

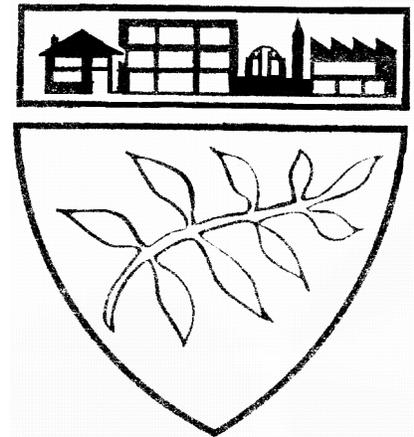
Changes:

If there are any changes to circumstances which you feel may affect your child in school please advise us so we can be more receptive to their needs.

We hope this helps you.

Many thanks

Mrs Somiah, Miss Kiernan & Mrs Judge



Welcome to
Year 5
2020-2021

Welcome to Year 5. In order to give you as much help as possible to support your child, here is a guide to the way we work in Year 5.

Curriculum:

In addition to the daily Literacy and Numeracy lessons we will be covering a range of topic areas. This will appear termly in the Ashtree newsletter. It may help you to make a note of this so that you can discuss the topic areas with your child.

Homework:

Is set on a Wednesday and is due in the following Wednesday (every other week). It will either be based on a wider curriculum subject (this will take no more than half an hour to complete) or as research for a new project for a new term. Every week the children will do work related to spellings and times tables, this will usually involve a test. Regular reading at home is appreciated with signed comments in the green reading record—Remember to encourage your child to be a 'Reading Champion' and to read 4 times a week.

PE:

PE is on a Tuesday, both an indoor and outdoor PE kit with trainers, is required in school all week please. Long hair should be tied back and earrings either removed or covered by your child.

Uniform:

Please keep to our published dress code with all items, including plimsolls or specific indoor shoes, named.

Holidays:

Holidays are not authorised during term time. Leave of absence for exceptional circumstances can be requested via a form from the school office.

Computing:

In order for your child to use the internet please ensure both you and your child have signed the internet user agreement form which is available from the office.

Behaviour Policy:

We have high expectations of all our children. Our policy is available to all parents. This is a whole school policy to enable us to deal with all issues fairly.

Communication:

If you have any concerns or queries we are happy to discuss them. Please come and speak to the class teacher and we can together decide the appropriate actions or we can refer you to a more senior member of staff. If you wish to make an appointment we are available after school, when we can give more time to discuss an issue rather than mornings when we are very busy.