

KESTREL CLASS

AUTUMN NEWSLETTER



Dear Parents and Children,

Welcome back to a new school year in the Kestrels class! We hope that you have had a lovely break over the summer and that you are excited to become our school's new year 5 and 6 pupils.

We have lots of exciting things going on in Kestrels this term like a trip to the Imperial War Museum, our harvest festival, Christingle service and lots of interesting topics to explore.

If you have any worries or concerns, please do come and have a chat after school or make an appointment.

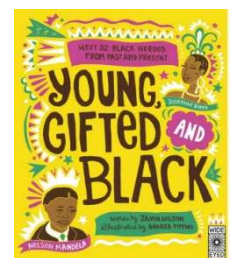
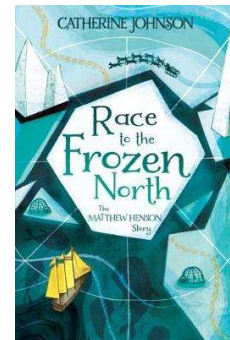
Mr Strefford and Mrs Pearce

Important information

This term the children will have PE on a **Tuesday and Friday for the first half term** and a **Tuesday and Wednesday after half term** so please ensure that the children come to school in their PE kit on these days.

Children will be given homework on a Monday and this will be due in the following Monday. Their homework will consist of weekly spellings, SPAG and Maths and we also encourage daily reading and regular times tables practise at home.

As the children will be playing on the field at break time, please could they bring wellies to keep at school.



Literacy

- Poetry
- Diaries
- Traditional tales

Science

- Living things and their habitats
- The circulatory system
- Diet, drugs and lifestyle

History

- World War One

PE

- Hockey
- Cricket
- Tag Rugby
- Indoor Athletics

PSHE

- What makes up a person's identity?
- What decisions can people make with money?

French

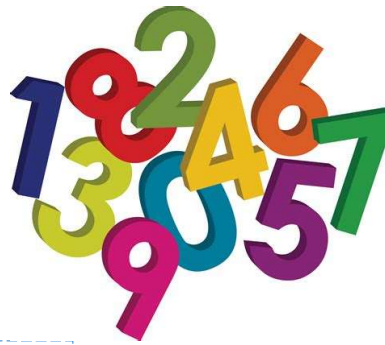
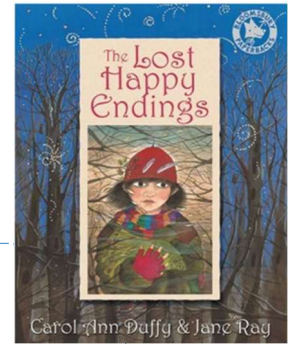
- Getting to know you
- All about ourselves

Music

- Livin' on a prayer

Maths

- Place Value
- Addition and subtraction
- Multiplication and division
- Fractions
- Area, perimeter and volume



Religious Education

- How and why do Christians worship?
- What are the benefits for believers?
- How do Christians show their belief in action?

Art

- Drawing: I need space

Design and Technology

- Textiles: Stuffed toys

Computing

- Coding
- Online safety