Autumn Term 2026 at Northfield Road - Year 5

Welcome back to all our families, carers and children. It is so good to see all the smiling faces of the children back and ready for an exciting term ahead. We are ready and working hard to ensure your children feel prepared for their final year in primary school. Please keep your eye on the school website for updates and we will keep you informed of any developments. We look forward to continuing to work alongside you this term.

The Year 5 team include: 5H Miss Rogerson, 5D Mrs Baker
Support Staff across 5– Mrs Francis- Chamberlain

English and Maths

In Maths, we will be learning about Place Value, Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication, Division and Area. We will also focus on learning our times tables.

This term, in English, we will be using a range of texts alongside A Kind of Spark and I Talk Like a River to inspire our writing – focusing on recount and narrative writing. We will then look at the books A girl of Ink and Stars and Blackberry Blue, where we will further develop her narrative skills and also the ability to persuade others.

Dates for your diary..

- 2.10.26 – Own clothes day for Harvest donation
- 7.10.26 – Parents' Evening (details to follow)
- 8.10.26 – Parents' Evening (details to follow)
- 12.10.26 – Flu Vaccinations
- 23.10.26- Baggeridge Challenge Academy trip
- 9.11.26 – School Photographs
- 16.11.26 – Odd Socks day
- 20.11.26 – Non-Uniform day (Children in Need)
- 3.12.26 – Music Carnival workshop 2pm
- 4.12.26 – INSET day (school closed for pupils)
- 8.12.26 - Carols at Church
- 15.12.28 – Christmas Fayre
- 16.12.26 - Christmas Dinner Day



26th October – 30th October November

PSHE

Children will look at ways of communicating respectfully and forming positive friendships.

French

Children will learn to order food and drinks from a French tearoom and work towards performing a short role play for this. After this we will progress to learning how to describe the weather and give a brief weather forecast.

Music

We will be exploring Brazilian samba sounds and composing a piece of music in a carnival style.

Geography – We will be learning about climate zones and biomes.
History – We will be studying the Anglo Saxons and the invasion of the Vikings.
Science - This term, we will be learning about animals including humans.
RE – We will be exploring what it means to follow God or a spiritual path from the perspective of different religions.
Art – This term we are studying impressionism and the work of Claude Monet.
DT – We will be sewing to create our own cushion.

P.E

During this term we will be developing our dance, football and netball skills.
Our P.E days for Year 5 are **Monday** and **Friday.**
Children should come to school in their PE kit, with earrings removed at home. If children come to school wearing incorrect kit, they will be changed into spare kit.



Computing

This term, children will develop their skills in creating a webpage and spreadsheets.

