This term, Mrs Chavasse will be leading all aspects of English and Maths. Mrs Hynes will teach Science, Humanities, RE, RSE and Music on Tuesday afternoons and all day Thursday.

Mrs Gradalska will be with us until half term when she will leave to have her baby. We all wish her well.

Our trainee teachers, Miss Hoy & Miss Russell will be back for two weeks in May to help us with our learn- ing.

# Useful Information

PE

MONDAY AFTERNOON &
THURSDAY MORNING. CHILDREN
NEED TO COME TO SCHOOL IN PE
KIT AND WILL WEAR IT ALL DAY.
THERE WILL BE ADDITIONAL
SWIMMING LESSONS FOR SOME
CHILDREN. THESE WILL BE
NOTIFIED IN DUE COURSE
HALF TERM
W/C 30TH MAY
RETURN ON TUESDAY 7TH JUNE
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#### Homework

Homework is detailed on Google Classroom and a printed version has also been sent home.

I have sent home a printed overview of spellings and will continue to send individual lists each week. These can also be found on Google Classroom.

Homework tasks are to be completed on IXL, for which the children have their own personal login. I have left a week spare each half term to give them chance to catch up if they fall behind for any reason.

It is vital that children are reading for a minimum of 30 minutes each day.

Thank you for your support ensuring



# KINGFISHER CLASS NEWSLETTER SUMMER TERM 2022

# I can't believe it's the Summer Term already!

I hope you all had a restful Easter break and are ready for the last term of Kingfishers. We will be working as hard as ever to complete the requirements of the Year 5 curriculum with lots of fun opportunities thrown in.

As you may already be aware, I will be leaving Our Lady's at the end of the Summer Term, so would like to thank you for your support over the course of the year (and for some of you, over many years). Your children are a credit to you every day and I am very proud of them.

I hope we can all make the most of our last term together, work hard and enjoy some sunshine and rewards.

With best wishes

Mrs Chavasse

# Subjects this term:

#### Maths

This term we will finish multiplication and division before continuing with the Power Maths programme. Please ensure maths homework tasks are completed to help consolidate in class learning.

## **English**

We have an exciting new text about first people to conquer Everest, the tallest mountain in the whole world. There will be lots of writing

opportunities in this topic styled sequence.

#### Science

Our Summer Term will complete the remaining aspects of the Year 5 curriculum with a whole day of science in June and additional top up sessions to add to the fun!

#### RE

The summer term begins with learning about Pentecost. The RE curriculum will be taught by Mrs Hynes using the Come and See programme.

# Geography

This term we will be extending our Geography skills with Mrs Hynes by learning about Rivers.

#### PE

All PE lessons will continue to be taught by our specialist sports coaches. Miss Sloman. The Summer Term begins with cricket and tennis before preparing for Sports Day! We also have a Cricket Festival to attend!

#### **RSE**

This programme will continue to be taught by Mrs Hynes and focuses on relationships this term.

### Computing

Technology continues to support our learning and this term we will use our Chrome Books for research and recording information in a variety of formats. We will also have opportunities to programme.

#### Music

Children will continue to have music lessons with Mrs Hynes and are now able to enjoy singing in Hymn Practices and Assemblies, now Covid restrictions have been lifted.

#### Art



Art will usually be each Friday afternoon as we all enjoy this creative end to the week! We will finish our textile project with Mrs Chavasse before moving on to sculpture. There will be additional opportunities for art in other subjects too.