Week beginning

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Year 5 Newsletter

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Magic Moments!

We were very lucky to have P.E. in warm, dry weather this week. Not all year groups were so lucky! Our children all looked very smart in their P.E. kits.

This week we continued to work on narrative with our children describing the fantastic houses they created for English. We have tree houses, fruit houses, underwater houses… the sky literally is the limit! These houses are proudly displayed on the 'town map' created in each class. We have a feeling there will be some very interesting things happening to these towns over the year! Watch this space…

A Peek at the Week

Let's take a look at the exciting week ahead!

In English this week, we will be exploring the section of our core text where Beowulf and Grendel battle. Eyewitnesses will be interviewed to give their account of the incident which will then be reported in our Big Write. We will focus on using direct and indirect speech.

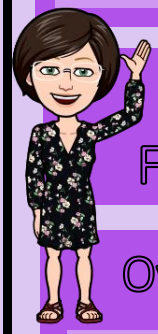
In Maths, we will continue with place value including negative numbers and Roman numerals to 1000. We will also be revisiting arithmetic skills which will involve applying the times tables.

In Science, we will be testing a variety of materials in relation to their everyday use.

In our Learning Challenge, we will be finding out how the Anglo-Saxons brought law and order to Britain.

In Computing, we will be writing short algorithms for different purposes, for example drawing shapes.

In R.E., we will be investigating the different acts of worship within Christianity and the impact it has on its followers.



Don't Forget!

- As the weather seems to be changing, please make sure that your child has a coat with their name clearly written inside.
- Please check that trainers/plimsolls from last year are still a comfortable fit!

Over to you… Home Learning

Homework is set every MONDAY and due in the following Monday. This week Year 5 have the following online tasks to complete.

MyMaths: Complete the tasks for counting sequences with missing numbers.

Reading: Please read five times this week and discuss your book with an adult.

Spellings: Remember to bring your purple spelling book to school on Mondays ready to complete your spelling test in the back.

Times tables: Practise the times tables on Purple Mash with Monster Multiplication.

Spellings

This week we will learn to spell words ending in '-cial'.

New spellings: **official, special, artificial, crucial, judicial, beneficial, facial, glacial, especially, multiracial**

Log in to **Spelling Shed** to practise your spellings! Let's see if we can make Y5 the top of Towers league!

Keep in touch!

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