

Dear Parents

This letter has been sent home to inform you about your child's learning for **next week**.

In **Literacy**, we will be embarking on a new Big Writing adventure, trying to solve the mystery at the Red Café. We will be learning the features of a newspaper article, linking ideas together with adverbials, focusing on the structure of a text and matching form and organising to purpose.

In **Numeracy**, we will be trialing a new revision method strategy by using choice rooms. Each year 5 classroom will be revising a topic for two days. Each child can choose which topic they need extra practice with. This week the topics are: measuring, angles, multiplication, division, fractions and multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1000.

In **Science**, we will be investigating that when a liquid evaporates from a solution a solid is left behind. We will be predicting first and will then explain what is happening throughout the experiment.

Our **IPC**, we will be researching about different Myths and Legends focussing on our goal, finding out about aspects of the past from a range of sources. For the remainder of the week, with the research collected, children will be creating together a presentation about their Myth and presenting it to the class on Thursday.

In **ICT**, students will be using the app Sketch Up to continue creating their art galleries. They will learn how to add stairs in by watching a video and then recreating on theirs. They will also start to evaluate each other's and see how they can improve their gallery.

In **PSHE**, we will be focusing on Global Warming. We will be looking at how we can help the environment by investigating how plastic affects it and what we can do to reduce the amount of plastic we throw away.

For **Spellings**, students will receive their spelling lists every week and will be tested on the list on the same day, the following week. Please see student's timetables to see when they have spellings. Students will have 11 words to learn during the course of the week.

Notice & Reminders:

- Assessment week is week beginning 27 May
- Please remember to read at home and sign the Reading Journal.
- Please remember to learn the spellings and times tables and check which times table your child is completing, this is stuck at the front of the communication book.
- Please remember to wear the correct uniform for school.
- Please log onto Global Campus at home and explore.

Yours faithfully

Year 5 Team

Year 5 Home Learning Menu 17-05-18



Starters: Literacy



Write a letter to a friend.



Improve the letter by adding in parenthesis.



Try to change your letter into formal writing.



Give your letter to a friend and then respond to theirs.

Main Course – you **MUST** do these every week:

- Read for 15 minutes - 5 times per week
- Learning weekly spellings
- Times table practise
- 15 minutes on Mathletics/Reading Eggs – 3 times per week
- Numeracy – Abacus
- 1 x Literacy Activity Sheet
- Global Campus

- Everyone **must** finish the main course every week. Work must be completed in your Home Learning books and returned to school on Wednesday of each week.
- Everyone **must** attempt one, or both, of the project deserts. You will be asked to present your work to your teachers and peers.
- If you are feeling *extra* hungry, you can order from the starters. These will focus on a different subject each week. Each dish has a difficulty rating. The more chillies, the more *challenging* the task!
- Why not spend some time tackling some of the family side dishes. Time spent as a family is important and you can learn together whilst having fun.

Dessert: Project to be completed by 14 June!

- Use a skill that you have learned in Art this year, to create your own masterpiece.
- Make your own Numeracy board game.

Sides: Family Fun

- Help with dinner.
- Spend some quality time with your family.
- Play a game with your friends.