

St Osmund's Catholic Primary School

Welcome to Year 5

The crest of St Osmund's Catholic Primary School is a shield-shaped emblem. It features a maroon background with a large, stylized, gold-colored letter 'S' in the center. The shield is outlined with a gold border.

Class teacher: Miss McKeever

Teaching Assistant: Mrs Robinson Cole

Curriculum Evening - Year five

Curriculum

- Cross curricular where possible
- Some themes span a whole term and others half termly

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Our topics

- Autumn 1: How things work (life cycles, how different organisms adapt to survive in various parts of the world)
- Autumn 2: The Tudors
- Spring 1: Space
- Spring 2: The Victorians
- Summer 1: Energy
- Summer 2: Coasts

Music

Listen to and appraise five songs; know their musical styles, who wrote them, historical context (what was going on at the time).

Art and DT

In art we will be studying the artist Lowry. We will learn about what influenced him, whilst re-creating some of his most famous pieces.

French

We will be learning how to greet and give people personal information.

Computing

Search engines: We will learn how to accurately search for information that is reliable.

History

Children will be focussing on a local study, the Tudors. We will explore how the Tudors came to and changed Britain in addition to the crimes and punishments associated with this period in time.

Geography

Climate Zones and Biomes. Pupils will be able to state features of biomes and identify indigenous peoples; explain the interdependency of organisms in a biome; give details as to how organisms adapt to cope with life

PE

Outdoor PE (taught every Wednesday Afternoon) will be covering hockey, tag rugby and football. Indoor PE will be fitness tests and circuits.

Year 5 Autumn

Term 2023 - 2024



English

We will be reading 'The London Eye Mystery'. In lessons we will discuss the features used within the text, and write in the style of the author, Siobhan Dowd. We will produce diary entries, letters to characters and even a police report!

GPaS: noun phrases, fronted adverbials, inverted commas and adverbs.

Maths

Decimal fractions and place value: We will discuss, order and compare both whole numbers and decimal numbers up to 3 decimal places. To use column subtraction and addition with decimal numbers. We will then apply our knowledge and understanding of decimal numbers to a range of word problems

Science

Pupils will be able to describe the process of reproduction in plants and animals and compare how different animals reproduce and grow.

We will also study the work of various naturalists.

RE

We will be covering the following topics in the 'Come and See' scheme of work:

Family and Ourselves through Scripture

Belonging, through Baptism and Confirmation and life choices.

Hope, through learning about the importance of Advent.



**Kindness Respect Responsibility
Resilience Listening Honesty**

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A typical school day

- Drop off at the school gate between 8.45am – 8.55am (register taken at 8.55 and lessons begin at 9am)
- Morning session (Maths, GPaS, break-time, English and lunch: 9am – 12.30)
- Afternoon session (Foundation subjects: 1.30 – 3.30)
- PE every Wednesday afternoon
- Swimming every Thursday morning
- 3.30pm – school day ends and all pupils are to be collected from the vehicle gate.

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R.E.

- Follow 'Come & See' scheme of work - involves class discussion, writing, art
- Prayers
- Prepare and deliver collective worship within the class
- Study other World Faiths - Judaism and World Faith Mix-up Days
- 10% of curriculum time (2 hours per week)



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Assemblies and masses

- Attend assembly 3 times weekly
- School masses
- House Feast Days – will be celebrated at church with a treat in the afternoon
- Monsignor Cronin will deliver some assemblies



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Reading

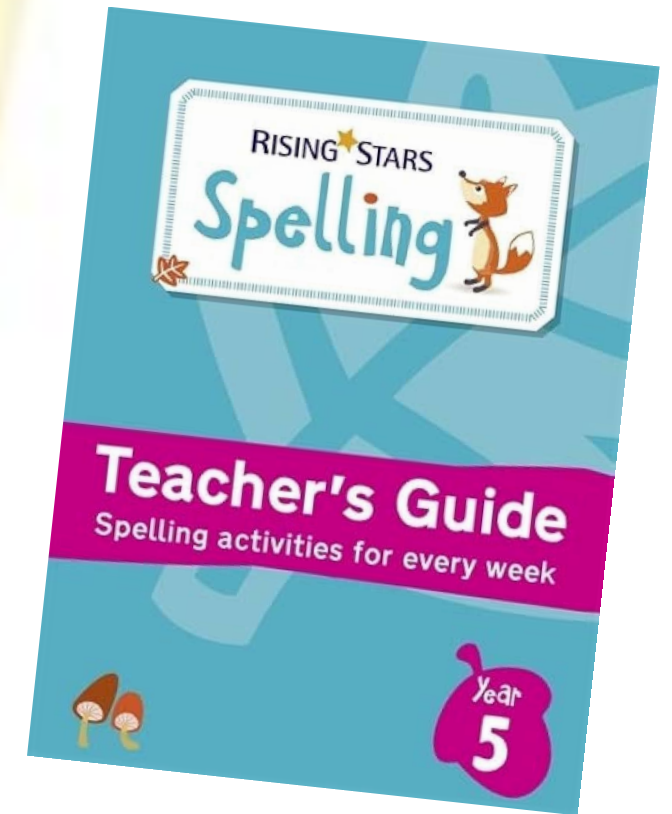
- We hear children read as part of guided reading, individually and as an integral part of lessons.
- Reading lists and recommended books can be found on our school website which span a breadth of genres
- School library and class library
- Read with your child regularly and make a note in their reading record



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Spelling

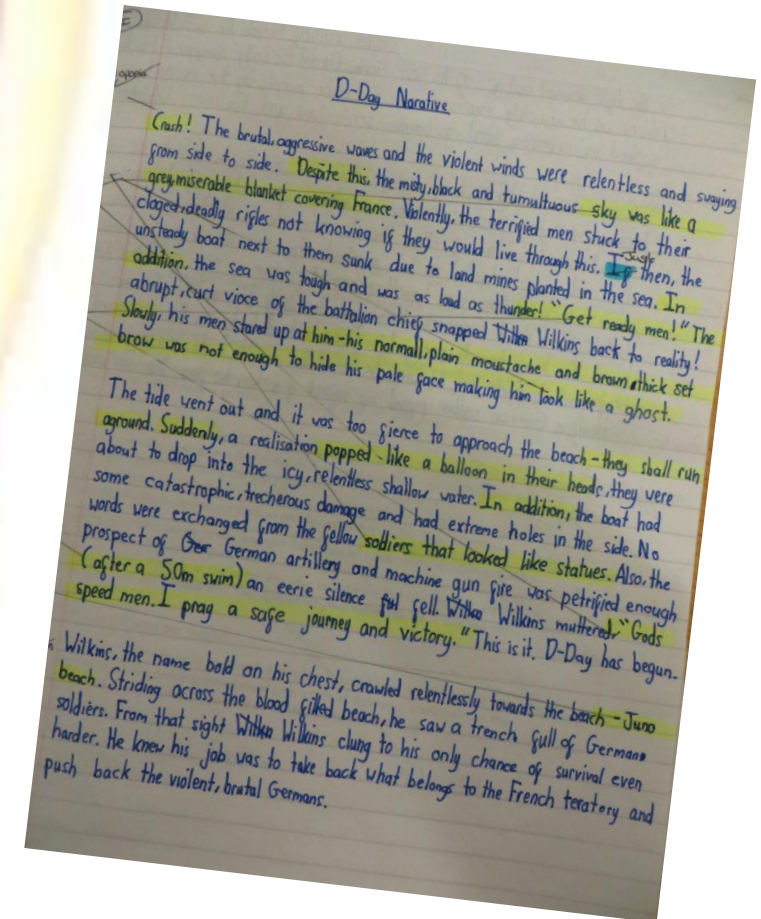
- Spellings are set on a Friday afternoon - these will include a spelling pattern/rule and some words from the year 5/6 statutory spelling list.
- Review and test on Friday.
- Grammar Spelling and Punctuation journal needs to go home daily with evidence of daily spelling work.



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Writing in KS2

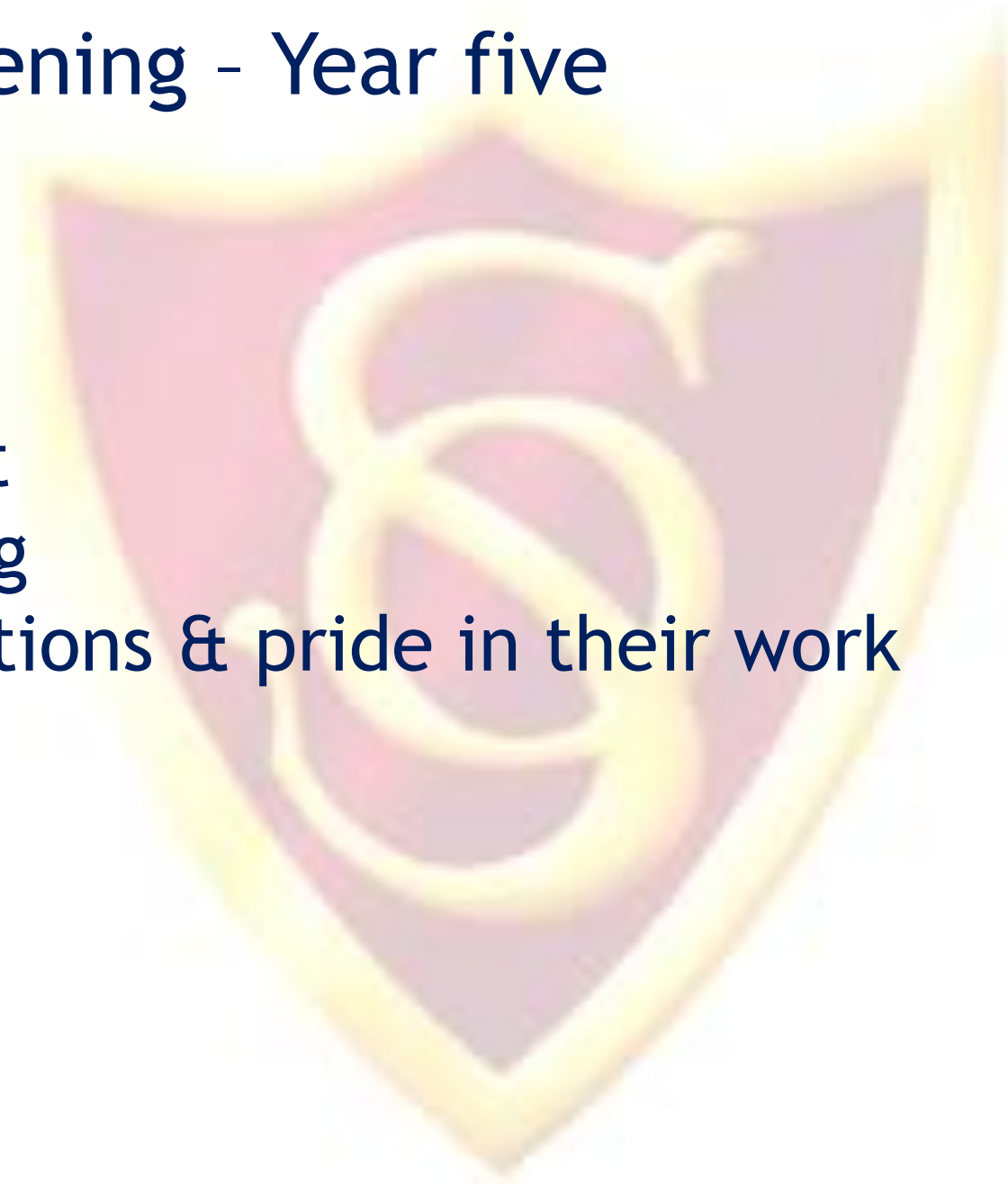
- Studying different genres - thrillers, historical stories, mystery/adventure, autobiography/biography, poetry and non - chronological reports
- Features of different text types
- Breadth of vocabulary
- Knowledge of sentence structure and types
- Figurative language and impact upon the reader
- GPaS
- Presentation is extremely important!



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Handwriting

- Cursive Script
- Letter spacing
- High expectations & pride in their work



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Mathematics



- Real life practical examples
- Number and place value (including negative numbers, money, area and scaling, fractions and decimals, conversion of units, angles and factors, multiples and prime numbers.
- Pupil's should be confident in using the four main operations in maths (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division). This will support their ability to reason mathematically and apply their knowledge to a vast range of problems.
- Homework - focus on mental mathematics (Schofield & Sims) as well as work we have focused on in class.

Homework



- **Grammar task or comprehension** (Schofield and Sims book, set Monday and due on Wednesday - 30 minutes)
- **Mathematics** homework, set Wednesday and returned on Friday (45 minutes)
- **Topic/English** homework handed out on Friday and returned on Tuesday (60 minutes)
- **Spellings** given out on Friday to be tested on the following Friday.

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Behaviour & Discipline

- Golden Values
- House points
- Ready - Respect - Believe
- Encouragement & high expectations



Ready ✖ Respect ✖ Believe

Ready

- Be on time
- Correct, smart uniform
- Correct equipment
- Positive attitude to learning
- Well rested
- Well prepared
- Hydrated

Respect

- Respectful of staff and peers
- Respectful of environment
- Speak and listen with respect
- Respectful of resources/belongings
- Walking sensibly
- Following rules and instructions
- Respect for ideas, thoughts and opinions of others.

Believe

- Growing in faith
- Believing in yourself
- Being engaged and enthusiastic
- Reflecting on learning
- Recognising strength
- Resilience
- Learning from mistakes
- Growth mindset

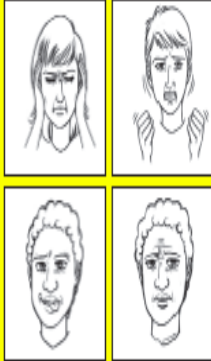
Be Ready, Be Respectful and Believe

Curriculum Evening - Year Six

Zones of Regulation - whole school approach

- The concept of The Zones of Regulation is to teach students to self-regulate their sensory needs as well as their emotions and impulses in order to meet the demands of the environment and be successful academically and socially. (Leah M. Kuypers).
- We want all our pupils to find their optimum state to learn and to be able to move from one zone to another independently and cope with challenging situations when faced with them.

The **ZONES** of Regulation®

			
BLUE ZONE	GREEN ZONE	YELLOW ZONE	RED ZONE
Sad	Happy	Frustrated	Mad/Angry
Sick	Calm	Worried	Mean
Tired	Feeling Okay	Silly/Wiggly	Terrified
Bored	Focused	Excited	Yelling/Hitting
Moving Slowly	Ready to Learn	Loss of Some Control	Out of Control

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Lateness, absence, sickness & going home

- School drop off is between 8:45 - 8:55 am (pedestrian gate) and pick up will be at 3:30 pm (vehicle gate)
- Who collects your child? If this changes please ensure to let the school know by phoning or emailing the school office.
- Absences- let us know as soon as possible.

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Sport

- NSS (Mr Sever) teaches P.E on Wednesday afternoon this term - wear PE kit, hoodies allowed
- Please label items
- Daily Mile

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Swimming

- At Putney leisure centre for 10 weeks
- Children to travel by coach from school with year 4
- Swimwear should be blue/navy
- Children must bring a towel and swimming hat
- Parents can volunteer to travel and assist - contact the school office
- Non-volunteering parents should not arrive at the leisure centre.

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Uniform

- Smart & correct uniform at all times
- All items clearly labelled with your child's name
- Socks - grey, white or navy
- Navy or white hair accessories
- Correct P.E kit

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Educational visits

- Autumn trips Hampton Court Palace(date TBC)
- Summer - Juniper Hall (residential 20th May - 23rd May)

<https://www.field-studies-council.org/primary-residentials/>



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Communication

- Appointments - via the school office
- Class reps -