



Year Five News

Miss Eccles and Mr. Tracey

June, 2017



Dates for your diary

Monday 12th June, 2017

- Key Stage Two **Sports' Day** (weather permitting)

Thursday 15th June, 2017

- **Summer Fete**, starting at 6:30pm in school



Tuesday 20th June, 2017

Wednesday 21st June, 2017

- Year Seven present '**Joseph**' – performances at 7:00pm in school assembly hall

Thursday 22nd June, 2017

- Year Five trip to '**The Jungle N.I.**'

Monday 26th June, 2017

- Presentation of Year Four – Year Seven **awards**
- **Reports** are issued today

Friday 30th June, 2017

- **Last day of term!**
 - Years One, Two, Three and siblings to be collected at 12noon; and
 - Years Four to Seven to be collected at 12:30pm

P.S.N.I. visit Year Five



Year Five had a visit from the P.S.N.I. on Tuesday 6th June, 2017.

Constable Peter Thompson delivered an informative, interesting and very important presentation. Constables Adrian and Kerry also came along. We had lots of fun when Ellie, Grace and Eoin got to dress up in police uniform. Daniel even got 'arrested'!

We hope our pupils enjoyed the visit and took away some of the key messages from Constable Thompson's time with us. Do take time to talk about this important information at home.

As always, our pupils behaved admirably and were great ambassadors for themselves, our year group and our school. **Well done, everyone!**

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Our Learning Plan

Literacy

We will be completing our class novel, '**James and the Giant Peach**'. If you've a copy of the novel at home, it'd be really helpful if you could bring it in to use in school. Thank you!

Our main unit of work will be based around the genre of **advertisements**. We will look at a number of different types of advertisements and identify how they persuade people to buy products. We will also choose our own product and plan and carry out an advertising campaign!

We will be completing lots of revision and consolidation activities in **grammar** and **punctuation**. We will also complete our work in **phonics**, with a focus on t, w/wh, z and y.

Numeracy

In Numeracy this month, our main topics will be:

- learning how to **multiply any two-digit number by a single digit**, using a standard written method;
- exploring how to **divide two-digit numbers beyond the tables**, using a standard written method;
- learning about **remainders** when we are dividing;
- using, reading and writing standard metric units for **capacity**;
- exploring the relationship between **familiar units of capacity**;
- learning the **equivalent of fractions of a litre in ml**; and
- taking part in **practical activities to estimate and measure capacity**.

The World Around Us

We will be continuing with our topic on **Rainforests**. We will:

- explore the variety of **plant and animal life** in the rainforest and the conditions necessary for their growth and survival;
- know about the classification of animals into **vertebrates / invertebrates**;
- learn about the five **vertebrate groupings** and explain some features of each;
- learn about **deforestation**; and
- be introduced to some **rainforest tribes**.

