

**Primary Five Newsletter**

Teacher:

Miss. Lowham (Monday-Tuesday)

Mrs. Hughes (Wednesday-Friday)

**BACK TO SCHOOL**



**Welcome!**

We are looking forward to getting to know your child and helping them settle into P5. All messages and class information will be sent via Seesaw, please inform us if you cannot connect in this way. We are excited for the term ahead and hope the pupils are too!

**Behaviour System**In P5, children are rewarded for good behaviour through an interactive points system called Dojo. They receive points for displaying positive behaviour choices and can use them for a variety of treats or privileges.

This year we welcome back whole school assemblies each Friday, to celebrate success and excellent behaviour. Children who work well in class may be awarded ‘Star of the Week!’.

**Physical Education**

This term, the pupils will have PE lessons on Mondays and Fridays. Your child can wear their PE kit (shorts/tracksuit bottoms and red t-shirt) on those days. All clothing should be clearly labelled with your child’s name.

Children will have the opportunity to visit SALTO, having gymnastic lessons from the 8th of September for five weeks. They should wear their PE kits for those days also.

**Homework**

All homework activities are set on Seesaw. Your child should spend no more than thirty minutes completing their homework each night and this should include ten minutes reading with your child. Reading books will be given out on Mondays and should be returned on Fridays. Every child will be given a book to use for homework tasks, this should be kept at home. All completed homework activities should be sent back via Seesaw.

Curriculum

Literacy –

* Spellings - Weekly Phonics
* Writing – Recounts
* Reading – Guided Reading sessions with small groups.

Numeracy -

* Mental strategies
* Problem solving
* Place value
* Addition and subtraction
* Measurement



Topic –

* World War Two