

Year 5 Parents' Information Presentation

Welcome to Year 5!

Teachers: *Mrs McCue*

Mrs Don Mr Turner

Teaching Assistants:

Mrs Yapa and Mrs Sleath

Classrooms

Play space

Making friends!

- Buddy system
- Opportunities
- Kind school
- Taster day- already met some of the children



About Year 5

Beginning and End of Day



Your child can be dropped off between 8.00am and 8.25am where they will be supervised by a member of staff. They need to arrive through the KS2 gates. After this time, they need to sign in at Reception.

Your child can be picked up at either:

3.50-4.00pm – KS2/side gate

4.10 – pick up for children who have siblings in the Senior School.

5.10-5.20pm – End of first prep/clubs from the KS2 gates.

5.50-6.00pm – End of school day from the KS2 gates.

Please complete the collection times form via the Parent App (the details will be sent to you). All children must be signed out before leaving the school building.

Parents as Partners

Conversations:

Please email us with any questions or issues that you may have.

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Homework:

Each evening lasting 25 minutes for the Prep and 15 minutes for reading. Any time left over TTRS, Edshed.

Pastoral Support:

ELSA Teachers, TAs and any adults children trust.



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Parent App



The Parent App is the main form of communication. You will have received/be receiving details of how to access Studies Grades and view your child's house point total through the app. General communication such as weekly newsletters and information about clubs and trips are also available through the app.

Any problems – please contact Reception.

Sport and Music

- All children in Year 5 will have a music lesson and a singing lesson
- Every child will learn to play a brass instrument in class Music time
- Individual 1:1 music lessons available
- Informal concerts
- Concerts throughout the year
- Co-curricular clubs- Newman Orchestra/Flute Choir/
Guitar Club/String Stars/ Chapel Choir (Yr5-6)



PE: Once a week as a class learning a variety of games/sports.

Games: Twice a week as a year group- rugby for boys and hockey for girls.

Uniform and equipment

Hair: tidy and tied up with blue hair bobbles for girls, boys hair cut to above the collar

Shoes: black laced/strapped shoes, no black trainers or slip on shoes

Pencil cases: compact with only the essentials including a glue stick and a green biro

Named!

Trips and Visits to look forward to!

- Burghley House
- Space Centre
- Alton Castle (residential)
- Botanic Gardens
- Bee specialist visit

Prep/Homework

In Year 5, the children are set daily prep which should take them about 25 minutes.

Monday – English

Tuesday – RE

Wednesday – Spellings (ED SHED)

Thursday – Maths

Friday – Comprehension

We also ask that the children read, learn their spellings and practice their times tables daily.

- The weekly spelling test takes place on a Tuesday (new words are sent home on a Wednesday).

Any questions?

