



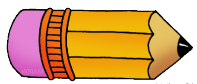
# *Connecting with Parents*



Primary 5

May / June

## Classwork



In Primary Five our work is now presented in topic form to tie all areas of learning together as much as possible.

This leaflet outlines what we will be covering in **May / June** in Numeracy and Literacy and through the theme of **People and Places** so that home learning can be organised to support your child if you wish.

**Please Note:** - *Not all aspects of each subject are included in this document and all children work at different levels of ability.*

**Numeracy—Number** - Continual work on adding, subtraction, take away and multiplying. Number facts recall essential. Fractions, mixed numbers, decimals, function machines.

**Data Handling** - pie charts, tree diagrams, venn diagrams, carroll diagrams



**Measure—** Time plus revision of key areas throughout the year. (L/ml, Kg/g, cm/M etc). Revision of all measurement facts

**Shape and Space:** Area, perimeter, volume, symmetry.

### **Literacy**

**Sentence Work—** statement and questions.

**Grammar** - all areas of punctuation. From capitals and full stops to commas and speech marks.



**Sounds—** continuing our phonics work week by week. Daily and home activities.

**Shared Reading—** Reports, Flow charts, instructions, poetry, descriptive language.

**Children will have access to Home Reads. They are picked independently and we encourage you to read with your child when possible.**



## World Around Us

**History**—comparing and contrasting life in Early Times, Egyptian farming, housing and cooking. The life of JB Dunlop.

**Geography**— Developed and the Developing World. Including a study of India.

**Science**— Balanced diet, food groups, hygiene, exercise, avoidance of harmful substances.



## Personal Development and Mutual Understanding

PDMU this term will involve the pupils looking at 'Feelings' AND 'Staying Safe and Healthy'. They shall go through lessons that involve recognising different feelings and emotions and understand why we need to manage them in a positive way. They will also look at recognising what makes a healthy lifestyle.

## Thinking Skills and Personal Capabilities

TSPC is a cross—curricular aspect of the primary curriculum. Through numeracy, literacy and other areas of the curriculum



the pupils will more confident in social and interpersonal situations. They will experience different roles in group situations and take responsibility for a range of tasks.

They will work with peers to reach agreements and begin to manage disagreements.



U.I.C.T.—Programming using Blackcat Logo on our PC's and Hopscotch on the ipads.

### Other Information

- Early Morning Club begins at 8am.
- All homework must be checked and signed.
- Dinners are £2.60.
- Swimming continues at £2.00 per swim .
  - Please ensure you return all forms which require a signature promptly.
  - School closed Monday 7th May; Thursday 24th, Friday 25th and Monday 28th May
  - School will finish on Thursday 29th June at 12:15pm.
  - School telephone number: 91814325



**Please feel free to contact Mrs Ward or Mr Adams for more advice on how to support your child at home**

