

Year 5/6 News

Friday 5th December 2025

What a week!

This week we have been publishing our stories (they will be on display on the lower site), thinking about subtraction of fractions in maths, learning about grid references in geography and how important the circulatory system is in transporting nutrients around our bodies.

Mrs Walker, Mrs Skinner, Mrs Batten and Mr Hubbard

SUBJECT SPECIFIC VOCABULARY

English: cohesion, relative clauses, parenthesis

Maths: mixed numbers, subtract, reason, problem solve

HOME LEARNING

Reading – Children should aim to read at home for 15-20mins daily. This may be reading to an adult or independent reading. Please record home reading in the Reading Record.

Times tables - Keep practising these as they help in so many different areas of maths. Children can log on at anytime to practise at <https://play.ttrockstars.com>

Magma- please complete the tasks set for you on Magma. They will be labelled 'Homework' with today's date.

Spelling Shed- please complete all three Spelling Shed games set for this week

Please note, all home learning tasks should be completed by Wednesday each week. Children who have not completed their tasks at home will complete the tasks during lunchtime at school on Thursday.

Many thanks for supporting your child to complete their home learning.

NOTICES / REMINDERS

Coats – Children should bring a named coat into school each day.

PE kit – This must include a change of **footwear**. Also, children may bring leggings / joggers and a sweatshirt or hoodie to wear for our outdoor sessions. Children still need shorts and t-shirts for indoor sessions please.

Upcoming dates

16th December 2:30pm Carol service at Withycombe Church
17th December Christmas dinner and Christmas jumper day
19th December last day of term

5th January Non-pupil day
6th January return to school