



Shakespeare Primary School

Year 5 Newsletter Summer 2 2019

A big thank you to all the parents that attended the events over the last term. We look forward to seeing you in school again over the next six weeks.



Don't Forget...

- Please continue to encourage your children to use their planners to complete homework, learn spellings and read four times a week.
- Lots of our exciting moments are tweeted. Follow us at @shakespearels9
- The school website has an E-safety section with a comprehensive list of ideas of how to keep your child safe on the internet. Please take a look.
- Children should wear correct school uniform including black shoes.
- Whilst we wait for the field to be ready for use, Sports Day this year will be slightly different, and children will participate in a range of sports challenges across the day. Parents however will not be invited along, for this year only.

Important Dates



- 11th June- Y5/6 Basketball competition
- 13th June- Y5/6 (B team) football competition
- 14th June - Y5 NFL tournament
- 13th/20th June - Water safety/drowning prevention week
- 25th-27th June - Y5 Scooter training sessions - clean air project
- 1/2/3rd July – Y5 trip to Yeadon Tarn
- 18/19 July - Judo sessions all Y5

Our Learning Project for Summer 2 is ID

This half term we will be exploring who we think we are. Looking at whether we are extroverts, introverts, singletons, twins or even triplets. We will use our detective skills to research fingerprints, footprints, our genes and DNA. In our English lessons we will be reading Skellig by David Almond before putting what we have learnt to the test by writing our very own character descriptions and taking part in debates.

By the end of the half term we hope to have created alternative album covers in music, looked at debugging during our computing lessons and taken part in an art project across the year group, working together to create a large mural to display in school.

In Science we will use our investigative skills to explore and create classification keys and branching databases before solving a mystery with a fingerprint investigation.

Maths

Geometry (properties of shapes and position and direction), Measurement (converting units and volume)

Other Areas of Learning

- PE- Athletics and Outdoor adventurous activities
- PSHE- Growing up and changing