

Year 5 News

Friday 6th January 2023

Welcome back to the Spring term! We hope you have all had a wonderful break and managed to spend it with loved ones.

Although it has been a shorter week than usual, we have been extremely busy! We have begun to explore motifs in dance and were inspired by 'The Evolution of Dance' video. We have immersed ourselves into 'Beowulf' and are looking fun to exploring this text throughout this literacy unit. We really enjoyed our visit from some local police officers to talk to us about internet safety – we found it very thought provoking!

Mr Hubbard and Miss Burnett

SUBJECT-SPECIFIC VOCABULARY

Maths

Division, sharing, grouping, partition, representation, equal

English

Traditional tales and legends, fronted adverbial, sequencing, order, opening, adjectives, description, dialogue, speech.

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>

Times tables – please spend 10 minutes a day practising on TT rockstars: <https://play.ttrockstars.com> We have started a new competition for maths homework this week. Our current unit is division so we need a really big push on times tables.

There is no MyMaths homework this week as we need to catch up with our TT Rockstars

Spellings to learn this week – **Accommodate, Bruise, Category**

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.

WORDS OF THE WEEK:

**uncertain
emotional
relationship
overwhelm
well-being**

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 6,867,291 **5H** 5,873,136 – well done 5B!

Let's keep the quizzing going guys!