

Our Teachers



Mrs Bartlett 5B



Mr Handson 5H

Special visits and visitors this term

- Walk along River Avon.
- Netball/hockey coaches from The Royal High School.

Requests for help

- If you are able to support with:
 - Morning Maths Support – 8.45 – 9.15
 - Morning Reading Support – 8.45 – 9.00Please get in touch. Thank you.

Newbridge
Primary School

Learning in Year 5 Term 3 – 2018/2019

The start of the school day

All pupils need to be in the classroom by 8:55am and can come in from 8:45am.

If for any reason you are late bringing your child to school, please proceed to the office and sign them in.

If your child is ill, please contact the office on each day of absence.

Remember that if your pick up arrangements change in exceptional circumstances during the day, please call the school to notify the teacher.

Equipment your child needs every day

- A filled water bottle, back pack, reading book, reading log, homework folder, PE kit, coat.
- School uniform (in line with the school code of dress).
- A packed lunch, if your child usually has one.
- Please ensure all personal items are named.

Our Teaching Assistants



Ms Hunt



Miss Shaw



Mrs Milne



Mrs Watts

Upcoming dates

- 17th January - Mr Gore maths videos.
- 21st January - Walk along the River Avon.
- 31st January – NSPCC visiting.
- 4th-8th February – Science Week.

Requests for resources

- n/a

Please find a link to the [National Curriculum](#)

English

▪ **Composition:**

- Writing to inform: Journey of a rivers and the importance of rivers.
- Writing to persuade: Campaign against pollution in rivers.

▪ **Grammar:** commas for clauses, semi-colons and colons, brackets. Revise modal and imperative verbs.

▪ **Spellings:** -ly suffix, homophones, Year 5/6 spelling list

History

- How the use of the River Nile has changed over time?

Art

- Working with clay.

Physical Education

- Real PE – Unit 3 – Social.
- Netball/hockey with coaches from The Royal High School.

Modern Foreign Language

- French – Family and friends.

Curriculum support

- Units of Sound/Spelling support
- Times table and handwriting practise
- Rapid Maths

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Science

- Living things and their habitats: describe the differences in the life cycles of a mammal, an amphibian, an insect and a bird.
- Describe the life process of reproduction in some plants and animals.

Computing

- Differences between the World Wide Web and the internet. Research and the legitimacy of sources.

Religious Education

- What do Jewish people believe about God, the Covenant and the Torah?

PSHE

- Living in the wider world.

Our Newbridge Journey

Our enquiry is: How important are rivers to us?

This means we will be learning about: The continents, major rivers in the world, stages of a river, how humans use rivers and the impact of rivers on populations.

The key skills we will be developing are:

I can choose what is relevant, and present information in an appropriate format.

I can show an awareness of the social and political world and know how we can affect change.

Mathematics

- Multiply and divide – formal written methods.
- Multiply and divide – mental strategies.
- Multiply and divide – problem solving.
- Area – finding the area of composite rectilinear shapes.
- Comparing and ordering fractions
- Equivalent fractions.
- Mixed numbers and improper fractions.
- Adding and subtracting fractions.

Geography

- Physical geography: continents, seas, rivers and cities.
- Comparing climates. Stages of a river.
- Human geography: use and effect of rivers on humans.
- The impact on humans from rivers flooding.

Music

- Song writing protest: listening, reflecting, composing and performing.

Design Technology

- Design and make plasticine journey of a river.

Home Learning

- Weekly spelling patterns and Year 5/6 word list.
- Home learning tasks.
- Maths with Parents – parental choice.

British Values

- Developing a greater understanding of other cultures and beliefs.
- Having a better understanding of our local area.