

Welcome to Year 5.



INDIGO 1 – MRS STEWART/ MRS CLIFT (THURSDAY & FRIDAYS)

INDIGO 2 – MISS BARBER

TEACHING ASSISTANTS:

MRS. KIDDLE

MRS. SMITH

MISS GARDINER

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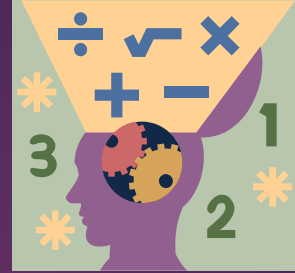
MRS FIRBY



Topics for 2018 - 2019

- ▶ Pirates – dress up day
- ▶ Earth and Space – virtual reality session (visitor)
- ▶ Vicious Vikings
- ▶ Experiments R Us
- ▶ Vile Victorians – Blists Hill Museum
- ▶ Global unit – Save the Tiger / Save our oceans
- ▶ Midsummer Night's Dream

Class structure



- ▶ The children are in sets for:
 - Guided Reading
 - Spelling
 - Friday Maths (targeted to gaps)
- ▶ These are regularly reviewed to enable regular movement between the sets.

Home Learning

- ▶ Set Maths or English every Friday for the following Friday.
- Homework club is available, children who don't complete the homework will be invited to attend
- Spellings every week
- Times Tables every week - Fluency - recall multiplication and division facts for multiplication tables up to 12×12
- ▶ Reading at home every day - expected 4 times a week as a minimum.
 - ▶ Reading diaries can be filled in by the child – no expectation on parents – children receive Dojos for x4 entries)

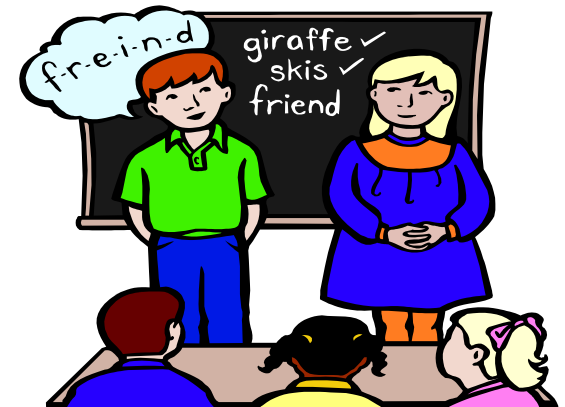
Reading

- ▶ Reading sessions take place twice a week.
- ▶ Reading at home every day - expected 4 times a week as a minimum.
- ▶ Older siblings can also listen to your child read.
- ▶ The children are encouraged to read books that they enjoy. Books that they wish to share are always welcome.



Spellings

- ▶ Spellings will be given every Friday and an informal test will take place every week.
- ▶ Spellings homework expectations:
 - ▶ Each word in a sentence
 - ▶ Spellings words to be underlined in pencil with a ruler
 - ▶ We will also be looking for them to be spelt correctly in their writing independently



PE

- ▶ PE day is Thursday
- ▶ Kit:
 - ▶ Trainers or daps
 - ▶ Blue shorts
 - ▶ Green t-shirt
 - ▶ Jumper (not day to day school jumper) and joggers for cold weather – *not a hoodie*
 - ▶ Winter kit doesn't have to be 'Abbeymead' colours, but must be appropriate for school, *i.e. no big slogans etc*
- ▶ Children will not be borrowing each others kit
- ▶ Children will have the opportunity of working with Mr Butler



Water Bottles and pencil cases



- ▶ Water bottles for classrooms
- ▶ Please ensure your child's bottle is named
- ▶ Pencils and pens will be provided for all children
- ▶ Sensibly sized pencil cases are welcomed, but if they prove to be a distraction, children will be asked to take them home

Any questions?

- ▶ You can email us with any queries or questions:
- ▶ Year5@abbeymead.gloucs.sch.uk