Week beginning

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Year 5 Newsletter

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Magic Moments!

In 5C, we have enjoyed starting to recreate our own rainforests. We have explored how we can reproduce the various levels of a rainforest. I look forward to seeing the final result.

In 5M, we have carried out some excellent research about different animals in groups. We looked at ways to summarise and group information together.

In 5RB, we enjoyed carrying out research about endangered animals living in rainforests. We developed our own mind maps for use in a non-chronological report.

A Peek at the Week

In Maths, we will be finishing our work on equivalent decimals, fractions and percentages, and starting work on multiplying fractions by a whole number.

We are discussing how to use parenthesis within our writing to vary the length of our sentences in English. We will also be incorporating our recent grammatical skills of applying fronted adverbials to link paragraphs.

In Computing, we are continuing to develop our skills of adding data to spreadsheets to make our own formulas and add up cells.

Learning Challenge, we will be continuing to create our own rainforest and including all the features that you would typically find upon the four layers of a rainforest.

We will be assessing our understanding of life cycles and the differences between different living things, eg an amphibian an insect a mammal and a bird in our science lesson.

In DT, we have been editing and adapting our own recipes for spaghetti Bolognese to make it healthier. We will be using our written instructions to help us to make our own food.

Don't Forget!

Please ensure that on our PE days on Fridays' that your child(ren) are wearing their correct PE kit. If there are any questions regarding this, please do not hesitate to speak to your child's class teacher.

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: log in to consolidate your classwork.

Reading: Remember to read at least four times this week at home and sign your planner.

Spelling Shed: log-on to practise this week's spellings and see if you can reach the top of Towers league.

GPS book page 30 with a focus on present and past tenses.

Spellings

This week we will be revising spellings that are challenging words.

accompany, communicate, conscience, desperate, disastrous, interfere, nuisance, queue, restaurant, rhythm.

Practice using Look, Say, Cover, Write, Check. Make sure that you find out the meaning of each word.

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