



Welcome to the Year 5 Newsletter. We hope you will find the information here useful. Please come and speak to us if you have any questions.

The staffing in Year 5 is as follows:

Mr Lomax                      Mrs

Mr Knowles

Mrs Howarth

### Key Information

Hamer Primary Website

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PE will be taking place on Thursday afternoons again. Please make sure that your child arrives in their PE kit.



### Year Group News

We are looking forward to a new year and new start. We have updated our dojo policy and the children can now get dojos for different things such as 5 dojos for being in all week!

Please can you make sure that your child is aware of how important it is to wash their hands and how to keep clean and hygienic. All children will be asked to wash or sanitise their hands on numerous occasions throughout the school day.

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## Year 5 Curriculum

### Maths

During this term, the focus will be on place value, ensuring that the children are confident working with numbers up to 7 digits. Then, we will work on consolidating knowledge on all four mathematical operations and using these to solve multi-step problems. We will also complete work on fractions, decimals and percentages.

### English

Our first book in Year 5 will be How to train your dragon? We will use the story to provide stimulus to allow the children to write a character description and also a non-chronological report.

### Science

The children will start their learning this year with a catch up on Sound from Year 4 before moving onto our first Year 5 Science topic. The children will start their Year 5 Science topics by looking at the Earth, Moon and Space. They cover many things, such as the following: the rotation of the Earth; why we have day and night; the phases of the moon and the order of the planets.

### Topic

This term the children will start their learning with Invaders and Settlers, which will include why they both invaded England. They will also be about the world using Around the world in 80 days as a stimulus. The children will be learning all about our world such as the 5 Oceans, 7 Continents and also the Tropics.

## Computing

In computing this term the children will be covering the following topics:

E-safety  
Coding

## PE

Non-contact sports led by Edstart

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