

## Year 5 - Autumn Events

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> September**

Holt Hall Survival trip

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September**

Individual Photographs

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> & Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> October**

Year 5 Parent - Teacher Consultations

**Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November, Children in Need**

Non-Uniform, £1

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December**

Christmas school disco

### Homework

In Year 5 children are expected to spend 2 hours a week on homework tasks. This will consist of 30 minutes Maths and 30 minutes English/Spellings every week. English and Maths homework will be given out on a Friday with Maths handed in on a Tuesday and Literacy on a Wednesday.

The other hour of homework should be made up by reading 10-15 minutes 5 times a week. Home reading should be recorded in children's reading records and signed. Reading records will be expected in on a Monday. In addition, once a fortnight children will be given a 'talk homework'. This will be a topic to briefly discuss at home in preparation for a writing task the following day.

We welcome your support in ensuring that homework is completed and handed in at the appropriate time.

### Weekly Reminders

<b>Monday</b>	Dinner money Reading Record in (5SB/5RE) P.E. Kit (RE) School Library Books (SB)
<b>Tuesday</b>	Maths Homework in P.E. Kit (RE/SB)
<b>Wednesday</b>	English Homework in Art Apron (RE/SB)
<b>Thursday</b>	School Library Books (RE) P.E. Kit (SB) Talk Homework (fortnightly)
<b>Friday</b>	English / Maths Homework set

# Cross-Curriculum Overview

## Autumn 2014

### Year 5

Our curriculum has been designed to meet the requirements of the new National Curriculum (2014) whilst providing rich, meaningful and exciting learning opportunities for all children. Our aim is that our curriculum will inspire all children to develop a lifelong passion for learning.



### Autumn Term

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> September - Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December**

### Half Term

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October - Friday 31<sup>st</sup> October**

## ENGLISH



Class novel – 'Maroo of the Winter Caves'. Linked to our topic for this term. Reading and writing for a variety of purposes.

## FRENCH



Greetings, introducing yourself, classroom objects.



## GEOGRAPHY/ HISTORY

Settlements – looking at and comparing physical and human characteristics prehistoric/now. Changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age.

## MATHS



Number, space, shape, Fractions, data handling, Word Problems, X-Tables, Mental Strategies, Investigations.

## SCIENCE



**Properties and Changes of Materials** - Looking at properties of different materials, states of matter and separating substances.

## PSHE - RE



PSHE New Beginnings, say no to bullying, getting on/falling out.  
**RE** – Sikhism. Practices and ways of life. Comparing different ways Sikhs put their religion into practice.  
**Black History**

# Year 5 Autumn Term

# Stones & Bones

## PE



**Games:** Invasion Games (football and netball)  
**Swimming**  
**P.E:** Dance



## MUSIC -

Curriculum links to Hunter Gatherers  
**Pulse and Rhythm** - Combining different instruments and sounds to create rhythm, creating tribal music.  
**Rounds** - Beginning to look at CASMA  
After half term – performance skills; visit to local care home.

## ART & DT



**Cave Art/Weaving**  
Studying and recreating prehistoric art in a variety of forms.

## COMPUTING



**Coding with Espresso**