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Meltham Newsletter

YEAR 5



Welcome!

We would like to wish you a warm welcome to Year 5.

We hope that you all had a lovely holiday, enjoyed the break and are all eager and ready to tackle the new school year and fantastic new topics. We are very excited to be back at school!

Remember to follow us over on Twitter @yr5melthamce to keep updated with your child's learning.

South America & Space

With a strong Science and Geography focus, Year Five will be warming up winter with these exciting new topics. They will be travelling to the tropics of South America and learning about the importance of the rainforest. We will be zooming into outer Space and exploring the planets and constellations.

Homework

Homework will be available via PurpleMash on a Friday. The children have been given a homework and reading diary.

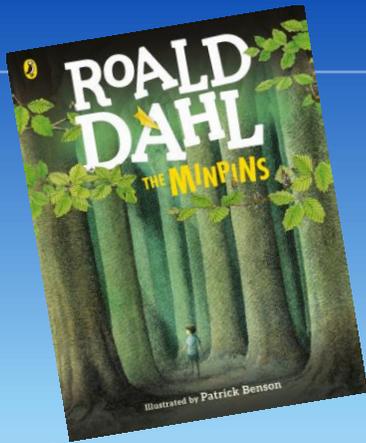
Daily reading is essential and we would ask that reading records are kept up to date.

Times tables require constant practise up to 12x12, including division facts.

Spellings will form part of regular homework.

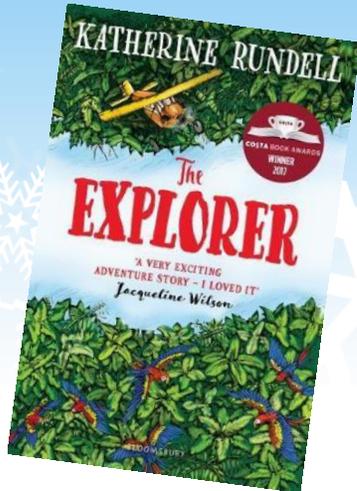
This term's homework project is all about South America. The children have been given a book and an outline of work to be completed weekly. This book should remain at home and be returned to school on Friday 10th December.





The Minpins & The Explorer

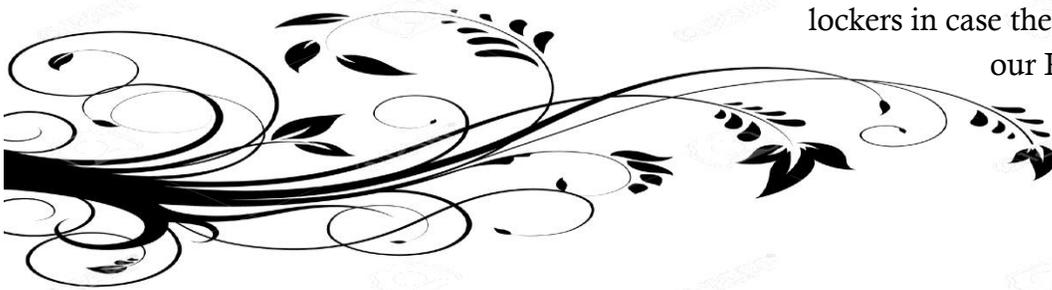
English lessons this term will focus on delving deep into the forest and uncovering the mystery it protects. We will meet the tiny Minpins who live high up in the trees but who are all afraid of a fearsome beast. We will also be following the fate of four children who find themselves lost deep in the Amazon Rainforest.



P.E

Please can you ensure your child wears warm outdoor clothes for our games lessons on a Thursday. Tracksuit bottoms or leggings, a hoodie or jacket, trainers and a plain t-shirt will suffice. Please do not send your child in football or rugby shirts. You may also want to pack gloves and a hat for when the temperature begins to drop.

Spare kit can be kept in the children's lockers in case the weather is very wet on our P.E. days.



Finally, please do not hesitate in contacting us with any queries. Obviously, we are busy during the school hours but we are free to talk after 3:15pm or drop us an email.

We are looking forward to a fantastic year ahead!

Mr Davies Mrs Watson Mrs Mellor Mrs Needham

