

Our PE this Half Term

This half term we are going to be studying Dance which will be on Fridays. The children will practice moving their bodies to a beat, creating shapes with their bodies, creating movement and even sequencing the movements within the theme of 'secret agents'.



Our Religious Education and World Views this Half Term



This half term we will be studying 'Justice', looking at different people's perspectives and points of view.



How can you help at home?

Reading - Please continue to read with your child 3 times a week and don't forget to make sure it is logged on Go Read. Remember to ask your child lots of questions while they are reading to check their understanding.

Maths - Please continue to **practice times tables** with your children. Although the children have collected many of their times table badges, it is important that they keep up their fluency in this area as it supports lot of other maths learning. Here are some QR codes with some great websites to help you practice!

Homework - Homework will continue to be set on a Tuesday and **due** by the following **Monday**.



Dates for your Diary



Mon 3rd March 2025 - Parents' Evening.

Wed 5th March 2025 - Parents' Evening.

Thurs 6th March 2025 - WORLD BOOK DAY.

Mon 10th March 2025 - River Trip.

Thurs 13th March 2025 - Shakespeare Workshop.

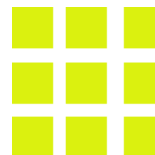
Thurs 27th March 2025 - Rock Kidz.

Thurs 3rd April 2025 - Ventnor Botanic Trip.

Fri 4th April 2025 - Early closing at 1.00pm

Mon 7th April - Friday 18th April 2025 - EASTER HOLIDAYS.

Mon 21st April 2025 - Bank Holiday.



Nine Acres Primary School Spring Term 2 2025

Year 5 Team

Mrs. Spencer



Miss Rowe



Miss Pitts



Mrs. Winter



Dear Families,

Our previous half term was incredible as we trained as spies whilst reading Alex Rider so we were ready for action.

This half term we have already enjoyed our school trip to London! This fits into our new English text 'The London Eye Mystery'.

We are starting our new spelling challenge especially created for Year 5. There are raffle tickets at stake when children get all their target spellings correct!

Please do come and talk to us before or after school if you have any questions.

With thanks,

The Year 5 Team.



Knowledge Organiser
'Striving for Excellence'



Year 5 Knowledge Organiser - Spring Term 2 2025

Science

This term we will be studying the topic of living things and their habitats. We will be learning about one of the 7 life processes: reproduction with a focus on life cycles. The children will make comparisons between the life cycles of mammals, amphibians, bird and insects. We will also explore some famous naturalists such as David Attenborough and Chris Packham!



Geography

- This term we will be studying 'Rivers and Biomes'
- We will be taking a field trip down to the River Medina, explore the route maps and then look at different biomes on the Isle of Wight and then around the world.



Music

This term we will be looking at composing our own music to the topic of Rivers and listening for the techniques used to create these effective sounds.

We will be broadening our use of musical instruments.



Our English this half term!

Our book this half term is '**The London Eye Mystery**,' which tells the story of how Ted investigates the mystery of how his cousin, Salim, seemingly vanishes from inside a sealed capsule on the [London Eye](#). We will get to know the main character Ted through our inference and deduction skills and use this knowledge to write a detailed character profile. We will be reporting on Salim's mysterious disappearance by scripting and performing our own TV news bulletins.



This term's exciting book!

Our Maths this half term!

To start this term we are developing our strategies to multiply and divide before moving onto studying decimals, percentages and fractions. We are looking at how they are all related and their equivalence. We then move on to perimeter and area of shapes!

