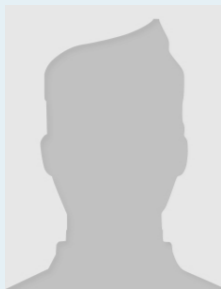
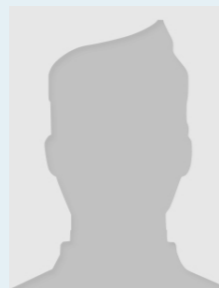
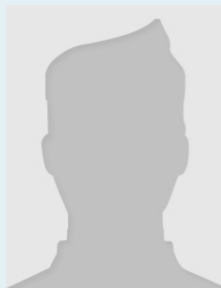




**Little Reddings
Primary School**

Welcome To Year 5

Meet The Team



Contact Info

Please remember to contact the class teacher directly with any questions you may have. You can do this through the school office.

The email is admin@littlereddings.org.uk

Alternatively you can call the school office on 0208 950 5388 to leave a message.

You can also contact class teachers through the year group email which is yearfive@littlereddings.org.uk This will be checked weekly. Please remember drop off and pick up is for quick questions only as we need to ensure that registration is completed on time.

Uniform

School uniform is expected every day. You will be contacted directly if your child is wearing incorrect uniform. You can find the full list of uniform on our school website. This will also give you information on how to purchase and order uniform. Please note, no trainers are acceptable. Children are expected to be in proper, plain black school shoes. Please remember to label your child's belongings.

Attendance and Punctuality

All children are expected to be in school on time every day. If your child is unwell please contact Mrs Wyborn or the School Office to let school know. Please refer back to the whole school letter sent at the start of term which gives you instructions for Covid-19 protocol. Do not send your child to school if they are unwell or with any Covid -19 symptoms.

Home Learning and Reading

This term all children will be expected to read daily with a school reading book. They will also receive a reading record which Parents / Carers are expected to sign every week. We will contact you directly if the reading record is not signed.

Your child will also be expected to complete Maths learning challenges this half term; this will include using Times Table Rockstars and a range of addition and subtraction challenges. In Year 5 we use a Maths program called Mathletics, through which some home-learning will be set.

Lunches and Snacks

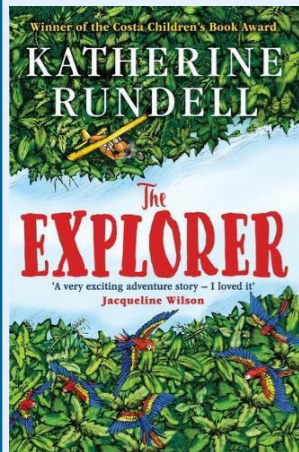
Reception- Year 2 will receive a free school meal daily if your child wishes to have one. Reception to Year 2 will also receive a piece of fruit at break time. You can provide your child with fruit or vegetables if you wish. Key Stage 2 children (Years 3-6) will need to bring their own snack for break time. This must be fruit or vegetables only. Anything else will be sent home at the end of that day. Key Stage 2 children can choose school meals which are paid for online or packed lunch. Please refer back to the whole school letter about lunches and what is acceptable.

All children must come to school with a labelled water bottle every day.

If you would like specific detail about your child's curriculum content you can access the curriculum progression information for each subject area on our school website. ...

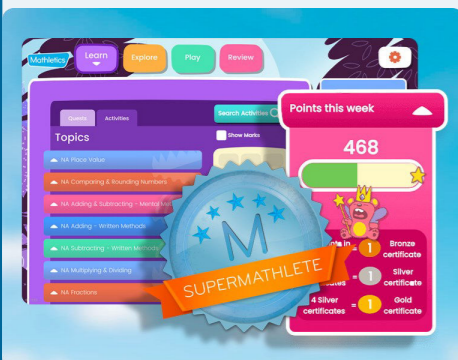
English (Writing)

This term we will be focussing on the story 'The Explorer' which is a gripping and exciting adventure story of survival and the tenacity of the human spirit. The text will engage our children allowing them to mimic effective sentence structure whilst developing their own vocabulary, sense of action and character feeling, as well as introducing and developing new year 5 grammar and punctuation.



Maths

This term in Maths we will recap key skills relating to place value and number sense, to include formal methods of addition and subtraction. We will add breadth and depth to our existing skills and re-invigorate our confidence of solving increasingly challenging problems. Our focus for the whole term will be mastering the four operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division) in fun and engaging ways.



Science

In Science this half term we will be delving into the realms of the universe and asking the question, 'Do the Planets move?' We will replicate the movement of the Earth and other planets, relative to the sun in the solar system. Pupils will investigate the Earth's rotation to explain day and night. We will use scaled objects to replicate the size of the planets and their spacing within our solar system.



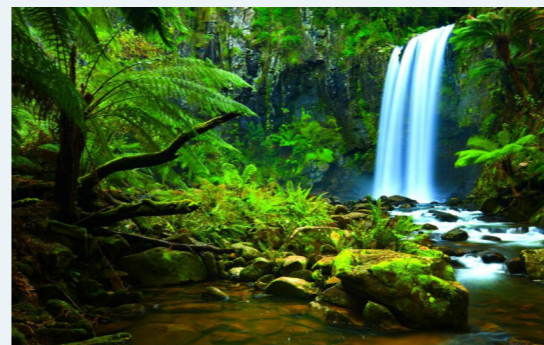
Music

In music this term, we will be learning to play the recorder. We will be mastering how to hold the recorder correctly and how to make a controlled sound. We will be playing the notes B, A and G to start with.



History/Geography

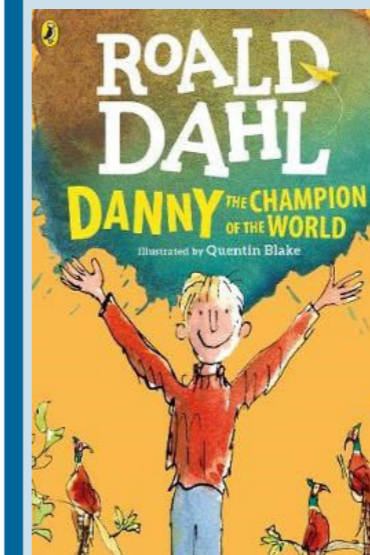
In Geography this half term, we will be taking an imaginary expedition into the Rainforest of South America! After exploring South America's location in relation to other countries in the world, we will concentrate on environmental regions, climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts. Children will build on their existing knowledge and understanding of human and physical features.



Shared Reading

Within our Shared Reading lessons we will be sharing the book 'Danny Champion of The World'. Through this text we will continue to develop a range of important reading comprehension skills including;

- Learn and use new Vocabulary from the text.
- Make and justify inferences using evidence from the book.
- Make predictions based on what they have already read.
- Explain and justify a range of content, themes and information that the author has used within the book.
- Retrieve and record key elements of the text.
- Summarise the main ideas of the book from more than one paragraph.



PE

Year 5 will be taking part in Gymnastics for the first half term. This will take place on Friday afternoons indoors. As well as gymnastics, they will also have the opportunity to be involved in a scheme entitled 'The Joy of moving' This will take place on Monday afternoons outside (weather permitting).

Computing

Children will be delighted to learn that they will firstly be reviewing and analysing a computer game! Using this knowledge they will design their own game based on the theme of adventure and Rainforests, to compliment and apply their learning within English and Geography subjects.