



## Autumn Newsletter

### Year 5 Kites



#### What's new this term?

In maths, we will be looking at place value, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division and fractions.

Our English text is 'Race to the Frozen North' by Jamia Wilson and 'Young, Gifted and Black' by Catherine Johnson. Following this, we will be researching 'The Song of Hiawatha' by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow in poetry.

In Science we will be looking at Forces.

Our History topic this term is Anglo-Saxons and Vikings, where will be enriching our curriculum with an Anglo-Saxon experience in York.

In Computing, we will be exploring Computing Systems and Networks.

In Art, we will be developing our skills in mixed media and painting by doing portraits,  
In PSHE we are learning about Friendship.

In Music we will be exploring Composition Notation themed around the Egyptians.

RE this term will focus on Christianity.

In Spanish, we will be looking at 'Me and My Friends' where we articulate our feelings in Spanish and talk about our friends and school subjects.

#### Our PE days are:

Monday & Wednesday

#### Kit reminders:

Marsh Green hoodie,  
Marsh Green t-shirt,  
black/green shorts with  
black pumps/trainers.

Alternative P.E. Kit – Plain  
black hoody, black  
joggers/leggings/shorts  
and plain white t-shirt.

Reading morning: Every  
**Tuesday** between  
8:40am and 9am.

Aim to **read at least 3x a week at home** but **bring books/diaries into class every day.**

Homework grids will be sent out for Autumn term

Use Class Dojo for any messages/updates.

