

Hawthorn and Oak Class- Information Letter

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to year 5 and to Hawthorn and Oak Class. We have had a fantastic first couple of weeks, in which the children have settled into their new classes brilliantly. We're all really excited about the year ahead!

This term we will be following a new model to support our curriculum.

Reading	Shackleton's Journey
Writing	Third person stories set in another culture Formal letters of application Poems that use word play
Science	Properties and changes of materials
Geography	World countries, biomes and environmental regions
History	Ancient Greeks

Trips - A letter about our first Forest School trip was sent earlier this week and another letter accompanies this one with more information about other trips this year.

PE: PE is on **Wednesday**. We have a double PE lesson on Wednesday morning. This will be delivered by Bristol Sport and involves some time learning about keeping healthy and some time playing basketball.

Please make sure your child comes to school wearing PE kit on these days.



Navy blue or black shorts, trousers or leggings.

White top

Trainers or daps

Home Learning: Home learning will include spellings (these will be handed out in a couple of weeks). Please encourage your child to log on to the Pixl times table app.

Reading books: Please encourage your child to read every day for 15 minutes and remind them to bring in their books to school every day. Please help your

child to record their thoughts about the book in their Reading Record at least twice a week.

Music: Mr Rees will be teaching music every Thursday morning.

Many thanks for all your support so far. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Best wishes,

Ms Shah, Mr Hutchinson, Mr Drysdale, Mrs Ward, Mx Bowyer and Mr Wylie.