



WELCOME TO YEAR 5



A WARM WELCOME

Hello and welcome to Year 5! We are really looking forward to seeing you all back in school in the coming months.

Due to the current circumstances regarding Covid-19, our transition arrangements for the new school year will look a little different this year, however please be assured we will be doing everything we can to help your child settle into Year 5 smoothly.

Please follow these slides for a virtual tour of Year 5 and introductions from the Year 5 team. ☺

Welcome to Year 5

Hello!

The Year 5 team this year are Mr Turner and Mrs Booth.

We worked as a team with the previous Year 5 group and are extremely excited to be working together again this year.

Mr Turner will be the full time teacher in the classroom (with the exception of one morning/afternoon each week).

Mrs Booth will be with the class teaching assistant.

We hope to have another fantastic year and can't wait to get things started with the new Year 5 group in September!

LEARNING ENGLISH IN YEAR 5

Much like last year, we follow the Talk for Writing scheme in Year 5 as well.

We will learn the story, create a story map, before innovating the story with our own ideas. Finally, we will use the structure of the original story to create a brand new one.

Here are some of the stories we will be learning in Year 5...

Zelda Claw



The Door and the Dragon

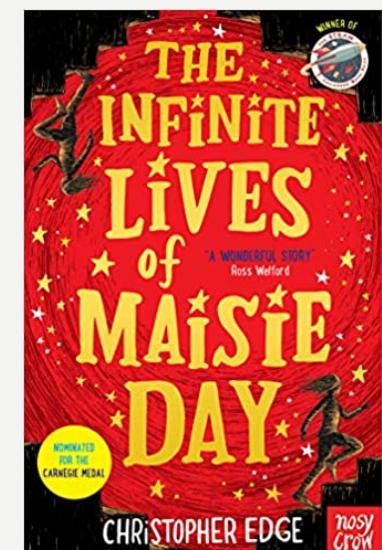
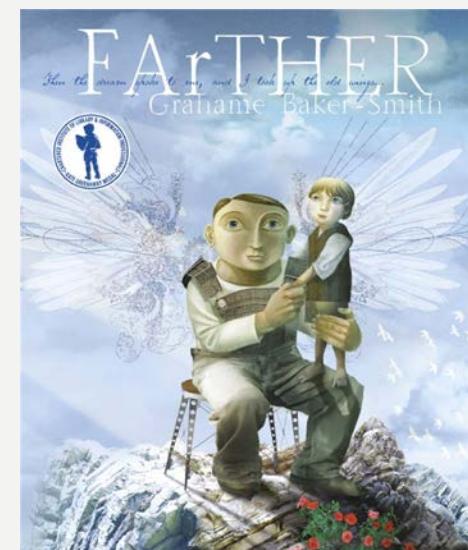
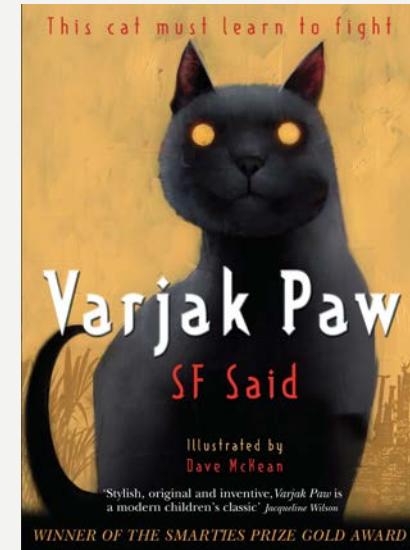
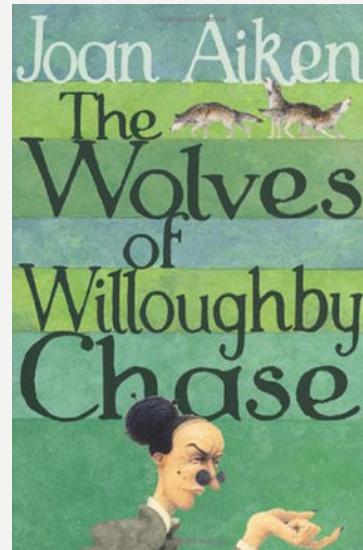
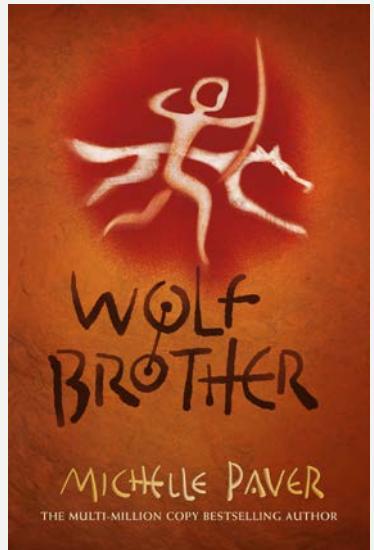
Alien Landing



The Manor House

LEARNING READING IN YEAR 5

As you are aware, reading is perhaps the most important thing we do in school. In Year 5, we love our reading sessions where we learn all about new vocabulary, make predictions and inferences, explain our thoughts and opinions, and summarize what we have read so far. Not only this, but we will of course practice the skill of reading, not only independently but as a group as well. Some of the amazing books we are going to read are shown below...



LEARNING MATHS IN YEAR 5

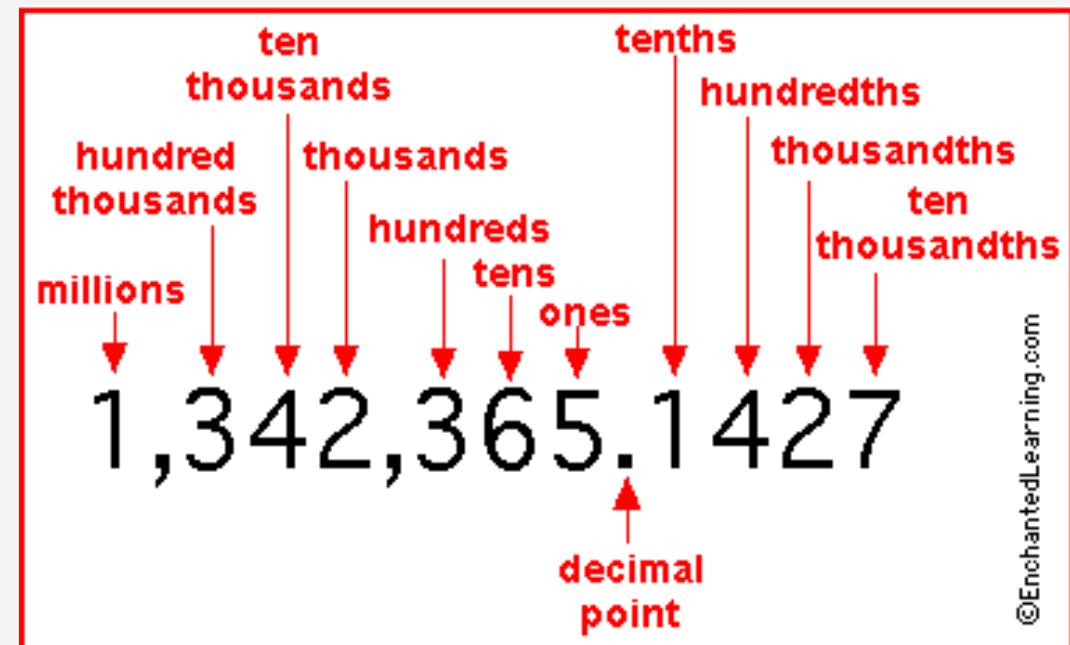
At the beginning of Year 5, we will start by learning about the place value of 5, 6 and 7 digit numbers. We will be representing them in words and numerals, rounding them, ordering and comparing them and using powers of 10 to count forwards and backwards. To make things even more challenging, we will also be introducing decimals to these numbers.

Later in the year, we will look at other areas such as percentages, fractions, geometry and statistics, as well as many others.

percentage	fraction	decimal
30%	$\frac{3}{10}$	0.3

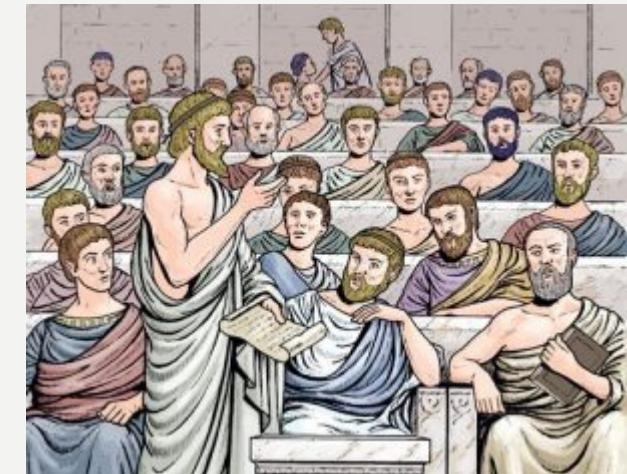
**to go from a fraction to a percentage
we can convert to a decimal first**

$3/5 \rightarrow 0.6 \rightarrow 60\%$



LEARNING TOPIC IN YEAR 5

In Year 5 we do lots of interesting topics. In the autumn term we learn about how the ancient Greeks introduced democracy to Europe. We find out a bit about what Greece was like in those times, what their democracy looked like and how it has changed modern day Britain.



UNIFORM

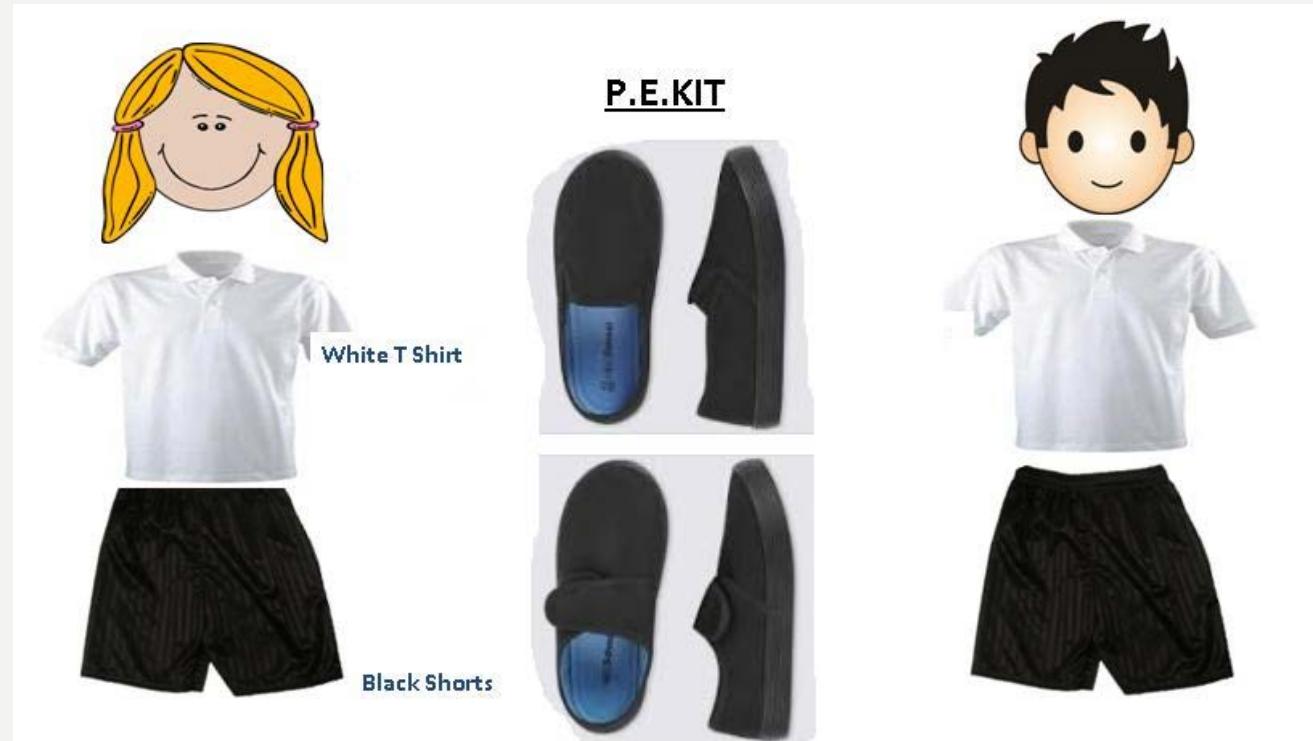
All P.E. kit and uniform MUST be labelled, including jumpers and cardigans.

We expect the children to take responsibility for their own uniform. It is much easier for them to find their own clothes after P.E. or if they take off their jumper or cardigan during the school day.



P.E. LESSONS

In Year 5, we will have one P.E. session per week and we always aim to make the session as active as possible. If you aren't out of breath, or a little rosy-cheeked by the end, you haven't worked hard enough!



Please make sure you have P.E. kit in school every day.

THANK YOU

We hope you have enjoyed our virtual tour of Year 5. We are really looking forward to seeing you all soon.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions. Our school telephone number is: (01242) 525616 or you can email:
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Our school website is <https://hesterswayprimaryschool.co.uk/> .

Many thanks, Mr Turner and Mrs Booth



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