

HOLY TRINITY



Class 5 Newsletter Spring Term 2 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

Welcome to half-termly newsletter, which aims to share with you the key information you need to know this half term.

Topics

For our topic this half term we will continue time travelling. This time to the Bronze Age through to the Iron Age. We will be investigating how life changed for the people living during these times as new inventions were discovered. In our science topic we will be investigating plants and their growth. We will investigate the different parts of the plant and their role in the life cycle. We have an exciting DT project this half term investigating, designing and making bread. Yum! Yum!

You can see all the work we will be doing in each subject in our long term plans on the school website. Just go to the school website (<https://holytrinitybarnsley.org/>), select Learning, and then Curriculum and then Primary to find out more!

Homework/Reading

We will send homework home on Fridays to be returned on Tuesday to give us time to quarantine the folders before marking. Homework will be a piece of Maths work, a piece of English work and weekly spellings. Homework will be marked by one of the class team.

Type of Homework	Day it is set	Day to be returned	Feedback
Maths task	Friday	Tuesday	Marked in school
English task	Friday	Tuesday	Marked in school

Spellings	Friday	Ongoing	In school
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Children are advised to read to an adult daily. Daily reads can be recorded in the air miles reading record book and the children will also be rewarded with Dojo points.

Uniform

Please see the website for a correct list of the school uniform. School uniform is expected to be worn every day apart from the days your child does PE (see below for more details).

PE

Our PE day this half term is on Wednesday Week A and Tuesday week B. Please ensure your child comes to school in the correct kit. Please see the school website for the correct kit. Children can wear tracksuits if the weather is an issue – please be aware that PE lessons may take place outside so correct kit including appropriate footwear is essential.

Earrings

Due to Health & Safety in school, earrings are not allowed. Please ensure that your child removes their earrings or clear retainers before they come to school. Plasters over the ears will not be acceptable. Failure to do so may lead to the child missing PE and break times.

Dates for your diary

. World Book Day – Thursday 2nd March 2023
 PTA meeting - Thursday 2nd March 2023 at 3:30pm
 Parents Evening – Wednesday 8th March 2023
 INSET day – Friday 10th March 2023
 Mother's Day Liturgy – Friday 17th March 2023
 Year 3 and Year 4 Easter performances – 29th March 2023
 Break up for Easter – Friday 31st March 2023
 Return to school – Monday 17th April 2023

Other key information

Please ensure your child brings their own filled water bottle into school daily.

Queries

If you have any concerns or wish to speak with a member of staff you will need to phone the school office (01226 704550), email (info@holyltrinitybarnsley.org), contact us via the text service (01226 610168) or send a message via class dojo.



