



Ashley Junior School

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29th April 2019

Dear Year Five Parent/Carers,

We would like to take this opportunity to inform you of the curriculum coverage for the Summer Term (project plan overleaf). Annual reports will be going out later this term, but if you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us.

We hope that the following information will enable you to provide support and encouragement for your child.

Home Learning

Spelling: spellings, which are stuck into the yellow spelling books are handed out on a **Monday** for testing **the following Monday**. The expectation is that the children learn the spellings and sentences, showing written evidence of learning in their books.

Reading: children are expected to read daily and should make at least three or four good quality, detailed entries in their journals using a variety of the ideas from the front of the book. We expect the journals to be in school every day.

Maths: home learning will include preparation for the Maths Passport as well as other activities such as Mathletics.

Please endeavour to provide your child with support and a suitable place to work. Should the home learning pose any difficulties at home, please consider taking advantage of the homework club, which runs after school on Wednesday from 3:30pm – 4:30pm. Attendance has to be booked on the morning via the school office.

PE

PE will take place on Monday and Wednesday. Due to other school events, trips or bad weather there may be changes in the timetable, so we therefore ask you to ensure that your child has a correctly labelled PE kit in school all the time (in a named bag).

Celebratory Events

The Summer Fair will take place on the afternoon of Thursday 20th June at the end of our Enterprise Week as a celebration of the work completed in that week. Children will have the opportunity to buy their products.

On Friday 12th July, you are invited to come into school at 9:00am to share the amazing writing the children will have done linked to our UP (Pixar film) topic in English. This will be our second extended writing project after The Highwayman.

Trips

We will be visiting the Bournemouth Synagogue on 26th June (Barn Owls and Falcons) and on the 10th July (Eagles) to learn more about the Jewish faith. More details to follow.

Parent Helpers

Your support can make a huge difference to the opportunities we can offer your child. If you would be interested in volunteering, please pick up an application pack from the school office.

Yours faithfully

The Year 5 Team