lewis' classic, "The Lion, The Witch and The wardrobe."



The children did a very good job in the first part of this term with their knowledge of place value and addition and subtraction skills.

Understandably, children may still have gaps in their learning. These gaps will be identified through assessment and addressed accordingly.

This part of the term we will be moving onto written methods for multiplication and division and it is vital that the children know their times tables to progress with their learning.

In each maths lesson, children will be given an opportunity to revise their all-important times tables skills and we will have times tables test on a Friday, however continued support at home will consolidate their knowledge.



### Recovery Curriculum

Adults will be on hand to talk to your children and to listen to their concerns about the continuing situation. We will be including lots of additional PHSE sessions aimed at nurturing your child's mental health and wellbeing.

We will also be using some Get Set 4 Life sessions, aimed at developing skills and techniques to help build their emotional wellbeing and resilience. Some of the activities we will be doing include athletics, and improving our overall fitness.

During the Autumn term we will be continually assessing your child's knowledge and we will target our teaching towards filling any gaps at the start of each lesson.