



"Learning together,
learning for life"

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07.11.25 -

Individual school
photos

14.11.25 -

Egyptian Day

6.12.25 - Christmas

Fayre

11.12.25 -

Year 5 Christmas
Coffee morning

17.12.25 -

Christmas jumper
and lunch day

PE

Wednesdays and
Thursdays

Year Five Newsletter

Autumn 2 - 2025

We hope that you had a lovely half term break and the children are excited for what is ahead this term!

Our Autumn term topics are:

Human Geography

'What is so special about the USA?'

History

'How did the Ancient Egyptian's civilisation compare to ours?'

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>English</u></p> <p>We are beginning our term looking at non-fiction writing linked to Tutankhamun. We will then look at how advertising is used in everyday life. In reading, we will be reading ability set chapter books, focusing on fluency and reading for stamina.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Science</u></p> <p>We will be learning about changing materials. We will be exploring filtering, sieving and evaporation. We will then consider whether these changes are reversible or irreversible. We will also learn about whether materials can dissolve.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Maths</u></p> <p>This term we will be continuing our work on fractions, using the children's knowledge to problem solve in a range of contexts. We will also be learning about time, measurement, geometry and place value.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Music</u></p> <p>This term, we are going to be exploring our knowledge of pitch and notation by writing and reading music on a staff. We will also have fun learning to play some traditional tunes.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>History</u></p> <p>This half term we will be continuing our learning all about the Ancient Egyptians. We will find out about what their beliefs were, how they lived and what impact that they have had on today's civilisation.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Art</u></p> <p>In Art this half term we will be creating 3D models of Canopic Jars linked to our Ancient Egyptian topic. We will learn different mark making techniques and will observe decoration techniques.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>PE</u></p> <p>The children will have P.E. on Wednesdays with Mr Tavender and on Thursdays with their class teacher.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Computing</u> <u>Animation</u></p> <p>During this unit children will create a multimedia fact file on different rainforest animals. Children will create fact files pages that include a range of text, images and sounds.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Geography</u></p> <p>This term we will continuing our exciting topic about the USA. We will be studying human geography, focusing on why the USA is so popular, how to use 6 figure grid references in maps, comparing different states in the USA. We will also compare the USA to the UK.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>PSHE</u></p> <p>The children will be learning about balanced lifestyles, how to deal with changes and about dealing with conflicting emotions.</p>		

Polite reminders

Reading logs should be in school daily and children should be reading every night at home. Reading logs are checked on a Monday for the previous week.

Mrs Silcox

Mrs Staley

Miss Grubb

Miss Allen