

## Year 5 – Our topic this term is Allotments!

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### Healthy Snack

We have noticed that many of our children are eating unhealthy snacks at break time.

A healthy snack consists of a piece of fruit, yoghurt or fruit brunch bar. The children

are not allowed to eat chocolate on the playground. The children are NOT allowed to bring nuts into school or anything that contains



them as we have children and members of staff in school with severe allergies.

### Times tables

Children take part in a weekly Times Table Competition. This is proving extremely successful - please encourage your children to learn and practise any times tables (up to 12) that they struggle with. They can use Times Tables Rockstars at home /school during their free time.

### Reading

Children are expected to read daily (at home) as well as at school. We know that reading usually leads to an improvement in writing. Please encourage your children to read texts that they are interested in.

### Uniform

Children are expected to wear full school uniform to smartly represent our school in a smart way. Please ensure that every item is labelled clearly. Refer to our uniform policy found on our school website for more information.

### Attendance

At LRS we value the educational benefits of high attendance and have a system of rewards to celebrate pupils' good attendance.

Please ensure pupils arrive to school by 8.40. It is our priority to ensure your child maximises their learning time, which can be dramatically affected if they arrive late on a regular basis.

If your child is absent from school, please phone the office and send in a letter to the Class Teacher ASAP stating the reason. Holidays must not be taken during term time. Refer to our attendance policy found on our school website for more information.

# Little Reddings Primary school

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Mr Wells  
Mr McMahon

Mrs Woodroffe  
Mrs Tong

*Year 5 curriculum  
overview  
2018*



Summer Term 2 - 2018

Topic—Allotments

During this half term we will begin our new topic 'Allotments'. Your child's learning will be centred around this Topic

#### Important Dates

Term Starts - 3rd January

See our new website for more dates.

#### Literacy

- Non-Fiction— Persuasion writing
- Narrative— building character description and sentence structure

#### Maths

- Fractions—How can we represent amounts?
- Percentages—What do they represent?

Timetables—Reading and interpreting.



#### Science

Animals including humans

- lifecycles
- changes to humans

#### RE

- festivals and celebrations

#### Computing

- data matters

#### Art and DT

- drawing plants and flowers
- creating a flower hedge

#### PE

- hockey and dance

#### Music

- celebrating British artists

We are really excited to be working with you even more during the Spring Term. In an effort to maximise your children's potential we are keen to discuss areas of learning that we feel could be enhanced at home. These may consist of fun independent activities, or short therapies that you can work through with your children. We will provide any guidance that you may need. Please come and speak to Mr Wells for any information.

