YEAR 5 PLANS FOR THE WEEK

Week Commencing: 2/11/26

Reminder…

Please can you ensure that your child has a spare pair of shoes to wear at playtime on all days. As the weather is turning, the floors are ending up really muddy each day. Black school shoes should be worn inside. Many thanks for your support with this.

This week's plan…

English

Excitingly, we will be starting our first unit in the Ready Steady Write scheme. We will be immersing ourselves in the book 'The Lost Thing' by Shaun Tan.

Reading

We will continue reading the story 'Who Let the Gods Out.'

Maths

In maths, we will be moving on to multiplication and division. The children will be focusing on multiplying and dividing by 10,100 and 1000 and applying to problems.

Geography

We begin our study of South America by learning about (and describing) its geographical location.

Science

We will be kicking off our new topic all about Sound and Hearing by identifying any noise pollution in and around Boxgrove.

D.T.

Our D.T. project this half term will be all about bridges! How they're built, what they're made of, and how we can build some ourselves.

Brain Buddies

This week we continue our 9-week programme with NHS professionals called Brain Buddies. They will deliver an evidence-based programme, designed to support emotional regulation strategies so children can become good buddies to their brain.

Spellings

Spellings this week are:
cyclone, criticise, bridle, bridal, isle, aisle, recognise, mighty
common exception words: lightning, rhyme

Each day your child should bring in the following:

- Pencil case
- Water bottle- please only give water as a drink
- Reading book and reading record
-Outdoor and indoor shoes

Absence

When your child is off sick. Please send a message via MCAS **every day** that your child is off sick.

Swimming

Swimming will be on a Wednesday morning.
Your child will need their swimwear, towel, swim hat and goggles.

PE

PE will be on a Friday afternoon. Please send your child into school in their PE kit on this day and with their hair tied back. Earrings should be removed.

Outdoor learning

Outdoor learning will be on a Wednesday morning. Please ensure your child has suitable clothing for the weather. A waterproof coat and wellie boots will be required as the weather turns.

Home learning

Moon Diary – please continue with this for the next month. It will really support the children's learning.

Many thanks for the projects in – the children will love sharing these with their class.

Nits and Headlice – There has been a case in Year 5. Please can you check your child's head regularly. You can find advice here: Head lice and nits - NHS

Library

In our classes, we will be visiting the school library during the first week back, Please ensure children are bringing any overdue books back with them and encourage them to borrow a new one.