



# Year 5 News

## 4<sup>th</sup> July 2025



### What we've been learning recently

**English:** In English, we've been exploring descriptive writing through the magical world of *Harry Potter*! The children have written setting descriptions of the Potions room from the perspective of either Ron or Hermione, using "show not tell," the five senses, and powerful vocabulary to bring the scene to life. We've seen such an improvement in their writing - the suspense, atmosphere, and detail have been fantastic!

**Maths:** In Maths, we've been learning all about converting units of measure - from grams to kilograms, millilitres to litres, and more. The children have worked really hard to understand when and how to use different units. We're especially excited to put our learning into practice with some cooking activities very soon!

**Art:** In Art, we've now finished building our amazing insect creations using Mod Roc. The children are now adding colour and detail with paint, and the results are looking fabulous! From bright beetles to detailed dragonflies, their creativity and care are really shining through.

### Over the next fortnight we will be...

Over the next couple of weeks, we'll be using some of our curriculum time to focus on building friendships, strengthening teamwork, and engaging in practical, hands-on learning experiences. It's a great opportunity for the children to connect, collaborate, and grow together in a fun and supportive environment getting them all ready for their Year 6 adventure!

### Important Notices

**PE Kit:** Please ensure your child wears their full PE kit every Friday.

**BRASS:** Next week's brass lesson is on a Monday, please ensure your child brings in their instrument.

**COMING SOON:** Look out for pictures from our incredible camp!

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### Shining Stars

Congratulations to our Shining Stars from the last two weeks for demonstrating our school values.

**5B –** Daisy, Oscar, Lydia, Mia

**5W –** Matthew, Lola, Salvador, Amelia (Dot)