<u>Lea Endowed School</u> Class 5 Newsletter - Friday 30th September 2016

This Week

Once again, can I begin by saying a big thank you to those parents who attended the 'supporting children with reading and writing' meeting with Mrs Bolton. I hope that it has provided you with some valuable strategies to use at home. Again, we really appreciate your support.

In English this week we have been writing a story that is set by the sea. We will be editing and improving them next week. In Maths we have been looking at lots of different ways to multiply including using long multiplication. Can I say a very big thank you to Amelia and Sophie who planned and delivered class worship about hope this week. Finally, congratulations to those children who were selected for the school football team. You worked very hard with your behaviour in class and attitude towards your work and you really deserved to be selected.

Mr Smith - Class 5 Teacher



Reminders

- Please can you make sure that your child has their swimming kit and towel each Friday.
- Whilst we discourage children bringing a mobile phone or any other electronic device into school, if your child needs to bring one can you ensure that it gets turned off before they enter school and it is handed in to Mrs Seagrave for safe-keeping.
- Please keep an eye out for club letters in the next couple of weeks. Teachers will be starting during and after-school clubs and places will be offered on a first come first serve basis.



Next Week

Worship - This term our worship theme is 'Friendship'. Each week selected children will be planning their own worship based on this theme.

Topic - Our topic theme is Survival.

English - Next week we will be editing the stories that we have written.

Maths - In Maths we will be looking at 2D and 3D Shape. *RE* - We will be mapping the life journey of a significant character from history.

Science - In Science we will be learning about how and why animals adapt to their environment which links nicely to our A**rt** where we will be looking at camouflage.

Geography - In our Geography lesson we will be looking at a region of the world where a large number of animals are specially adapted for the environment.

PE - In PE we will be thinking about different ways to travel, jump, roll and balance.

Computing - In computing we will be focusing on how to use Search Engines more effectively.

Diary Dates

Friday 30th September – Year 5 & 6 Swimming Friday 7th October – Year 5 & 6 Swimming Sunday 9th October at 10am – Harvest Service at St Christopher's Friday 14th October – Year 5 & 6 Swimming Thursday 20th October – School Open Evening 3.30pm – 6pm

Homework

Homework will be handed out on Friday this week due to the football tournament on Thursday. It must be completed and returned by Tuesday so that it can be marked. It would be much appreciated if you could read with your child as much as possible and sign their reading record accordingly please. Children should bring their reading book and reading record back to school every day please.

Outstanding Behaviour

Well done to **Niamh**, **Amelia** and **Joseph** who have been outstanding at least three times this week.

Curriculum Star of the Week – **Erin Southword**For showing the Christian Value of Hope – **Joseph Ince**