



Friday 18th September 2020

Dear Year 5 parents and carers,

We have had a busy two weeks settling the children into their daily routines; they are adapting well to the changing environment.

PE days

5C - Thursday and Friday

5H - Tuesday and Thursday

Please can you make sure that your child has the correct PE kits - no bright colours, abrasive logos or football kits.

Equipment for school

All children need to have a water bottle in school daily in order to keep hydrated. We would also like to remind you that they each need a pencil-case containing: pencil, coloured pencils, glue stick, scissors, ruler (30cm).

Reading texts

Our class reading book for our topic is *The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe* by C.S. Lewis - if you have a copy please can your child bring it in to read along with the class.

Over the past two weeks we have been reading the book *Here We are* by Oliver Jeffers and doing a lot of activities based on it; such as looking at the world around us in the style of David Attenborough. It has been a wonderful experience getting to know each other and ourselves.

Black History Month

We are looking forward to celebrating Black History Month at school in October. Our main focus will be on two aspects of British Black History - the Bristol Bus Boycott and the history of the Notting Hill Festival. If any of our families have any particular connection of information of relevance to these events, we would love to hear from you.

Homework

We are now doing all homework virtually. Last week children were given logins for Google Classroom and their first piece of homework. We want to thank you for the great work that we have already received. Please check your child's bag for any lost letters.

Contacting us

Please use the class email addresses for non-urgent messages. If a query needs an answer within 24 hours please contact the school office.

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From the Year 5 team