

Year 5

Dear Parents & Carers,

We have had a good week rounding and adding fractions in maths and looking at how to inject atmosphere into our writing. We have also carried out assessments to check progress in comprehension skills and to check knowledge of fractions.

Next week we look forward to our visit to Wakehurst Place (Thursday), dressing up for World Book Day (Year 5) (Tuesday) and exciting activities on Science Day on (Wednesday). There will also be Bounce for Books on Friday, please remember to continue to collect sponsorship towards this beneficial activity.

Please remember to pack weather appropriate PE kit for the children. The indoor sessions sometimes need to move outside so they will need warmer kit for all PE sessions.

It has come to notice that the policy for nail varnish, earrings and long hair are not being followed rigorously enough. There should be no nail varnish and no earrings (plasters worn over them if they cannot be taken out). Also long hair should always be tied back with an appropriate (understated) hair accessory.

Please remember to give your child any anti travel sickness medicine that they might on the morning and provide one for the return journey if needed, for the trip to Wakehurst Place.

Year 5 Team 😊

Homework Reminder

English- Prepare a short speech to encourage the rest of the class to read your child's favorite/chosen book. Include key characters and highlights of the story without giving away the ending!

Maths- Your child's maths book will be coming home. Please take your time to go through the topics covered. Sign and return the book on Monday. Please also complete page 34 of the maths homework book.



Date Reminder

February 27

Year 5 World Book Day.

March 1

Wakehurst Place trip.

March 2

Bounce for Books

Announcements

Upcoming dates for your diary:

Puberty talk Wednesday 18th April first session from the school nurse to the children.

Wednesday 25th April follow up puberty lesson with the nurse.

Final School Journey meeting: Parents and children to attend. Thursday 19th April at 9am.

Outstanding payments Please could everybody check and pay any final amounts due today.

Spelling – Learning week 7 hyphens with prefixes. (Tested on week 6 homophones)

Times Table – 11 and 12

Reading – gentle reminder to encourage your child to read daily and regularly update their reading diary. When you read with your child that should also be recorded.