

Portway Junior School

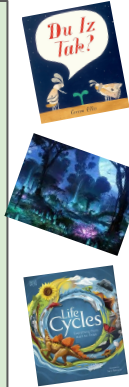
Welcome to Year 5 - Our learning for Autumn 1

English Writing

Our first learning journey will use the book 'Du Iz Tak' to inspire our writing about the discovery of a new bug, in the form of a report. We will then look at the film - 'Pandora Discovered' and create non-chronological reports about the fictional planet.

Reading

Using the book 'Life Cycles', children will learn to use VIPERS skills: vocabulary analysis, inference, prediction, explanation, retrieval and summarising. They will learn to read texts in order to answer different styles of questions.

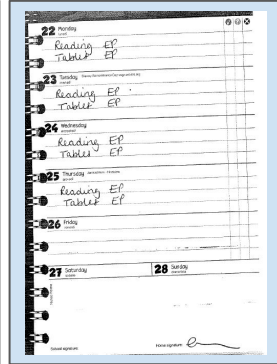


Expectations

Read 4 times a week to an adult and practice times tables 4 times a week.

Diaries must be signed each week by an adult at home.

A menu of other homework & spelling tasks is available on Google Classrooms.



Key Dates

- 9.9.24 Y5 Start the Year Meeting
- 17.9.24 Y5 Parents Coffee Morning
- 23/24.10.24 Parents Consultations
- 25.10.24 INSET Day

Uniform



Please ensure all belongings are labelled.

No jewellery to be worn in school.

Small stud earrings only.

Maths

Times tables - children should be confident with their times tables as well as the related division facts.

Arithmetic lessons will be once a week.

What we are learning this half term:

- Place value
- Roman Numerals
- Addition and Subtraction (written methods)



Foundation Subjects

- Science - How light behaves
- PSHE - Being me in my world
- PE - Orienteering & Hockey
- French - Je me presente
- Geography - Chocolate and Trade
- Computing - Digital literacy - Sharing information
- RE - Sacred teaching / stories interpreted by Judaism
- Music - Our Community Performance
- Art - Maria Merian study

PE days - Monday and Tuesday



- Forest School - Wednesdays
- Finch - 11th Sep, 2nd Oct, 23rd Oct
- Otter - 18th Sep, 9th Oct
- Raven - 25th Sep, 16th Oct