Weekly News - 23rd March 2018

Year 5

Dear Parents/Carers

It is great to be back to school and hear about the wonderful holidays the children have had. It is also wonderful that those that went to sunny places have brought back the sun with them!

This week in maths we have been looking at 2D shapes and their properties. We investigated the interior angles of polygons, calculated missing angles and drew regular and irregular shapes.

In English, we have started to study the book *Wolf Brother* and have been impressed with the author's use of vocabulary. We have looked at the descriptive writing techniques of expanded noun phrases, similes, metaphors and personification.

It was great to see so many of you at the School Journey meeting and we are looking forward to the Wakehurst Place trip on Thursday.

Any outstanding forms/information for School Journey need to be handed in on **Monday 23**rd **April**.

We hope you have a lovely weekend.

Regards

Year 5 Team ©

Homework Reminder

English: Use of commas after subordinate clauses. The children need to write all their work in their homework books, nothing on the sheets.

Challenge 1: Complete section 1

Challenge 2: Complete sections 1 and 2.

Challenge 3: Complete sections 1 to 5.

Mrs Mehran's English group should complete the homophone worksheet. Mrs Fox's maths group have also been set some decimals and fractions homework, they should work for half an hour on this. The worksheet is in their maths homework book.

Reading – Please encourage your child take up the 100 Book Reading Challenge. Children have brought home a list of the books to choose from.



Date Reminder

April 26

Wakehurst Place

May 8

School Journey

May 21

Active week

Announcements

Upcoming dates for your diary:

Unfortunately the Sex Ed talks were cancelled by the school nurse and have been rearranged for the following dates: 14th and 21st May