



## Year 5 & 6 Autumn Term



Welcome to the Autumn term in Year 5/6. The children in Year 5 will be exploring the question, 'Who were the Greeks?' and Year 6 will be exploring the question, 'Who were the Maya?'. It is a fantastic learning opportunity for children to delve back in history and learn about these two ancient civilisations.

### Key Dates for your diary:

- 16<sup>th</sup> September 2025 (3:30pm) - Edinburgh trip meeting for parents (more information to follow)  
29<sup>th</sup> September 2025 (2:30pm) - Parents invited into school to 'stay and read' (more information to follow)  
8<sup>th</sup>- 9<sup>th</sup> October 2025 - Year 5 Mrs Porteous Edinburgh Trip  
13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> October 2025 - Parents' Evenings  
22<sup>nd</sup> October 2025 - KS2 Halloween Disco (after school)  
24<sup>th</sup> October 2025 - Break off for Half Term  
3<sup>rd</sup> November 2025 - Return to school  
W/C 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2025 - Year 5 Bikeability (more information to follow)  
14<sup>th</sup> November 2025 - Children In Need  
26<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> November 2025 - Year 6 Residential  
26<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup> November 2025 - Miss Hull Edinburgh Trip  
1<sup>st</sup> December 2025 - Christmas Fair  
12<sup>th</sup> December 2025 - Christmas Jumper/Dinner day  
19<sup>th</sup> December 2025 - Break off for Christmas  
5<sup>th</sup> January 2025 - Staff Training Day (School closed for pupils)  
6<sup>th</sup> January 2025 - Pupils return to school

### General:

- Please ensure that your child is wearing the correct uniform for school which consists of black/grey trousers or skirts, Grey/Black pinafore dresses, blue and white/green and white summer dresses, navy blue/white polo t-shirts and a jumper in the correct school colours. No tracksuit bottoms or sports shorts (including Nike Pro shorts) should be worn as uniform.
- **Please ensure that your child's name is written in all clothing brought to school.**
- Year 5/6 PE is on a **Thursday afternoon** and your child must come to school wearing their PE kit— they will remain in this all day. A reminder that PE kit is a plain white t-shirt, or the white t-shirt embroidered with our school logo, black shorts and trainers (no Crocs). Your child should also bring a tracksuit top and bottoms (or similar) for outdoor activities during cooler months.
- Children may also come in their PE kit if they are attending an after-school sports club.
- All uniform items embroidered with our school logo can be purchased from [www.X3Ltd.com](http://www.X3Ltd.com)
- The school uniform policy states that **only one pair of stud earrings can be worn**, these must be removed or taped for PE sessions. Your child may also wear a watch. No other jewellery is permitted in school.
- Reading records will be sent out and checked on a weekly basis. We aim for every child to read frequently both at home and in school. Your child should complete 3 reads at home each week. Your child can also access their TT Rockstars accounts at home to give them extra times tables practice. You do not need to buy this app as it can be accessed directly from the internet.

**Thank you for your continued support.**

