



Welcome to Year 5

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are really looking forward to an exciting and productive year. We have lots of fun-filled, fascinating learning ahead and cannot wait to get started! Below is important information about the forthcoming year.

P.E

P.E will be taught on a Wednesday morning for 5D with Mr Dovey and on a Friday morning for 5H with Mr Hand. Children will need to come to school in their kit ready for their lesson in the morning. Please ensure a full and correct uniform is then brought into school for them to get change into afterwards. If children do not have the correct uniform then this will be provided e.g. no school shoes – pumps will be given. Girls will need to remember to wear socks – not tights – for P.E. Earrings and watches need to be removed. Children **must** remove their own earrings.

Swimming

This year, swimming will be taught in the Summer term in the 'pop-up pool' taught by swimming instructors and assisted by lifeguards. More information relating to swimming will be shared closer to the children starting their swimming lessons.

Home Learning

Home learning will be given out every Thursday and should be returned on Tuesday. Home learning will range from activities set in CGP books, Google Classroom and paper tasks.

Reading

Your child's home-reader will be sent home with your child every day. It is expected that your child is heard read every day, in order for them to develop their fluency, understanding and comprehension. Hearing your child read and asking them questions about their reading for a few minutes every day will help them to become good readers – an important life skill.

Please do not hesitate to speak to a member of the Year 5 team with any questions you have either on the door or by emailing us at year5@woodlands.walsall.sch.uk

Thank you for your support and co-operation.

Yours faithfully,

The Year 5 Team

Mrs Day, Mr Hand, Mrs Clift

