

## A little note from Year 5 .....

Tuesday 23rd April 2019



Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back. We hope you had a fantastic Easter holidays.

Our topic this Summer term is **Below the Waves**. We have had great feedback from the children as to the new Homework Grids. Our past topic of Ancient Greece certainly proved to be very popular with the children.

We are continuing to use the same format. A new homework grid has been created whereby the children can pick and choose their own homework projects.

It would be wonderful if your children could be encouraged to complete at least two Maths and two Literacy homework tasks; and two homework tasks from the Science section, and two from the Humanities section. Should the children wish to complete more, please feel free to do so.

That's four homework entries per half term, eight homework entries in total. Please find attached a 'Homework Grid' that will cover the Summer Term.

Once again, this first week we would like the children to look at the homework grid and start to decide which projects they will be completing this first half of the term. There is a blank column on the grid where the children can write their choices down. We hope to see the first completed homework to be returned by the 29<sup>th</sup> April.

As a reminder and in addition to this, as usual the children will receive a spelling test every Monday. Spellings are handed out weekly in their spelling books. They will also be tested frequently on their times tables. It is essential that the children know their times tables fluently. It helps them so much in their maths. Also, as part of your child's development please do continue to hear your children read.

Once again, we very much look forward to seeing what the children produce. The past term's homework topic on Ancient Greece has delivered some amazing creative work and we can't wait to see what they will bring in this term! Please also feel free to share books and other interesting things you discover, or have at home that relate to the Sea and Rivers.

Kind Regards,

Mrs Benson and Miss Sleat.