



Year 5 Newsletter Summer Term



Water Bottles
Please ensure your child brings a filled water bottle into school. Please remember that only water should be brought into school.

Dear Parents/Carers,
Welcome back after a restful Easter. This newsletter contains information about your child's learning in maths, English and topic. If you have any questions we are here to help.
From, the Year 5 team

Year 5 Staff

Mr Edwards - Teacher in Class 5E
Miss Scarlett - Teacher in Class 5S
Mrs Dawes - Year 5 Teaching Assistant

Multiplication Tables

This term we will continue to learn our times tables. Please help your child by practising these at home.

Reading

It is very important that your child is reading at home daily.

Children are expected to complete an Accelerated Reader quiz once they have finished reading their book.

Remember, reading regularly will help your child with their writing too!

ATTENDANCE

Attendance at Colmers Farm Primary School is extremely important. Your child is our top priority and if they are to achieve their full potential

Topics

Topic/History — Protests and Politics (Civil Rights Movement)
PE - Athletics/Golf
Personal Development — Health & Wellbeing/SRE
English— Recount, Biography and discussion
Maths— measure, area and perimeter, volume
Art— Mixed Media (Painting)
Computing— iWeb and iCrypto
Science— Earth and Space

Important Dates

Monday 6th May 2024
Bank Holiday

Friday 24th May 2024
Break up from School

Monday 3rd June 2024
Back to School

Wednesday 19th June 2024
Sports Day

Monday 24th June 2024
Bikeability week

Wednesday 3rd July 2024
Transition Day

Friday 19th July 2024
Break up from school

English

In our English lessons we will be exploring a range of text types including recounts, biographies and discussion texts.

Maths

- measure
- area and perimeter
- volume
- solving word problems

Homework

Homework will be sent out weekly and needs to be returned in by the following Monday morning.

The children will be given homework from their CGP guides. Please make sure that homework is completed in blue/black pen or pencil and is presented neatly.

UPPER KEY STAGE 2 - YEARS 5 and 6		
AREA	TASK TYPE	WEEKLY TIME GUIDE
Reading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading at home and reading diaries completed. • Completion of accelerated reader task (online learning). 	Daily reading- 5 times a week
Spelling	Use of Spelling Shed (online learning)	2 times a week
Maths	Use of Mathletics (online learning).	3 times a week
Grammar	Grammar-based worksheet reinforcing learning in class.	1 time weekly
Handwriting	Handwriting practice sheet.	1 time weekly
Topic	Reading the knowledge organisers and completing at least 3 homework activities from them.	Across the term

Behavioural Homework

Please note that sometimes pupils may be asked to complete classwork that they have failed to complete in school that day at home. This is due to that pupil's behavioural choices during the day causing missed learning time. We expect parents to support the school by ensuring that this work is completed that evening at home. Please see our behavioural policy.

Useful websites:

- www.colmersfarm.excelsiormat.org
- www.primaryresources.com
- **Myon**— www.myon.co.uk
- **Accelerated Reader**— tinyurl.com/colmers
- **Spelling Shed**— www.edshed.com
- **Mathletics**— login.mathletics.com
- **National Oak Academy**—www.thenational.academy