

to our Year 5 Parents Meeting



Lets meet the team...



<u>5H</u>

Miss Chesterton
Mrs Stopforth

5F Mrs Hutton Miss Walker Miss Fairhurst

In 5F we also have two university students on a Wednesday, Miss Sykes on a Thursday, Miss Barrera and Miss Morris on a Friday.

At some point in October until February half term, we will be having a student teacher from Manchester University.

Year 5 topics and Medium Term Plans



Rainforests – Autumn term



The Tudors – Spring term



Victorians -Summer term

Please see our website to find out more about the topics in detail alongside the other curriculum areas. https://www.highfield.bolton.sch.uk/statutory/



We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for the amazing homework projects we have received!



Homework is given out on a Wednesday and is to be handed in on a Monday. If your child is struggling, they must speak to one of us before the due date. The children will receive one piece of Maths or English each week.

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If it is not brought in by Monday, your child will miss playtime to complete it in school.



Every Friday, the children will be given 10 spellings to learn. These spellings will then be tested the following Friday.

All we ask is that your child spends time at home practising their spellings.

Whether they get 1 or 10, providing they have put some effort into learning them we are happy.

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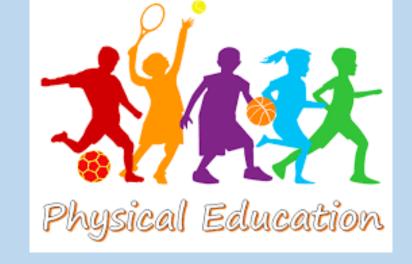
Reading



We expect the children to read 3 times a week in line with school policy. If the children read more than 3 times and complete their homework, they will be rewarded with extra play on a Friday.

Reading records can be signed by either yourselves, older siblings, relatives or the child and must explain what they have read.

If your child leaves their record in school, they can read something of their choice at home.



PE this term is Friday, though this will change throughout the year. You will receive a text/email to let you know when PE days are.

Please ensure your children have a pair of pumps in school for indoor PE. As dance is an indoor subject, they will need pumps for Friday. Outdoor PE takes place in most weather conditions so ensure your child is dressed suitably for the weather. Children are allowed to come to school in their kits on PE days. Please make sure they have the right coloured t-shirt and clothing is appropriate.

Swimming will be after next year we will notify you of the dates.



In Year 5, we have made the decision not to go into the woodland on a weekly basis due to our busy timetable. On weeks we are using the woodland for Science or other subjects, you will be notified at the start of the week.

Children will attend school in their woodland kit.

Please ensure your child brings a spare change of footwear otherwise they will **NOT** be allowed in.

At Highfield we are a healthy school. We encourage the children to eat healthily and bring appropriate snacks into school.

We are a nut free school. We have two children in Year 5 with severe nut allergies who have epi pens in class. Please double check the ingredients. If your child's snack has nuts, it will be taken off them until home time.

This is the same for packed lunches.

We provide the children with extra pieces of fruit if they are hungry or have forgotten their snack.

Water bottles – we no longer sell water so it is important your child brings a bottle of water to school.



#Farnworth Matters

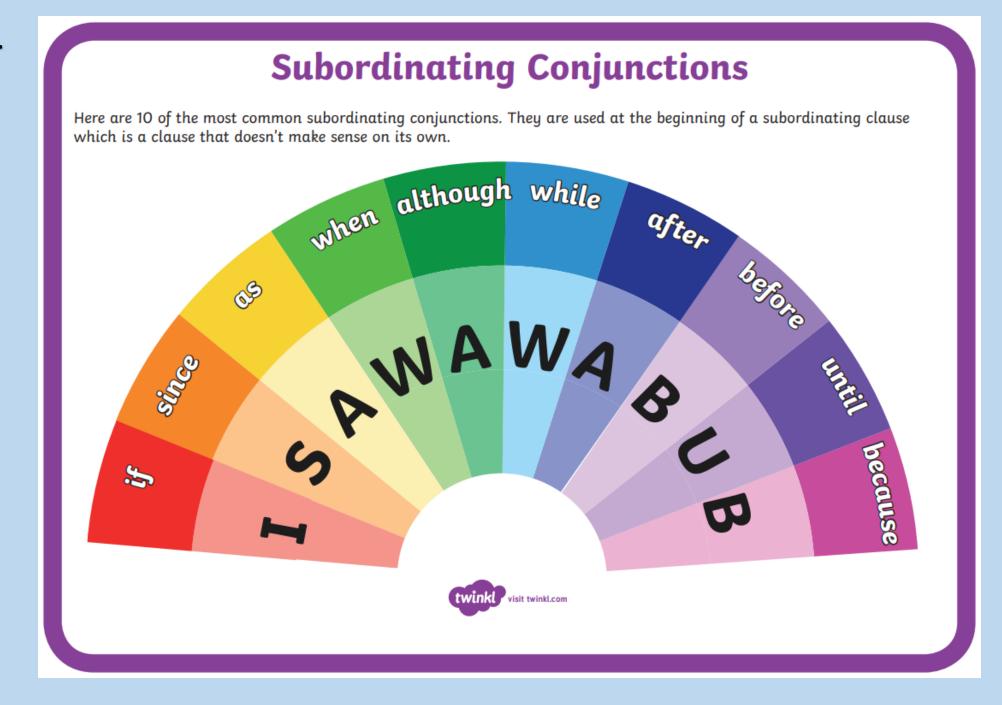
Last year, Y5 children from all 10 schools in our cluster took part in a project called #farnworthmatters.

We are delighted to be part of this project again! This year the focus is on sustainability and the environment.

Over the year, the children will meet up with children from other schools hosting science and career fairs, joint litter picks and sporting events.

Keep an eye on our twitter to see photographs of the excellent work the children will complete over the year.

Appendix 1



Appendix 2

New Curriculum Spelling List Years 5 and 6

accommodate	conscience
accompany	conscious
according	controversu
achieve	convenienc
aggressive	correspond
amateur	criticise
ancient	curiosity
apparent	definite
appreciate	desperate
attached	determined
available	develop
average	dictionary
awkward	disastrous
bargain	embarrass
bruise	environmer
category	equip
cemetery	equipped
committee	equipment
communicate	especially
community	exaggerate
competition	excellent

existence explanation familiar foreign forty frequently government guarantee harass hindrance identity immediate immediately individual interfere interrupt language leisure lightning marvellous mischievous

muscle necessary neighbour nuisance occupy occur opportunity parliament persuade physical prejudice privilege profession programme pronunciation queue recognise recommend relevant restaurant rhyme

rhythm sacrifice secretary shoulder signature sincere sincerely soldier stomach sufficient suggest symbol system temperature thorough twelfth variety vegetable vehicle yacht



Appendix

years.

Modal Verbs (indicating possibility)	Active Voice	Passive Voice	Past Progressive	Present Progressive	Past Perfect
could, should, would, can, may, might, must, shall, ought, will	Paul kicked the ball. Eva licked the lolly.	The ball was kicked by Paul. The lolly was licked by Eva.	Paul was kicking the ball. Eva was licking the lolly.	Paul is kicking the ball. Eva is licking the lolly.	Paul had finished his homework. Eva had eaten an ice-cream.
Subjunctive	Adverbs (indicating possibility)	Present Perfect	Relative Clause	Expanded Noun Phrase	Punctuating Bullet Points
If Paul were a better footballer, he could kick the ball straight.	never, always, often, rarely, maybe, perhaps, probably	Paul has kicked the football. I have eaten the lolly.	Paul, who enjoyed football, played every week.	The dark haired girl with a taste for frozen lollies.	Eva is hoping to: • make lollies • play football with Paul The plan for this
Commas (to clarify mean- ing)	Colons	Colons (to introduce a list)	Hyphens (to avoid ambi- guity)	Brackets, Dashes and Commas (for parenthesis)	lesson is: • We will learn more about SPaG. • The class will have fun.
Eva likes fruit pasta and a drink for lunch. 'Fruit pasta!?' Eva likes fruit, pasta and a drink for lunch.	Paul likes two things: football and reading	The children will need several items: lollies, footballs and books.	a man eating snake a man-eating snake	 Eva (the lolly fan) is ten. Paul - the football fan - plays in goal. Eva and Paul, my friends, are kind. 	
Dashes	Semi-Colons	Relative Pronouns used at the beginning of a relative clause			
Eva and Paul are friends - they have known each other for	Eva loves lollies; strawberry-flavoured ones are her favourite.	who, whom, which, whose, that, where, when Cheetahs, which are the fastest land mammals, have a decreasing population.			



