

# Year 5 News—Autumn

Welcome back to Clayton Village, I hope you have all had a restful summer. Children have settled back in and are showing a real eagerness to learn.

There have been a few changes in Year 5, from adults to homework and behaviour policies and even a new name!

## Adults in Year 5

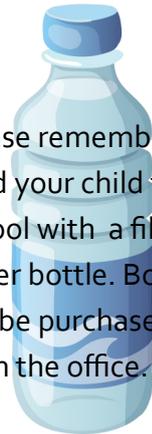
Mrs Eastwood (Class Teacher)

Mrs Townsend (Class Support)

Mr Waterman (PE Teacher—  
Friday PM)

Mrs Warden (French Teacher—  
Friday PM)

Please remember to send your child to school with a filled water bottle. Bottles can be purchased from the office.



## Important dates

Meet the teacher—  
19/09/19—in Year 6

Parent's evening—  
24/10/19

Half term—  
25/10/19

Back to School—  
04/10/19

Christmas—  
20/12/19

Back to School—  
06/12/19

## We are Warriors

We start year 5 with a very interesting topic. In history, we will be looking at famous warriors and soldiers from Romans to Modern times. This will be supported in Geography, by looking at where each warrior is from.

Our English will also be part of the theme, with books that have warrior characters. Showing the life a warrior could face.

## Homework

Please keep an eye out on SeeSaw for optional homework being set linked to our topic. Children will gain points for their house for every piece

## Reading

*As always, children will be expected to read at home at least 3 times a week (and have their diary signed by an adult). Any child who does this will receive a raffle ticket for an amazing end of year reward.*

## Mandala Class

The first week back, children have spent the week deciding on a new name for the class. We were set the theme of peacemakers. To help children pick a new name, they have spent the week researching and presenting facts about each peacemaker.

After a strong campaign, as a class we picked to be named after Nelson Mandela. This was for many reasons, but we want to remember his key messages of treating everyone fairly and solving problems peacefully.