



## Class 5 Newsletter



Spring Term – 23/02/18

Welcome back! It is set to be another busy and exciting half term in school!

### This Week...

#### **Maths**

This week we have been practicing strategies for addition and subtraction calculations. We have also been looking at the Maths tests we completed at home and seeing where we were successful and where we need to improve!

#### **English**

We have been watching a short film called 'The Lighthouse'. From this we have been writing our own versions of the beginning of the story. We have also been looking at the English tests we completed at home and seeing where we were successful and where we need to improve!

#### **Across the Curriculum**

This week we have participated in 'BIBLE EXPLORER' – we have started an interactive journey through the Old Testament! In Geography we have been finding out about the location of Earth's volcanoes and why they explode!

### Next Week...

#### **Maths**

We will be looking at measurement, ratio and proportion as well as revising key skills for arithmetic.

#### **English**

We will be continuing our work on 'The Lighthouse' – the children will be continuing their own versions of the story.

#### Borwick Hall Residential Trip.

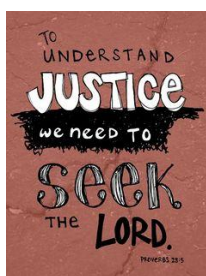
**Borwick Hall was an amazing experience for the children! It was fantastic to see their confidence and independence grow. The behaviour of the children was fantastic so a BIG THANK-YOU to them all.**

### Important Dates

- OPEN DOOR - Wednesday 3.20pm until 3.40pm. Please feel free to visit our classroom and ask any questions you may have.
- Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> March @ 6pm Parent's reading meeting in school with Mrs Bolton – you are very welcome to attend and find out some practical ideas for helping your child with reading at home.
- Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> March (2:30 – 3:00pm) PTA Mothers' Day Afternoon Tea (Mums and Grandmas welcome).
- Monday 26<sup>th</sup> March – Easter Activity Day (Parent helpers welcome – please contact school)
- Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> March – Easter Around the World Celebration @ 9:30am – You are warmly invited to join us.
- w/b 14<sup>th</sup> May SATs week for Year 6

### THANK – YOU!

- A BIG, BIG thank-you to all parents for supporting the children with their holiday homework pack!
- Also thank you so much to all who came to the SATs meeting this week. I really value your support in helping your child to achieve the best they possibly can. All information from this meeting will be on the website in our class area.
- Homework is to be returned to school on a MONDAY please! I would greatly appreciate it if you could support your child at home with their homework – any problems then please let me know!
- The 'Space' project is due back on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> March.



### Special News!

Curriculum Certificate – Annie

Christian Value – Justice – Adam

Writer of the Week – Nicola

