

Year 5

Dear Parents & Carers,

It is hard to believe this time has come round again already, but we will be sending home the words for the songs for the Christmas Concert today! It is essential that the children start learning them now, as we have only a very few weeks until we perform in the church. We have told the children that this is additional homework and we would appreciate your help in ensuring that they practise. Thank you.

Thursday next week will be Carnival Day in Y5. This will be the grand finale for our History topic on the Maya and links with our Geography topic on Central America. We would like the children to dress in bright colours. Please note: they do not need to dress like the Maya!

URGENT: shoeboxes required! We will be starting a DT topic on moving toys very soon and we are in need of **sturdy** cardboard. We would be grateful if you would donate any shoeboxes (or similar) you may have at home. We will dismantle these and reconstruct them for our own purposes. Thank you.

Year 5 Team ☺

Homework Reminder

You can access our *Year 5 Home Learning Grid* on the year group pages of the school website here:

<https://www.fernhill.kingston.sch.uk/year5>

Please note that we can provide a paper copy if you request it.

Spelling

Spelling lists have been sent out and dates clearly indicate the letter pattern of the week. The children will be tested on the list of Y5 homophones next week.

Please ensure your child continues to read daily and learn their times tables.



Date Reminders

Planetarium visit (in school)

Tuesday 26th November

Y5 Carnival Day

Thursday 28th November

Announcements

Thursday 28th November will be Carnival Day in Y5!

This will be the finale for our Maya Civilisation History topic and the launch of our Geography topic on Central America.

We have asked the children to dress in their most colourful clothing.

