Year 5

Miss Beech – 5A
Mr Salisbury/Mrs Savage – 5B
Miss Calderbank – 5C
Miss Rizvi – TA support

Communication

Subject overviews on school website

Half termly updates sent out

Weekly newsletters with trip information etc

Email inbox@.....with any queries – we will get back to you ASAP

Best time to chat with teachers (for little stuff) at the end of the day

Exit from the building

- 5B main playground
- 5A and 5C Owl Club entrance

Reminders

Water bottles in school everyday

Appropriate clothing for our weather

No treats, toys or snacks to be sent in for birthdays

RSE

- RSE units taught Summer 2
- Information including powerpoint, leaflets, FAQs to be sent out in March/April
- Parents will be invited to a workshop where year group plans and resources can be seen and
- discussed this information cannot be sent home
- Opt outs are 1 lesson only for years 4, 5 and 6

Expectations

We continue to have high expectations of our children's behaviour during lessons and their presentation in books.

Each class has agreed on their rights respecting charter which will underpin conversations regarding choices.

Flexible grouping

This year we are continuing with our flexible grouping approach to learning. This should minimise the amount of children moving classrooms but maximise support available during lessons. We endeavour to ensure that all children are with their class teacher for the majority of the day. Year 5 will meet regularly to discuss groupings and progress. This will only be for Maths sessions.

Indoor PE

5A – Friday PM

5B – Tuesday PM

5C – Friday PM

This will change every term.

Kit: Please ensure children wear their indoor PE kit on their class indoor PE day.

Carousel

Outdoor PE with Mr. Bentley will be on Wednesday morning, please send children in wearing their outdoor PE kit with suitable shoes and a coat.

The carousel will include PE, Art and Spanish. Music will be taught by class teachers during the week.

Irips

In Autumn term we have arranged a Year 5 trip to Quarry Bank Mill linking to our History topic Victorian Manchester.

In Spring, we will be visiting a local Gurdwara linking to our RE. Over the Spring term we will also be working with Mel Jordan from CHS on a Shakespeare production as well as having "Portals to the Past" visit us and facilitate a session on the Ancient Greeks.

In Summer, we are hoping to visit Stockport Air raid shelter linking with our WW2 topic. We will also have a transition day at CHS.

We also hope to facilitate a VR experience for the children.

Homework

Homework remains optional but we advise grown ups encourage participation.

We are continuing to encourage daily reading and we will be sending home book banded books where appropriate. All children will have a chance to borrow the Year 5 40 books and a reading journal.

Curriculum

For further information about the topics taught in Year 5, please refer to the school website.