

Year 5 News

Friday 24th February
2023

We have to say a huge well done and thank you to all of year 5 for making such a positive start back to the Spring term.

We have started our new art topic where we are exploring using watercolour to create some Mayan masks. We created some beautifully detailed designs this week! We have started our new geography unit where we have started a South American locality study. We looked at where in the world South America is and the different regions it is made of. A fantastic start back – let's keep it up!

Mr Hubbard and Miss Burnett

HOME LEARNING

Reading – children should aim to read at home for 20-30 minutes every day. This is on top of any reading that they do at school. This can be either reading to an adult or reading independently for pleasure. You can quiz at home by going to this website: <https://ukhosted88.renlearn.co.uk/2236370> Please record this daily reading in the green reading records.

Times tables – please spend 10 minutes a day practising on TT rockstars: <https://play.ttrockstars.com> There is a First Federation Times table competition running from **27th February – 10th March**. We are up against all of the classes from every school in the First Federation!!

Maths homework - We are sending home an arithmetic paper this week to follow on from some basic calculation work that we have been focusing on. Please do not spend more than 30 minutes on this task. We also uploaded a copy online.

Spellings to learn this week – **Sincere** - **Sincerely**

Please make sure homework is completed by Thursday morning. There will be an opportunity on Thursday lunch time to complete activities at school if they have not been done at home.

SUBJECT-SPECIFIC VOCABULARY

Maths

Column, multiply, division, groups, subtraction, times tables

English

Sequence, order, Literary Heritage, Shakespeare, inference, summarise, character, emotion, description, adjectives

WOD next week?

Glint
Expand
Lunge
Stark
Malfunction

Reading Records

Please ensure you are reading daily and recording in your reading records.

5B and 5H are battling it out to have the biggest word count by the end of half term. The current scores are:

5B 9,400,364 **5H** 8,001,865 – well done 5B!

Let's keep the quizzing going guys!