

YEAR 5

SUMMER TERM 2



Welcome to our class letter for this half term. We are excited to share with you our learning journey

In English

We are reading: *When the Sky Falls* by Phil Earle.
We will be identifying the audience for and purpose of the writing.

Responsible consumption and production / Affordable and sustainable energy

Ensure access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and clean energy for all/
Ensure sustainable consumption and production patterns.

In Maths

Our topics include:
position and direction
converting units
volume.

In Science

Our topic is:
Animals, including humans
we will be describing the changes
as humans develop to old age.

In RE

We are learning how Buddha taught his followers to find Enlightenment.

In PE

We are going to be doing rounders and athletics.

In Geography

We are learning about fast fashion and its impact globally.

In History

We are looking exploring a significant historical figure and their impact upon today's society. The individual we will be looking at is Vivienne Westwood.

In French

We are learning about habitats.

In Art

We are going to be creating a bag by designing it and sewing.

In Music

We are learning about the history of music.

In DT

DT is linked in a project with art this term designing and making a bag.

In PSHE

This is linked to science this term where we will be looking at keeping our bodies clean and other hygiene routines during puberty.

In Computing

We are learning about coding and how to create an algorithm.

PE days

Please ensure that your child has their PE kits in school all week in anticipation of PE (Mondays and Thursdays.)

As the weather is warming up, please ensure that they have appropriate clothing and sunhats and sunscreen where necessary.

Reading

In Year 5, children are expected to read 6 days a week for 20 minutes. Please ensure that you listen to your child read 3 times within the week.

We will set homework on Mondays to be returned the following Monday.

Buckden's Got Talent!

The school is having a fun event in the last week of this term to celebrate the wider talents of the children in our school. If your child would like to take part we would love to see their act. They can choose to do an individual piece or join up with others in their year group to perform. You will receive an email shortly with details of our year group audition time. One act from each year group will be selected to perform in the whole school show.