



Moving into Year 5

Information
booklet for
parents

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PE and SWIMMING

- In the Autumn and Summer Term your child will have PE on a Monday, unless you are told otherwise, and should bring their kit into school as normal.
- In the Spring Term your child will be swimming every Tuesday afternoon.
- It is advisable for your child to keep their PE kit in school still during Spring term for one of events and after school clubs for example.



READING

- Your child will still have a yellow reading record book. They will be expected to read every night and parents will need to keep signing the record as before.
- Even though your child is now a confident reader, it is still important for you to listen to them and now ask them more comprehension questions from the document we provide.
- The testing of reading is focused on what the children understand and so if parents work with us on this your child can only benefit.
- Your child is not too old for you to read to them either



HOW CAN YOU HELP YOUR CHILD?

- Your child should now be independent and responsible enough to look after their belongings, homework and learning.
- Continue to support with homework where necessary.
- The end of Year expectation booklets make it very clear what your child should know, if possible by the end of Year 5, help your child work towards these goals.
- Read the curriculum letters and follow the suggested advice on activities that can help.
- Look on the school website for links to other educational websites that might be useful.

