

UKS2 Newsletter

Autumn 2026



PE

Year 5 – Monday and Tuesday

Year 6 – Monday and Thursday

Please ensure your child comes to school in the correct PE kit.

Homework

Homework to be handed out on a Thursday and collected in the following Tuesday

What are we learning?

Year 5

History – Dynamic Dynasties

In History, the children will learn about periods of ancient Chinese history.

Science – Forces and mechanisms

In Science, the children will learn about the forces of gravity, air resistance, water resistance and friction.

Geography – Investigating our world

In Geography, the children will learn to use ordnance survey maps and six figure grid references.

Year 6

History – Maafa

In History, the children will learn about Ancient African Kingdoms, the development of the transatlantic slave trade.

Science – Circulatory system

In Science, the children will learn about the transport role of the human circulatory system, its main parts and their primary functions.

Art – Trailblazers, barrier breakers

In Art, the children will learn about significant black artists and their work.

Upcoming Events

14th October – Year 6 residential meeting 5:30pm

22nd October – Halloween disco
Year 4-6 – 5:45 – 6:45pm

How can you help at home?

Ensure your child read at least 3 times a week at home.

Book recommendations

Year 5



Year 6

