## Year 5 Summer Term Newsletter

Dear Parent (s)/Carer(s),

Welcome back to school after the well-deserved Easter break. I hope the class are well rested and are looking forward to a busy and productive term ahead.

## Spring Term Curriculum

English	Year 5 are starting the term by completing a narrative writing unit. The class will later be
	looking at other text types such as non-chronological reports.
Maths	Year 5 will start the term by looking at Geometry including angles and shapes. In the
	following weeks the class will move on to understanding measure and time.
RE	After reflecting on the messages of the Easter and Pentecost, Year 5 will learn about the
	importance of Baptism, Marriage and Holy Orders.
PE	On Tuesdays, Year 5 will be taking part in Athletics in the first half of term and Rounders in
	the second. Thursday's PE lessons will be taught by Mr Youson- American Football in the first
	half of the term and Cricket in the second.
Geography	In Geography lessons, the children are working to build an understanding of Mountains
	including how they are formed.
History	Year 5 will study the history of Coventry this term.
Art	Year 5 will be taught Art by Miss Quinn. This term's topics include ?
Design and	This term, Year 5 will be working within the Forest School area to learn how to build a shelter.
Technology	
Science	In Science lessons, Year 5 will begin looking at Forces. After half term, the class will be
	investigating Earth and Space.
Languages	After half term, Year 5 will be looking at some basic Spanish sentences.

## **Homework**

Homework tasks consist of spelling, SPaG, times tables challenges and reading. Your child will receive 5 spellings each week to practise at home. They will be given these on a Monday and tested the following Monday. Times table sheets are handed out on a Monday and are due in the following Monday. Alongside this, children should be using Times Table Rockstars to practise their times table speed and accuracy. The class will also receive SPaG activities on spag.com that they must complete. The expectation for Year 5 is that they read for a minimum of 15 minutes 5 times a week and at least one of these with an adult at home. Children can fill in their own record. I ask that you sign their record each week to confirm that what is recorded is a true record. Please ensure that this reading record is brought into school so that it can be checked and new books can be issued if required.

Many thanks, Ms Aimee Piercy (aimee.piercy@allsoulsschool.co.uk)

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