

# Lea Endowed School

## Class 5 Newsletter – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2016

### This Week

Can I start by saying a big thank you to those parents who attended the Year 6 Welcome Meeting this week. It was a great way to introduce myself and tell you a little bit about me and my expectations for this year. In addition, I was very pleased with all the home work that was returned on time and with how much home reading is happening. Thank you for all your support and hard work for making this happen.

In class we have been busy preparing ourselves to write a story set by the sea next week in English. In Maths we have been looking at lots of different ways to carry out addition. In class worship time we discussed self-control. I asked if the children could ask at home if there was anybody who had a story to tell about resisting temptation. It would be nice if we could begin next week's worship with some good or amusing stories.

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 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.



### 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 writing a story that is set by the sea that involves a fight for survival.

**Maths** – In Maths we will be looking at multiplication and time.

**RE** – We will be thinking about the religious celebrations that we have enjoyed on our life journey so far.

**Science** – In science we will be learning about how and why animals adapt to their environment which links nicely to our **Art** where we will continue to experiment with 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, while staying safe online.

### Diary Dates

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September - Year 5 & 6 Swimming

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> September – "How to help your child achieve their best in Reading and Writing" 6pm

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September – Year 5 & 6 Swimming

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October – Year 5 & 6 Swimming

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October – Year 5 & 6 Swimming

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> October – School Open Evening 3.30pm – 6pm

### Homework

Homework 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 **Kezia, Samantha, Luke, Erin, Niamh, Amelia, Isabelle, Sophie, Ethan, Jason, Chloe, Gracie, Kyson and Joseph** who have been on "Outstanding" at least three times this week.

Curriculum Star of the Week – **Samantha Eames**

For showing the Christian Value of forgiveness –

**Chloe Hehir**