

# Autumn Term Newsletter Year 5

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2022/23

## Year 5 Team

Welcome to Year 5! Your teachers are :



Mrs Fraser Mrs Sellers Mrs Cook Mrs Taylor Mrs Kaloya and Miss Foley

## Welcome to Year 5

We have a very exciting Autumn term coming up. Our Theme for this term is Shang Dynasty so we will be studying the ancient civilisation in China. Alongside this, our main text in Whole Class Reading and English will be *The Firework-Maker's Daughter* by Philip Pullman.

## Planners

Children will have a new planner when they start. Children are expected to bring their planner and reading book with them every day. Parents/carers please sign the planner on the correct date that your child has read. If your child reads something other than their school book, that's still great, but please sign to let us know they have done some reading.

## Homework

To begin with, children are expected to log onto Spelling Shed each week to practise their spellings, ready for a test every Tuesday morning. They also need to be using TT Rock Stars every day to practise times tables.

## Reading

Children should be reading for at least 10 minutes every day. This should be recorded in their planner, which will be checked by their class teacher each morning.

## PE

PE will be on a Tuesday. The children will need to wear their PE kit to school on this day only. Reminder: PE kit is a plain t-shirt and black shorts, leggings or jogging bottoms. New PE T-shirts will be here soon.

## Ways to contact us

**Acorn Street, Coventry, CV3 1DP      Tel: 024 764556272**  
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Your child's class teacher will be on the class door every morning and at the end of the day. Mornings are an important time for us to be with your children so please contact the school office if you want a longer discussion about your child and they will arrange this with the class teacher.