

Welcome
Year 5 - Picasso

Miss Chennell - Clarke

Miss Moody

Staff

- ❑ Teacher - Miss Chennell – Clarke
- ❑ Teaching assistant – Miss Moody

❑ Also...

Tuesday Morning – Mr Bethune

Thursday Afternoon – Miss Moody and Mrs
Dix

Timetable

- ☐ Music

Monday afternoon – Ukelale

- ☐ P.E.

Tuesday morning – Outdoor (Mr Bethune)

Wednesday afternoon – Outdoor (Miss Chennell - Clarke)

- ☐ Forest school

Starting next Autumn term! – Thursday afternoon

- ☐ Celebration assembly

Friday morning - 9am

Please note: Timetable will be available on our website

What will we be learning this term?

The new national curriculum:

- P.E. – Gymnastics, invasion games, net games
- Science – properties and changes of materials
- Computing – data matters
- French – food and drink
- Art - Paint and textiles
- PSHE – New Beginnings, Getting on and Falling Out
- RE – Christianity and Judaism
- History – WW2
- Geography – How climate change is affecting the world

What will we be English learning this term?

- Following 2014 National Curriculum for Year 5
- Increased emphasis on grammar and spelling
- Handwriting

This term:

- Poetry
- Biographies (Anne Frank)
- Traditional Tales (Just So Stories)

What will we be Maths **learning this term?**

Raised expectations, particularly in fluency within arithmetic

- Number/Place value/Rounding
- Addition/Subtraction
- Multiplication/Division
- Fractions
- Measures
- Geometry (shape, position & direction)

Home Learning

- This could reflect any curriculum area depending on class work.
- Love reading!!!
- Repetition of times tables

- Maths homework given on a Friday (marked in class the following Wednesday to address misconceptions)
- Help at home – Help children with the key recall facts – number bonds, times tables. Practice and play games to support. Sheets to support you in the pack.

Spellings

- Spellings will be given out on a Monday
- Books can be taken home in order to practice

Equipment needed in school

Indoor shoes – clearly named plimsolls to wear indoors

PE Kit

Westfield PE shirt/sweatshirt

Dark shorts

Tracksuit bottoms (winter only)

Suitable PE shoes (trainers) in school all the time if possible – along with socks!

Daily mile and Skip-to-be-fit when we have the opportunity so we must be prepared

Anything else needed?

- Water bottle
- A bag
- Age appropriate book every day
- Mobile phones (optional)

Phones must be given to the teacher in the morning. They are then sent to the office for safe keeping and are returned at the end of the day.

Pencil cases and contents will be provided so keep any other stationary at home.

Keeping everybody safe

If your child is walking to and from school independently, we ask that you regularly remind him or her of road safety rules and ensure that they cross with the lollypop lady or use the traffic lights.

We also ask that you support us in reinforcing the dangers of using a mobile phone while walking near a road.

Children will be dismissed at 3.20p.m. from the classroom door on to the playground

Internet Safety / Social Media

Dates

(these will be on the newsletter and available on our website)

- Trip to Lincolnsfield – Wednesday 18th September
- Tempest Photography (Individual Photos) – Monday 23rd September
- Emotional Health & Wellbeing Talk by Dick Moore – Monday 23rd September 7pm
- Flu Vaccinations – Thursday 17th October
- Parents Evening – Tuesday 22nd and Wednesday 23rd October
- Half-Term – Monday 28th October to Friday 1st November
- Year 5 Assembly – Friday 8th November 9am
- INSET Day – School Closed – Friday 29th November

Thank – you!

- ❑ Encourage your child to share any concerns with a member of staff as soon as possible.

- ❑ Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any concerns, queries or worries.
- ❑ Please use the pink slip system or catch me at the end of the day (even if your child walks home alone). We would rather know sooner rather than later!!
- ❑ THANK YOU for supporting your child. It really does

make a difference!