

Year 5 Autumn Term Curriculum Newsletter

Welcome Back

Hello and welcome to Year 5. We are all very excited to be teaching you this year. We have lots of fun topics and trips planned. We expect everyone to work hard and have fun. Let's have the best year together!

Meet the Year Group

BEECH:

Amy Howard



Samina Qayum

BIRCH:

Paul Teague



CEDAR:

Sarah Churchill



Jenny Shannon

MAPLE:

Laura Robinson-Wood



OLIVE:

Sam Noel-Paton



Key Reminders

- The children should be reading at least four times per week at home and recording it in their organisers
- They should also be practising their times tables regularly on TTRS.
- As the weather gets colder, please make sure that your child is sent into school with a labelled coat.
- Please bring in a water bottle as well

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Important Dates

- 1st October - Beech class assembly
- w.c. 5th October - trip to the William Booth Birthplace Museum
- 13th /14th October - Parents' Evening
- 16th October - History Day
- 6th November - Careers' Fair
- 13th November - Children in Need
- 17th November - Children's photos
- 10th December - Birch class assembly
- 16th December - Year 5 Christmas sing and party

Books We Are Reading



PE Timetable

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Indoor PE	Swimming Beech Cedar			Birch Maple	Olive
Outdoor PE		Olive	Beech Cedar Maple Birch		

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Curriculum Learning

English - We will be writing setting descriptions based around How to Train Your Dragon and writing instructions for a Norse creature. We will be writing a formal letter using the book Holes as a springboard.

Maths - We will be revisiting place value and covering addition, subtraction, multiplication and division as well as doing lots of work on fractions.

Art - Monoprinting

Computing - Investigating systems and networks

DT - Designing bird boxes

French - Introducing myself and my family

Geography - Hemispheres

History - Vikings

PD - Food and the media

Swimming - Beech and Cedar will be swimming on Monday afternoons.

Outdoor PE - Rugby and hockey

Indoor PE - Gymnastics and dance (Charlestone)

RE - Leaders

Science - Materials and their properties, including reversible and irreversible changes