

What We Are Learning This Week in Year 5

Week Commencing 14th July 2025

It has been a fantastic year, and we have very much enjoyed teaching your children. Thank you very much for your support throughout this academic year. We wish all the Year 5 children the very best of luck for Year 6 and look forward to seeing them again after the holidays.

Mr Vincent, Mr Gonzalez and Mrs Azmi

English

This week, we will be recapping the grammatical features learned in Year 5 by completing booklets with relevant activities. These will include working on the different types of tenses; language features used within poetry and fiction texts; types of clauses; word classes and their relationships.

Spellings for this week

There are no spellings to learn this week.

At home:

Please encourage your child to read daily during the summer holidays—preferably books that they find somewhat challenging. All the children have a log-in for our e-library and will be able to access it over the holidays. They can even take part in the Summer Reading Challenge with your local library. The Year 5 and 6 spelling lists were attached in last week's Parent Information. It would be a good idea for the children to familiarise themselves with these words, understand their meanings, and practise spelling them.

Maths

As with English, we will be recapping a wide range of concepts learned in maths this year and completing activities in booklets to help consolidate learning.

The topics we will focus on are multiplication and division (both short and long methods); algebraic problems; shapes and their properties; word problem-solving; and coordinates.

At home:

Over the summer holidays, please ensure that your child continues to practise Times Tables Rock Stars to improve their recall speed. It will also be helpful to practise key arithmetic methods to ensure they are ready for Year 6 maths in September.

Please note that school finishes at 2:25 pm on Friday 18th July.