

**Newsletter**

Teacher:

Miss. Lowham (Monday-Tuesday)

Mrs. Hughes (Wednesday-Friday)

**Primary Five**



**Welcome back!**

We hope you had a lovely Christmas break. We are excited for the term ahead and hope the pupils are too!

**Behaviour System**In P5, children are rewarded for good behaviour through an interactive points system called Dojo. They receive points for displaying positive behaviour choices and can use them for a variety of treats or privileges.

We have whole school assemblies each Friday, to celebrate success and excellent behaviour. Children who work well in class may be awarded ‘Star of the Week!’.

**Physical Education**

This term, the pupils will have PE lessons on Mondays and Fridays. Your child can wear their PE kit (shorts/tracksuit bottoms and red t-shirt) on those days. All clothing should be clearly labelled with your child’s name.

Children will have the opportunity to attend swimming lessons, starting on the 6th of February for seven weeks. They should wear their PE kits for those days also.

**Homework**

Homework activities are set on Seesaw. Your child should spend no more than thirty minutes completing their homework each night and this should include ten minutes reading with your child. Reading books will be given out on Mondays and should be returned on Fridays. Every child will be given a green book to use for homework tasks, this book should be brought into school daily.

Curriculum

Literacy –

* Spellings - Weekly Phonics
* Writing – Poetry
* Reading – Guided Reading sessions with small groups.

Numeracy -

* Mental strategies
* Problem solving
* Shape
* Multiplication
* Division



Topic –

* Natural Disasters