



Year 5
Red Squirrels and Roe Deer

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Autumn 2

Welcome Autumn 2 in Year 5
This half term is very busy. We are especially looking forward to a big adventure in Whitby, some great outdoor learning and lots of fun Christmas activities too!

Our Christian Values



Our Christian values this term are **Respect** and **Kindness**.

What are we learning?

Our topic is "The Great, The Bold, and The Brave - How did WW1 change Yorkshire?"

English: Writing a balanced argument to consider the amount of screen time we have is our first challenge before we move into writing an adventure story.



Maths: Our maths learning will be focussed on multiplication and division and fractions.



Science: Our Science topic this half term is changing materials.

RE: Our RE topic is "Was Jesus the Messiah?"

History: We will be continuing our learning about World War 1 and its impact on the Yorkshire

D & T: We will be making trench stew and enjoying various Christmas crafts.



What are we reading?

We are reading Private Peaceful by Michael Morpurgo



Set during World War I, Private Peaceful charts eight hours in the life of Tommo, a young soldier at the Front as he looks back over the formative events of his life: his father's early death, his relationship with his loving mother and brothers, Big Joe and Charlie, and their beloved school friend Molly.

Homework

Each week, the homework expectation is:

Complete the spelling assignment on EdShed;
Complete 20 minutes per week on TTRockstars;
To read every day.

There will be lunchtime opportunities for children to access the apps if they have not been able to do so at home.

Children may be asked to attend if they do not do the homework.

If you have lost your login details or cannot access EdShed or TTrockstars, please let us know as soon as possible.



Reminders

Our P.E. days are Tuesday and Friday. Children need to come into school in their P.E. kits. All jewellery must be removed for PE, including earrings.

Music will be on Tuesday afternoons. The children will need to bring their instruments in each Tuesday.

Long hair should be tied back in school.

Please send your child to school with their own water bottle each day.

Snacks at breaktime should be either fresh fruit or vegetables.

Musician of the month

November - Gustav Holst
December - Tchaikovsky

Upcoming Dates

Please see attached list...

there is a lot in the diary!

KIRF

Key Instant Recall Facts

Each term, we have a set of Key Instant Recall Facts to help our maths learning. This half term, our KIRF are:
to find the factor pairs for a number

e.g. factors of 24
1 & 24, 2 & 12, 3 & 8, 4 & 6
e.g. factors of 28
1 & 28, 2 & 14, 4 & 7

If you have any questions, please feel free to speak to any member of the Year 5 team.

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