

Homework

Homework will be given out on the first Friday of the half-term, which will consist of at least 6 different learning activities. Children will be expected to complete these activities over the half-term and record them via the iPads or in a homework book / paper. Children should bring in their completed homework by the end of each half term. This can either be weekly or all in one go.

Knowledge Organisers

At Hackwood Primary Academy we have Knowledge Organisers (KOs) as homework, to help children learn the essential knowledge they need for each topic they study. A Knowledge Organiser sets out in detail what we want children to know by heart by the end of the topic. We expect the majority of children to be able to recall all of the information on the KO by the end of the topic.

Reading

Your child will have a reading diary, which will need to be taken home and returned to school every day. Your child should read at home at least 3 times a week and an adult will need to sign to show that your child has read to an adult. Reading diaries will be checked every week.

PE Kits

Your child will need correct PE kit. As the weather gets colder, we will allow children to wear dark jogging bottoms. We will be doing PE every week on Monday and Wednesday.

Please ensure your child is wearing the correct school uniform every day and please make sure that all clothing is clearly labelled.

Websites to help

BBC Bitesize - Bug Club - Times Tables Rock Stars – Spelling Shed



We *believe* in ourselves to *achieve* our goals
and *succeed*

Year 5 Parents Information Booklet Autumn Term 2 2023

At Hackwood Primary Academy, we believe that learning is a two-way partnership, involving school and home. We hope this leaflet will answer some of your questions as your child learns in Year 5 and gives you some ideas of ways to help at home!

Inside this booklet you will see what your child is studying this half term. Please take time to read through and discuss this with your child.

Should you require any further information about the curriculum or any other queries please ask to speak to a member of staff.

Teaching and Learning Staff

Class: Badgers (Year 5)

Teachers: Mr Carter

Teaching Assistants: Mrs Bullivant



Science

In Science we are learning all about Earth and Space. We will look at the Solar System, why we have day and night and why shadows change length during the day.



History

We will be learning about some of the history of Spain and Spanish traditions.



Geography

We will be studying the country of Spain. We will be looking at its position in the world, its climate as well as identifying both human and physical features of the country.



Shared Reading

We will be reading about a female pirate called Grace O'Malley. This book, written by Terry Deary, tells the story of the self-proclaimed 'Greatest Pirate in the World'.



Enrichment

The children will take part in raising money for Children in Need.



Outcome

Understand how to be **respectful**, show **perseverance** and take **pride** in everything we do. Improve our reading, writing and mathematical skills.



Maths

In maths we will be continuing to learn about multiplication and division with multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1000.

We will then move onto fractions where we will look at many different aspects. These include: finding fractions of numbers; recognising equivalent fractions; comparing fractions; ordering fractions; and, adding and subtracting fractions.

Writing Opportunities

We will write:
Character descriptions;
Alternative endings to narratives;
Non-chronological reports.



Key Question/Topic: Viva España – How does England compare to Spain?

PSHE

In PSHE we are focusing on Nutrition and Food, looking at what constitutes a healthy diet.



Harmony Pledge.

Be Respectful, Be Safe Happy and Healthy, Be a Fundraiser.

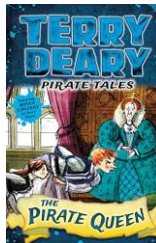


Year 5

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Key Texts

The Pirate Queen



Music

In music we will be learning to sing songs, play percussion instruments and write lyrics



Computing

In computing we will be looking at Online Safety as well as using and creating databases



Art/DT

In art we will be studying Picasso and creating artwork inspired by his style.



PE

In PE we will be learning about dance techniques as well as learning to play badminton.



Languages

We will be continuing our learning of Spanish as well as looking at Spanish culture.



RE

We will be looking at 'Why do some people believe God exists?' looking at Hinduism and Judaism

