

# Year 5 Summer Term 2022

Maple Primary School

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 with it, more learning opportunities outside of the classroom. We have Gilwell to look forward to at the end of this term, as well as some additional curriculum opportunities linked to RE and Geography. We hope you find these few reminders and insights into the term ahead useful.

## 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. Please see the Summer Term overview below.

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| Formal Methods for Division and Multiplication in Increasingly Complex Problems              |
| Strategies for Multiplication and Division (Mental and Written)                              |
| Solving Problems involving Scaling by Simple Fractions and Rates                             |
| Conversion of Imperial and Metric Units of Measure   |
| Fractions, Decimals and Percentages Problem Solving  |
| Reading Timetables and Calculating with Time   |
| Solve Problems involving the Four Operations   |
| Distinguish between Regular and Irregular Polygons   |
| Use Properties of Rectangles   |
| Statistics – Solve Comparison, Sum and Difference Problems using Information in a Line Graph |
| Statistics – Interpreting and Evaluating Information Presented in Charts and Tables          |
| 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 poetry. In Spelling, Comprehension 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 be doing whole class reading from Monday – Wednesday, and then we will be doing our group sessions on a Friday. Please remember to write in your reading diaries for our class competition. You do not need to just write about our Guided reading book; it can be on any book you are reading but with the specific Guided Reading focus. Our Spelling tests will continue to be on a Friday morning.

## All other subjects:

Below we have listed all the other topics we are going to be covering this term. We are very excited! If you have any expertise in any of these areas, please do let us know and we could arrange a visit.

**May 4<sup>th</sup> 2022**

*Young voices*

**9<sup>th</sup> May**

*Lee River Valley trip*

**May 26<sup>th</sup> 2022**

**(7pm)**

*Gilwell presentation  
talk*

**June 16<sup>th</sup> 2022**

*Synagogue trip*

**27<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> June 2022**

*Gilwell*

| Subject                           | Topic   |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| ART                               | Frida Kahlo   |
| COMPUTING                         | Networking<br>Microsoft word/ Music creator   |
| D&T                               | Frame Structures  |
| HISTORY                           | Local History and Tudor life  |
| MUSIC                             | Dancing In The Street<br>Reflect, Rewind and Replay   |
| P.E                               | Cricket<br>Athletics<br>Rounders<br>Tennis  |
| PSHE                              | Relationships<br>Changing Me  |
| R.E<br>(Christianity and Judaism) | Sacred texts and stories, their guidance and impact<br>Taking responsibility for living together, the world, values and respect<br>Reflecting on ethics, what is right and wrong, just and fair |
| SCIENCE                           | Reproduction of plants and animals<br>Get sorted<br>Every day materials   |

P.E will take place on Mondays and Wednesdays for 5H. Please make sure that appropriate PE kit is worn on your PE day.

Any more information you would like about the curriculum in Year 5 can be found on the school website:  
<https://maple.herts.sch.uk/curriculum/curriculum-overview/>.

Thank you for taking the time to read this newsletter. We are looking forward to a busy and exciting term ahead. If you have any queries, feel free to pop in and see me in the classroom after school or make an appointment with the admin team.

Best wishes,

Miss Hammersley, Mrs Latham (Mon. – Wed.), Miss Naran (Wed. – Thurs.) and Miss Morrissey

### HOME STUDY:

Home study tasks will continue to be set on a Friday to be returned before or by the following **Wednesday**. It is important that your child hands in completed tasks on time and your help with this is very much appreciated. There is a section in the literacy workbook for you to sign.

### Reading challenge!

There are certificates to be given out and awards to be won in school, for daily reading at home! Please continue to encourage your child to read and record what they are reading. We love to see the different books that are being read in 5H! If you need any help with choosing a book, please speak to me or refer to the recommended reading list for Year 5 which is on the website or printed inside the Year 5 Reading Diaries.