

Year 5 Learning Letter Friday 15th March 2024

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We have been very creative in Year 5 over the last couple of weeks. The children have produced some fantastic homework on The Boy at the Back of the Class and World Book Day costumes. We have been getting outside in Science to test our parachutes and thinking about forces, as well as testing our skills at Mayan ball games!





Thank you for all your support with World Book Day and the Plastic count. Upcoming events include World Maths Day (Friday 22nd March) and our Wilder schools project at Leigh base (Thursday 21st March for Nightingales and Friday 22nd March for Skylarks)!



Speed cubing club

Well done to Alex from Skylarks on a successful start to "Speed cubing club". The children are really enjoying sharing their skills with each other.

Spellings

This is our current list of spellings, which are in your child's diary. Please use Spellzone to supplement learning.

Spelling Rule-suffixes beginning with vowels to words ending "fer"

referring

referred

referral

preferring

preferred transferring

transferred

reference

referee

preference

Homophone:

steal/steel who's/whose

aloud/allowed

wary/weary

aisle/isle

affect/effect

Spellzone Homophones word

list

Year 5 statutory spelling list

leisure

lightning

marvellous

mischievous

muscle

necessary

neighbour

nuisance

Over the next 2 weeks we will be:

- Looking at forces in Science.
- Writing our own instructional and explanation texts.
- Continuing with grammar activities including modal verbs and cohesion.
- Finishing Area and Perimeter and starting work on Statistics.
- Finishing our classroom topic in French
- Continuing to follow the **Healthy Me** part of the PSHE Jigsaw.



