

Year 5 News

Friday 25th November
2022

Thank you for another wonderful week Year 5!

We have worked hard in maths this week answering questions about our learning so far this year as well as investigating negative numbers.

We have been busy exploring spoken word poetry and had fun learning and performing some to each other. We thought carefully about the tone, tempo and dynamics when rehearsing and performing.

We had fun designing our water bottle holders and are excited to make them in DT!

Mr Hubbard and Miss Burnett

SUBJECT-SPECIFIC VOCABULARY

Maths

Negative, positive, above, below, zero, less than, greater than, ordinal, sequence, pattern, number bonds.

English

Explanation, commands, modal verbs, adverbs, fronted adverbials, relative clauses, expanded noun phrases.

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>

Maths – we have made the decision to not set any MyMaths homework. Instead, **please spend lots of time practising your times tables on TT Rockstars.** Over the last few weeks, we have noticed a drop in the number of children engaging in this part of the homework. We are quickly approaching our multiplication unit in maths and it's vital that they are as fluent with their tables as possible.

Spellings to learn this week – **existence, hindrance, necessary, prejudice sacrifice**

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.

Times Table Rockstars Battles

Each week, 5B and 5H are battling it out on TT Rockstars to become the biggest rockstars by the end of the term.

You can earn points by answering a question correctly on any game mode.

Scores for this week:

5H - 10,180

5B - 7,536

Well done to all those who got involved!

Let's see what happens next week...

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 4,981,966 **5H** 4,509,031 – well done 5B!

Let's keep the quizzing going guys!