

Newsletter CLASS 5 AUTUMN TERM 2



Maths - this half term we will be using the written methods for short multiplication, short division (bus stop) Fractions, multiples, factors and common factors, prime numbers and square numbers, negative numbers, 3D shapes, timetables and line graphs

Our new class reader is the classic text - *The Lion, The Witch and the Wardrobe*

ENGLISH - We are learning to recognise parenthesis - adding extra information to our sentences, punctuating with brackets, commas or dashes

SCIENCE - We are studying **LIGHT** - how we see things. How light reaches our eyes. How light refracts. Prisms. Looking at pin hole cameras and periscopes. Light and mirrors. Shadows



HISTORY Continue our Viking study. Find out about The Bayeux Tapestry. Compare Kings - Alfred the Great, Athelstan, Cnut, Edward the Confessor, Harold and William the Conqueror

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - We will be comparing the Christmas celebrations in Christian countries around the World

P.E. (Tuesdays) **ART** - Make a shadow puppet theatre. Christmas art & crafts Can I use the formal written method for multiplication

Salford Community Leisure will be teaching us **GYMNASTICS**

ICT - We will be researching, editing and presenting our non-chronological reports

FRENCH - we will be learning how to ask and tell each other the time

MUSIC - On Monday November 25th we will be performing our Anglo - Saxon Project with The Halle Inspire musicians. Parents are invited to join us at 2.45 p.m. in the Hall

Class 5W will be working with Class 4D to perform a short musical play about Christmas Around the World - Dates to follow

HAPPY CHRISTMAS to all our families