

Contact Details:

The Year 5 Class Team are:

Mrs Gall – Class Teacher
Mrs Hackwell – Learning Support
Miss Street – Individual Learning Support
Mrs Blackburn – PPA and management time cover

If you have any questions or concerns please speak to a member of staff at the start or end of the day or contact us via the office email:

office@marlborough.cornwall.sch.uk

with FAO in the subject line.

You can also contact me directly on:

class5@Marlborough.cornwall.sch.uk

Equipment Needed

Class 5 are doing PE on Mondays during the first half-term.

Please could children come to school on Mondays wearing PE kit (shorts/plain joggers, PE T-shirt) with a school jumper. A named refillable water bottle needs to be kept in class.

Pencil cases, Reading Journals, reading books and spelling logs need to be in school every day please.

Thank you.

Class 5 Curriculum Information Autumn Term 2020



Heavenly Bodies: Ancient Greece and Outer Space

This term, Class 5's learning focuses on Ancient Greece before zooming into Outer Space!

We will be learning all about how the Ancient Greeks lived, their beliefs and how their language and stories survive today. We will learn about our Solar System and have a visit from the Spacedome on November 5th.

English: We will be studying Greek mythology, including creating our own mythical creatures and writing our own myths. We will write information pages about the planets to contribute to a class book. Our class novel this term is Who Let the Gods Out? By Maz Evans.

Maths: Maths is taught as a separate subject (although we will include some 'Space maths'). This term we will be learning about place value up to 1,000,000, addition and subtraction beyond 5 digits, statistics, multiplication and division and area and perimeter.

Science: This term we will be learning about forces: friction, gravity, air resistance, water resistance and mechanisms (levers, pulleys and gears). We are hoping to visit the Art Gallery to learn about and make automata. We will also be learning about the movement of the Earth and other planets in relation to the Sun, and the movement of the Moon relative to the Earth.

Computing: We will be using the internet for research, composing music and learning about eSafety.

Music: We will be learning songs about the heroes of Troy and composing music inspired by the planets.

Religious Education: As well as learning about Ancient Greek beliefs, we will be exploring other faiths.

Art/DT: We will be using collage, drawing, painting, pastels and sewing to create various topic-related works of art.

P.E.: This term we will be focusing on athletics. We will create dances inspired by Space. We will also be learning some French.

We hope you will join us to share our learning with you at **9:00 on Friday 6th December.**

Home Learning

Children are expected to read at home every day: aloud to an adult at least twice a week. This should be recorded by the children in their reading journal. Children should do at least one activity suggested in their booklet (or similar) per week.

Spelling: spelling lists come home on a Monday and are tested the following Monday. The children have a login for Spelling Shed (<https://play.edshed.com/login>) where there will be an assignment to practise this week's words. There is also a Y5/6 List which can be played. Some children may also have individual lists.

Maths: please practise times tables – don't forget TTRockstars.

After half-term, the children will be bringing home a 'moon diary' to complete.



