



Year 5/6 Autumn Term



Who Likes To Party?

Welcome to the autumn term in Year 5/6. We are very excited to be back and are looking forward to another fantastic year. In line with the final 2017 City of Culture season 'Tell the World', children will be learning about festivals and celebrations from around the world. How does Hull, as a diverse and vibrant city, embrace and celebrate different cultures? *'Who likes to Party?'* is centred around the traditional Mexican festival - The Day of the Dead. In addition, children will explore local, national, international and religious festivals and celebrations.

Key dates:

- 19th September – Happy Puzzle Company Sale
- 23rd /24th October – Open Evening – 3:30 – 6:00pm
- 24th October – Children's individual photographs
- 27th October – Half Term
- 6th November – Children return
- 17th November - Children in Need
- 28th November – Christmas Fair
- 19th December – School Disco

Clubs:

- Homework catch up – Monday lunch times. Open to all Year 6 children.
- Rugby Club – Tuesday afterschool with Mr Morgan. Open to all Y5/6.
- Athletics Club – Thursday afterschool with Coach Sonia.
- Cycling – Friday afterschool with Mr. Morgan. Open to Y5/6 children who have achieved Bike ability level 1, 2 or 3.
- STEM Club – Tuesday after school with Mrs O'Loughlin
- Craft Club – Tuesday after school with Miss Stainton.

General:

- We would like to wish a warm welcome to our New Year 5 teacher, Miss Jeffrey. We would also like to welcome Miss Stainton who has moved from Year 3 to teach in Year 6.
- In reading this term, children will be studying *The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas* by John Boyne. This is a new text to Year 5/6 and we are all eager to start this fantastic novel.
- In PE, Year 5 will be working with Tigers Trust on invasion games and Year 6 will undergo Rugby coaching following our exciting new partnership with Hull FC.
- Please ensure that your child is wearing the correct uniform for school, including appropriate indoor shoes.
- A reminder that PE kit is white t-shirt, black shorts and trainers. Your child may also bring a tracksuit top and bottoms (or similar) for outdoor activities during poor weather.