

Year 5 Summer Term 2024

Maple Primary School

Welcome back from the Year 5 team!

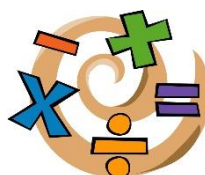


We hope you have had a lovely Easter break and that you are ready to go for the Summer Term! We are looking forward to some warmer weather, and the opportunity for learning outside of the classroom. We have our class assembly to look forward to this half term, as well as the exciting opportunity of going to Gilwell Park towards the end of the year. We hope you find these few reminders and insights into the term ahead useful.

Main topics for this term

Maths:

This term, we will be finishing off some units of work from the Spring Herts Essential Maths Plans, as well as diving deep into the Summer Term topics. We will also be continuing our weekly timetables practice on a Friday morning. Please see the Summer Term overview below.



Key Term Dates

10th May

Year 5 Assembly
(9:15am)

22nd May

Gilwell meeting
(7:00pm)

17th June

Sports Day

26th-28th June

Trip to Gilwell.

***Mrs Theviam will continue to teach our shape, space and measure topics.**

Term 3		
Week one - two	5LS29 5LS30	Formal Methods for Division and Multiplication in Increasingly Complex Problems Strategies for Multiplication and Division (Mental and Written)
Week three	5LS31	Solving Problems involving Scaling by Simple Fractions and Rates
Week four	5LS32	Conversion of Imperial and Metric Units of Measure
Week five	5LS33	Fractions, Decimals and Percentages Problem Solving
Week six	5LS34	Reading Timetables and Calculating with Time
Week seven	5LS35	Solve Problems involving the Four Operations
Week eight - nine	5LS36	Distinguish between Regular and Irregular Polygons
	5LS37	Use Properties of Rectangles
Week ten	5LS38	Statistics – Solve Comparison, Sum and Difference Problems using Information in a Line Graph
Week eleven	5LS39	Statistics – Interpreting and Evaluating Information Presented in Charts and Tables
Week twelve	5LS40	Roman Numerals

English:

In English this term, we are going to be looking at Fiction from our Literary Heritage, namely Shakespeare's Macbeth. We will also be focusing on visual literacy and report writing. In Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar we are going to learn to use commas and other devices for cohesion, as well as prefixes and suffixes. In addition, we have our weekly guided reading session. Like last term, we are going to continue our guided reading sessions on a Thursday, along with the opportunity to free write using different stimuli. **Please remember to write and sign your child's reading diaries at least 3 times a week.** This can be on any book your child is reading, along with their guided reading book. Our Spelling tests will continue to be on a Thursday morning.



Here are a few notes about other areas of the curriculum for this term:

Subjects	Topics
Art	Frida Kahlo
Computing	Game creator 3D Modelling
D&T	Frame structures
French	My Home What's the date?
History	The Tudors
Music	Class assembly Dancin' in the street
P.E	Athletics Rounders/Cricket Tennis
Science	Reproduction in plants and animals Get sorted Everyday materials
PSHE	Relationships Changing me
R.E	Christianity & Judaism

P.E

P.E will continue to take place on a Tuesday and a Friday. Please make sure that appropriate PE kit is worn during your PE lesson.

Uniform reminder: Please make sure that P.E kit adheres to the uniform policy. This means that leggings, tracksuit bottoms, jumpers and t-shirts are either our branded P.E kit or school colours. In addition, please make sure hair is always tied back and clips and accessories are school colours.

Home study:

Weekly home study will continue with approximately half an hour of both Maths and English set each week on a Friday, with a hand in by the following Thursday.

It is important that your child hands in completed tasks on time and your help with this is very much appreciated.

If you wish to speak with Miss Goymer, please do not hesitate to get in touch by ringing the school office, sending an email to admin@maple.herts.sch.uk or popping into the classroom. Please be aware, in the mornings we will be greeting the children and making sure they are okay so if you wish to discuss something in length please do make an appointment. Similarly, we have staff meetings on alternate Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Thank you for your time in reading this newsletter. We hope it helps to keep you informed with everything that we have planned across the remainder of the school year. We thank you in advance for your support in your child's learning.

Best wishes,

Miss Goymer and the Year 5 team

