

Year 5 Learning Letter

Friday 9th June 2023

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Busy Days Ahead!

As you will be aware, **Sports Day** is scheduled for Tuesday 13th June, the children have been preparing for the races with Mrs Stowell. Please see the letter that has been sent home for further details. You are warmly welcomed to come and join us to cheer on and support the children.

30 Days Wild - we are endeavouring to do activities every day in school for The Wildlife Trusts' 30 Days Wild in June. If the children are participating at home, please encourage them to let us know what they have been doing.

Also, the deadline for recording their actions for nature on the Surrey Wildlife Trust's website is Sunday 18th June....only another week! You can record your actions and upload a photo using this simple survey: <https://arcg.is/ajOir>

If we can demonstrate that our wider school community has taken the most actions for nature, North Downs could win a **£300 grant towards outdoor learning equipment and tools** for our school grounds. As one of the eleven schools taking part, we are in with a great chance to win this competition so the more families that take **Action for Nature**, the greater our chances will be!



Jigsaw PSHE for Summer Term 2023

We are starting our PSHE sessions based on "Changing Me" by discussing body/ self-image.

Week 1- Self and Body Image

Week 2- Puberty for Girls

Week 3- Puberty for Boys

Week 4-Conception

Weeks 5/6- Moving On.

You may like to consider sharing some reading material with your child to support our learning in school. Please read the Knowledge Organiser which was sent out before half term.

Over the next two weeks we will be:

- Focusing on grammar skills in our narrative writing.
- starting geography mapping skills.
- starting our PSHE and Science topics based on "Changes."
- working on spelling rules/patterns using the latest list (see your child's diary).
- Starting a new Art topic on Typography.
- Learning about Olympic sports in French

Homework

We have noticed that there are a number of children not handing in their homework on the correct day (or at all!). Please note that Spellzone homework is set and should be completed each week. If you have problems accessing this, please let us know. Homework will be handed out on a **Thursday** and is to be handed in no later than the following **Tuesday**, unless otherwise specified. Thank you!