



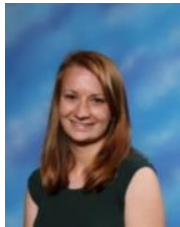
Bandon Hill Primary School

Welcome to Year 5!

Teachers



Mr Short - Ashby Class & Year Group Lead



Miss Hatchett and Miss Bann - Arrow Class

(Miss Hatchett - Tuesday and Friday, Miss Bann - Monday, Wednesday and Thursday)



Miss Ross-Dreher - Tamar Class



Mrs Cutler - Trent Class

Drop off and end of the day

The school day will start for Year 5 between 8:30 - 8:40 and they will need to come in via the Beddington Gardens entrance (The Field).

Pick up for Year 5 is between 2:50 - 3:00, also via the Beddington Gardens entrance (The Field).



Topics

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Pharaohs, Tombs and Mummies	Planetary Pioneers	Critters	The Mystery on Sorcerer's Shores	Six	Scream if you want to go faster!

Curriculum

Maths in Year 5:

Children will be taught 5 hours of English a week (equal to an hour a day).

We will complete fluency tasks within the week in addition to maths lessons.

English in Year 5:

Children will be taught 5 hours of English a week (equal to an hour a day).

Writing will be on a two week cycle to fully immerse into the genre and, when possible, will be cross curricular to encompass the Topic we are covering at that time.

PE Lessons

PE lessons will take place on the following days:

Ashby - Tuesday and Thursday

Arrow - Tuesday and Wednesday

Tamar - Wednesday and Friday

Trent - Tuesday and Thursday



Please remember that children should be wearing their PE to school on the days they have PE. Children should have trainers for PE lessons.

Home Learning

As in previous years, children should be focusing on their key skills (reading, spelling and times tables) at home as homework.

All children should have 3 reading signatures from an adult in their contact book each week, if a child does not have these signatures they will receive a Blue Mark.

Spellings will be sent home weekly and children are expected to practice these in preparation for their weekly spelling tests.

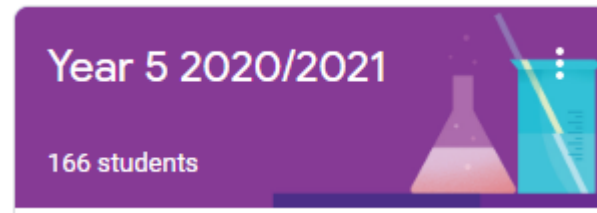
Google Classroom

We will continue to use Google Classroom as a helpful tool to support your child's learning. Each half term we will upload a range of activities your child can access if they would like to including revision tools, puzzles and more...

- Weekly spellings and the Word of the Week will be uploaded for your child to access.
- Optional Maths and English tasks will be uploaded every Friday.
- We will provide links and extra information to topics we are learning and writing about.

Google Classroom logins will be sent out again in the first week of term.

Please let the school office know if you are unable to access Google Classroom at home.

The Google Classroom logo, featuring the word "Google" in its multi-colored font followed by "Classroom" in a blue sans-serif font.

Online learning at home

We encourage children to access the following resources at home to support them with their learning:

- Times Table Rockstars
- Linguascope
- Pixl Vocabulary App
- Google Classroom (more info on the next slide)

If you have any queries or questions about things you can be doing at home then please either put a note in your child's contact book or send an email via the school.

Keep an eye out for any additional online resources which may be communicated with you in the future.



Stationery

At the start of the year, each child will be given a stationery pack including:

- Pencil
- Pencil Rubber
- Ruler
- Whiteboard
- Whiteboard Rubber
- Whiteboard Pen
- Green editing pen



Children are expected to look after these items and have each of these things in school every day. They should remain in school and not go home.

Pupils with a pen licence should also have a blue handwriting pen with them.

Children may bring in their own pencil cases to school if they so wish but are responsible for these and the items in there themselves.

Other important information/requests

Children should have a reading book with them every day at school - this does not have to be a book that has been taken from school, reading books can be books from home if children wish.

Children are asked to bring in old shirts to wear as art/paint shirts to protect school uniform when we are completing art lessons.

Please keep an eye out for the newsletter which will be sent out every Friday and will include important announcements and dates.

Communicating with your child's teacher

Please note, due to social distancing requirements, teachers are unable to have face to face discussions with parents/carers.

If you need to communicate with your child's teacher you are required to either send a note in your child's contact book or contact us through the school office via:

Phone: +44 (0)20 8619 1120

Office Email: woodfield@bandonhill.sutton.sch.uk