



# Year 5

## Woodpeckers

Hello to everyone after what we hope was a lovely Easter break.

### Topic

This term, our topic will be the Victorians. We will be learning about the major changes during this time period. We will also be looking at the life of Queen Victoria as well as what life was like for children.

During summer 1, Woodpeckers will be having music lessons on a Monday afternoon with an external music teacher.

### Physical Education

Woodpeckers will have PE on Tuesdays and Thursdays

Please ensure that your child has their PE kit in school. As the weather gets warmer, children are going to be having PE lessons outside, so children can wear a hooded top over their kit. Please ensure that if children can't take their earrings out, that they are taken out before school. It is compulsory for every child to join in with PE as it is part of the National Curriculum.

### English

This term, we will be reading *Wolves in the Walls* and *The Nowhere Emporium*. We will be writing descriptions, news paper reports and diary entries.

### Maths

In Maths, we will look at decimals and percentages, area and perimeter and statistics.

### Guided reading

We will be reading 'Holes' by Louis Sachar.

### PSHE

This term, we will be completing the 'Jigsaw' PSHE puzzle piece of 'Relationships'.

### Reminders

If your child needs any of the following items, please can they be brought in to school as soon as possible:

- Inhalers or medication
- Glasses



### Reading Challenge!

Please ensure your child has their reading book in school daily. We want you to read at home as much as you can this year. As a result, children who read at home with a parent and write it in their Reading Log could win a number of fabulous prizes!

Please feel free to chat to us about any concerns that you may have either at the end of the school day or you can call after school, we will be more than happy to help.

We're looking forward to the year ahead!

Miss Dunn and Ms Lawton

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