

April 2024

YEAR 5 INFORMATION LETTER – SUMMER 1 2024

Staff

Rashida Khanam	Year Group Manager and 5C Class Teacher
Sharmin Begum	5I Class Teacher
Habib Rahman	5E Class Teacher
Emma Young	UKS2 Assistant Principal/ Planning and Preparation Cover Teacher
Roy Mifsud	Classroom Support Staff
Sheli Begum	SEND Support Staff

Physical Education

Your child will be having P.E. on the following days:

5I - Thursday	5C - Thursday	5E - Monday
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If your child does not have the appropriate P.E. kit/uniform, then you will be telephoned and you will be required to bring this into school.

Homework and Reading

Every week, all pupils across the school will get the following:

- 1) Weekly spelling words to learn.** Please help your child learn to spell their words in whatever way you like.
- 2) Multiplication tables practice/ basic number bonds.** Pupils will be given set multiplications/number bonds to learn at home. KS2 will also continue to have access to the online 'Times Table Rockstar' programme.
- 3) Question to discuss.** Every week, we will be giving the pupils a question to discuss with their families. This will be based on what they have been learning in class, or will look forward to future learning. There is no expectation that pupils write anything or bring anything back to school, but they are more than welcome to make notes or present their work if they wish!
- 4) Reading.** We still expect pupils to read at home every night for at least 20 minutes but we will no longer be asking for this to be recorded in reading logs. Pupils will be bringing books home from their class library. Please continue to read with your child,

or listen to them read and to ask questions about what they have read.

Swimming

Year 5 swimming lessons are on every **Wednesday**. Please ensure your child has the **appropriate** swimwear for the lesson. Any questions, please speak to your child's class teacher.

Upcoming dates:

- 1st day back of Summer Term - non uniform day 15th April
- Bow School Sports Taster Session (5!) - Monday 15th April
- SRE Parent Workshop - Tuesday 23rd April (information letter to be sent out at a later date)
- Geobus in-school workshop (as part of UCL university) - Thursday 2nd May
- May day bank holiday 6th May 2024
- Gurdwara visit - Week beginning 13th May (specific dates to be confirmed)
- Last day of half term 24th May 2024

Yours faithfully,

The Year 5 Team