

Kingfisher Class

Spring Term 2023



Welcome to Kingfisher Class! We would like to welcome everyone back to school after the Christmas break. We hope everyone is feeling rested and ready to start their second term in Year 5.

In English, we are exploring *Wallace and Gromit: Cracking Contraptions* (Haynes Manual). Children will devise and write about a cracking contraption to create a class Haynes Manual.

The children will also be developing their reading strategies and understanding of a text.

In Maths this term, we will start our Multiplication Power Maths unit. We will also have daily number sessions focusing on times tables and weekly arithmetic tests.

We will be kicking off our Topic work with Geography and the *Marvelous Maps* unit.

As scientists we will start the new year by exploring Space. We will work scientifically, carrying out investigations.

In RE, we will be exploring our community, the Eucharist and Lent/Easter.

PE

Kingfisher Class have PE on a Monday and Friday. Please send your children to school wearing their PE kits on these days.

Homework will consist of, reading, practising spellings, completing tasks on an online platform called IXL and accessing Times Table Rock Stars to practise times tables.

Passwords and spellings can be found in your child's learning log. Please let us know if you have any questions.

We are so excited to teach your children and support them through this stage of their journey. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us through Class Dojo. Thank you for your support.