

# Welcome to Class 5



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We are looking forward to an exciting learning journey this year. The children are all keen to explore class 5's exciting topics.



## English

They will be planning, drafting, evaluating, editing and proof-reading their work. Creating descriptions that 'engage the reader', improving spellings and ensuring their punctuation is correct; using and understanding grammatical terminology accurately and appropriately in their writing and reading.

## Maths

We have some great mathematicians in this class. They need to be confident enough to use all four operations to solve problems; read and write decimal numbers as fractions; recognise prime numbers, and use square, cube numbers and their symbols. Realising the importance of brackets in calculations and developing their reasoning skills further.

## Science

This year we have begun by exploring the topic of Space.

The aim is to give children an overview of Earth and its place in our Solar System. This topic should be of particular interest to the children as we discover how much more scientists are discovering about possible habitable planets and how unique Life on Earth is.



## Reading

We will be applying our growing knowledge of root words, prefixes and suffixes (morphology and etymology), both to read aloud and to understand the meaning of new words that we meet.

We particularly will be focusing on improving the children's deduction and inference skills. Reading is extremely important for our Class.

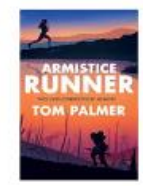
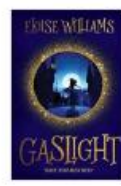
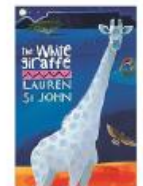
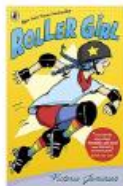
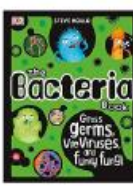
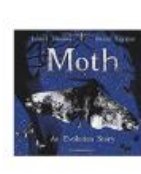
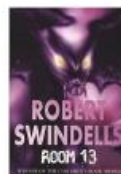
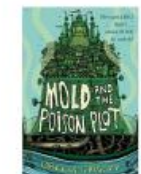
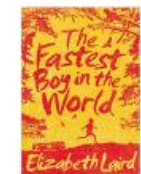
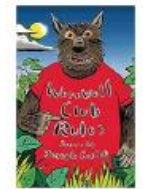
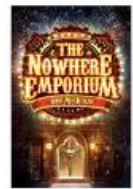
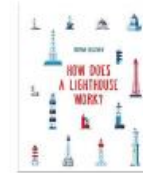
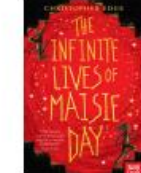
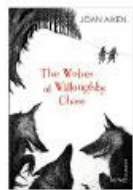
It enriches our imagination and helps us to write more descriptive stories.



# 50 Recommended Reads for...

# Year 5

Books for Topics



For more primary school book lists, visit [booksfortopics.com](http://booksfortopics.com)

Geography: We will be comparing the village of St Margaret's at Cliffe with Dover town and its surrounding geography.

History: Who was Edward the Confessor?

Design Technology: Designing and preparing a balanced airline meal.

Art: We will be learning how to develop our sketching. We will be focusing on creating shadow effects to create three dimensional pictures.

RE: We will be focusing on Christianity themes. We will begin by exploring the question:

Why do some people believe God exists?

Computing: How can we ensure we use the internet safely and respectfully?

# P.E

Our PE sessions will be on Monday afternoons and Thursday mornings. We will be developing our skills in Football and Basketball.

Children should have suitable PE shoes in school for these days. They may wear trainers or plimsolls.





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## Marble Jar Rewards:

Caring and responsible choices are rewarded by extra marbles being added to our class Marble Jar. When the jar is full the children can choose their reward.

## Bubble time:

We will be using our Bubble sessions to share our worries and solve any class or playground stresses.

Thank you so much for helping supporting your child's learning with us.

Mr Oliver

# Class 5 Classroom

