

# Welcome to Year 5!

A warm welcome back from Miss Willis, Miss Barnes and Mrs Davis. We are so excited to teach you!

PE is on a **MONDAY** and **TUESDAY**.

Homework is due in on a Friday – Spellings and Times Tables.

Key dates:

4.9.25 Term begins

18.9.25 Start of Year Mass

24.10.25 End of term

This half term, we are starting our first Geography topic of the year. We will be **Investigating the World** using map skills to read a map and locate places and key points of interest. We will also learn about contour lines and map symbols.



In **RE**, our topic is 'Ourselves'. We will learn about the things that make us different and unique. We will discuss what our talents and qualities are and how we can use them to do God's will.



In **Science**, our focus strand is Physics. We will be learning all about Earth and Space. In this unit, we will identify what type of planet each planet is in our solar system and learn more about how our solar system functions and stays together.

In **Maths**, we will explore Place Value and Addition and Subtraction further, building on our learning from Year 4. We will start to include more digits in our numbers, going up to 1 million and adding numbers with 5 or 6 digits in the column method whilst building up our mental maths ability as well.



We will be reading **Greenwild: The World beyond the Door** to tie in with our writing learning this term. It is about a young girl called Daisy who has escaped from boarding school, hoping to find her missing mother but stumbles upon a magical, mystical world.

Please encourage your child to read for at least 10 minutes every day. Spellings and homework are sent home every Monday. TT Rockstars log in's are inside reading diaries and homework books. Accessing this regularly will greatly help them in maths.