

Year 5



Date Reminder

October 5

URGENT: Deadline for School Journey deposit (£40)

October 16

Flu nasal spray (catch-up)

October 17 & 18

Parents' Evenings – bookings open now

October 18

Early closure at 2:00pm

Announcements

School Journey

The deadline has now passed (see above). If you have not already paid, please do so urgently via Parent Pay or through the office. We will not be able to guarantee additional places later on.

Clarinets (Ash and Sycamore parents) Please return the permission slips now.

Dear Parents & Carers,

We have been learning about the Phases of the Moon in Science this week and we hope you are all having fun moon watching at home. Some of the children have been concerned that they have been unable to see the moon some nights. Please assure them that we are aware that there will be cloudy nights occasionally and it is fine to miss the odd night. It is dark quite early now and we have even been able to spot the moon in the mornings... Please make sure the children keep their sheet safe and tidy.

In English, we have completed our first piece of independent writing and have begun to investigate information texts. Our focus in Maths has moved onto addition and subtraction, with an emphasis on becoming fluent working with mental methods.

Ash and Sycamore are getting to grips with their clarinets (literally!) and are learning to put the pieces together and play their first notes. Thank you for returning the consent forms so promptly. Please continue to take good care of these valuable instruments at home.

Have a lovely weekend.

Year 5 Team ☺

Homework Reminder

Equalities Week Homework:

To celebrate Equalities Week we would like the children to make a small A4 poster. This could be to raise awareness of this upcoming event and the issues surrounding it, and/or research a person who has made a significant impact on society whilst overcoming barriers. This might mean issues around race, gender or disability etc. We will use these in our cultural diversity PSHE lessons next week.

Mrs Fox Maths: Please do the sheet on Place Value (instead of the above) Mrs Fox English: Please do the similes and diminutives sheet (instead of the above)

Spelling: This week the children should be learning -ible, -able (and we will test the silent letters). Please also have a look at the Y3/Y4 word list in your child's school diary and check they are familiar with spelling those words too. ***Your child may have been given an individual list of words to learn. If so, they should focus on these as a priority.***

Do not forget times tables and reading - daily!