Our PE this Half Term

PE for Year 5 remains on Thursdays, and all children should come to school dressed in their Nine Acres PE Kit.



Our Religious Education and World Views this Half Term

This half term we will be exploring 'sacred places' with a particular focus on Islam and mosques. The children will look into what a mosque is like and what routines are put in place for Muslims that worship there.



How can you help at home?

Reading - Reading unlocks everything around your children - it is so important that children have an understanding of what they have read as well as being able to read individual words. To support, try asking your child to summarise what they have read independently. Our expectation is that pupils are to read at home at least three times a week and that these reads are recorded on the Go Read app.

<u>Maths</u> - Race your child to see who can answer multiplication facts quickest or try using problem solving questions to do with money (when shopping) or measurements (when cooking).

<u>Writing</u> - Ask your children the skills that they have been developing in Speedy SPaG (our daily routine) and encourage them to applies these in their English homework.

<u>Homework</u> - Homework will be set on a Tuesday and due in the following Tuesday. As always ,best presentation is expected.

Dates for your Diary

Mon 24th/Tues 25th/Wed 26th April 2023 - Edinburgh Class Sailing.

Mon 1st May 2023 - Bank Holiday - School closed to pupils.

Mon 8th May 2023 - Bank Holiday Coronation of King Charles III - School closed to pupils.

Mon 29th May - Fri 2nd June 2023 - HALF TERM.

Thurs 15th June 2023 - Summer Fair.

Friday 16th June 2023 - DEVELOPMENT DAY

Fri 30th June 2023 - KS2 Sports Day.

Week Commencing Mon 3rd July 2023 - Transition begins.

Thurs 20th July 2023 - Last day of Summer Term.

Thurs 20th July 2023 - Early closing at 1.00pm.

Friday 21st July 2023 - DEVELOPMENT DAY

Mon 24th July - Thurs 31st August 2023 - SUMMER HOLIDAYS.



Nine Acres Primary School Summer Term 1 2023 Year 5 Team











Dear Families.

Welcome back to the first summer term! We hope you enjoyed the two week break and made some wonderful memories as families. The Year 5 team are so excited to be back with the children to continue our learning. We know the children are particularly excited for our sailing adventures in the first two weeks!

We would also like to welcome Mrs White to our Year 5 team and we are sure she is going love her time in KS2.

As well as the days getting longer, the temperature is increasing, so please make sure children are bringing a refillable water bottle, sunhat and, when needed, sun cream has been applied before school.

With thanks, The Year 5 Team.

Knowledge Organiser



'Striving for Excellence'



Year 5 - Summer Term 1 2023 - Ancient Greeks

Important facts to know by the end of this topic:

Ancient Greece was not a country. It was made up of city states.

It is believed that the 12 most powerful gods lived on Mount Olympus.

	primary source	Information and objects that come from the time being studied.
	secondary source	Interpretations of information and objects which are produced after the time being studied.

Key Skills

- Ordering events in chronological order.
- Exploring artefacts and understanding primary and secondary sources.
- Making comparisons between two points in time.
- To compare the past and present in terms of the Olympic games.

Key Vocabulary

























Our English this half term!

This half term we aim to immerse the children into the unusual world of Aveline Jones. The children will begin their learning with a treasure hunt for quotes from the text to generate their excitement. Towards the end of the journey they will aim to write their own suspense stories in the style of the author (Phil Hicks).

Remember.... Someone is always watching...

Please ensure that your child is reading at least three times a week and this is logged in Go read. One of these can be an independent read.



This term's exciting book!



Our Maths this half term!

In Maths this half term we will be focusing on geometry. This includes:

Types of angles.

Properties of shapes.

Using a protractor.

Symmetry, translation and coordinates.

