

William Murdoch Primary School

Year 5 Spring Term Newsletter 2023

Year 5 Staff

Y5.1 - Miss A Virdi
Y5.2 - Mr M Slinn
Y5.3 - Miss L Wilkes (Team Leader)

Year 5 Support Staff

Mr J Walker
Mrs H Dhesi

Holidays

Half-Term

Friday 17 February 2023

Return to School

Monday 27 February 2023

End of Term

Friday 31 March 2023

Return to School

Monday 17 April 2023

Key Events

Staff Training Days

Tuesday 3 January 2023

Parents' Evening

Wednesday 22 March 2023

World Book Day

Thursday 2 March 2023

Festival Assemblies

Year 4 - Mother's Day

Friday 17 March 2023

Year 5 - Easter

Friday 31 March 2023

Year 5 Good Work Assemblies

03/03/2023

Class Assemblies

Y5.3 - Climate Change

03/02/2023

Y5.1 - Science Week

10/03/2023

Year 5 Trip(s)

Guru Nanak Gurdwara Smethwick

Wednesday 11 January 2023

Welcome

Welcome to another term at William Murdoch Primary School. In order to strengthen the home/school partnership, this Newsletter aims to inform you of the topics being covered by your child this term and of any special events taking place.

Maths

Decimals
Percentages
Problem Solving
Multiplication
Division
Fractions

English

The Highway Man
The Lion, The Witch & the Wardrobe
Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling
Guided Reading - Focus on Non-Fiction
Texts

Science

Magnetism
Electrical Circuits

History

French Revolution
The Transatlantic Slave Trade

Geography

East Anglia, Midlands, Yorkshire & Humberside
Australia

Art

African Art
Chinese Art

Computing

Creating Media
Data & Information

Forest School

Nature Skills (Please ensure your child has appropriate clothing & footwear)

Modern Foreign Languages

Latin

PHSE

Dreams and Goals
Healthy Me

RE

Sikhism
Christianity

PE

SAQ
Fitness
Team Games
Swimming (Please ensure your child has appropriate sportswear)

PE

Y5.1 - Thursdays
Y5.2 - Thursdays
Y5.3 - Mondays

Swimming

Y5.1 - Mondays
Y5.2 - Tuesdays
Y5.3 - Thursdays

Homework

English, Maths and Spellings Homework will continue to be given on Fridays and is to be returned to school by Wednesday.

Homework related to Knowledge Organisers will be posted on Class Dojo on Fridays.

Children should be reading 20 minutes daily to an adult. Comments should then be left in their reading journals.



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