

Homework

Reading

Reading is and always will be an extremely important part of your child's homework as it helps them access work in all areas of the curriculum. Please help by listening to your child read for twenty minutes every day and signing their reading record.

In addition to reading, spellings will be set on a Friday and tested on a Friday.

Times Tables

Every aspect of maths in year 5 relies on fluency of times tables. We cannot stress enough how important it is that you practice and ensure fluency with your child if they are not already fluent. Please use Time Table Rock Stars every day.

Homework

We will set one other piece of homework either Maths or English. The homework will be available on Teams, we can also send paper copies home. If your child has any problems with completing homework please let us know.

Mathletics and TT

Rock Stars

The children have logins and passwords for these websites. Please encourage your child to use them from home as often as possible.

*We are very much looking forward to our new topic of
The Amazon Rainforest*

If your children have anything to share that is linked to our topics, for example photos/ souvenirs, they can bring them to school.



Please don't hesitate to contact us if there are any matters you wish to discuss.

Term 1

Year 5L Newsletter



Teachers: Mrs. Saville Smith
Mrs. Blake

TP: Mr Goode

Curriculum Coverage

In **English**, our work will be inspired by the book 'The Great Kapok Tree'. Highlights include:

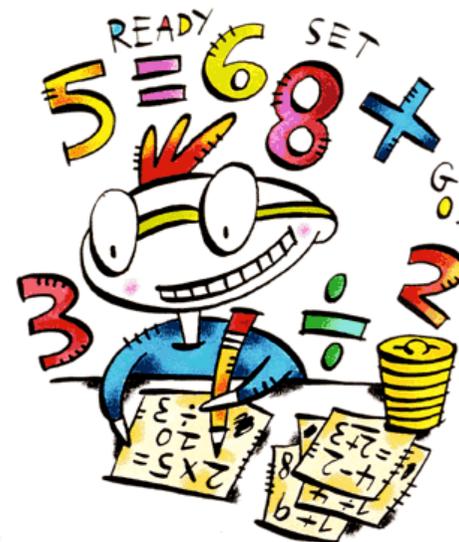
Performing and writing rainforest poetry

Descriptive writing

Non-chronological report



In maths we will be focusing on place value, addition & subtraction and statistics. The children will take part in Fluency lessons every Friday.



Other Curriculum areas:

Science - Notable Scientists

Topic - The Amazon Rainforest

RE - What does it mean if God is loving and holy?

PE- Basketball

PSHE—Being me in my world

Computing—We are coders

French- On holiday

Art—Animal portraits

