





# Be the best you can be!


Our Golden Rules:

 *Be kind to others*

 *Be a good listener*

 *Be respectful towards yourself, others and the school environment*

 *Be hard working*

 *Be responsible*

## Useful websites to support your child's learning

TimesTables Rockstars—<https://trockstars.com/>

Hit the button—<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>

BBC bitesize—<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/levels/zbr9wmn>

Mystery Doug—<https://mysterydoug.com/>

Cosmic Yoga—<https://www.youtube.com/user/CosmicKidsYoga>

Science museum—<https://360tour.sciencemuseum.org.uk/>

Natural History Museum—<https://www.nhm.ac.uk/visit/virtual-museum.html>

Tate Gallery—<https://www.tate.org.uk/art/360-video/grimshaw>

LB Richmond libraries—<https://www.richmond.gov.uk/services/libraries>

*We hope you have had a restful Christmas break and we look forward to a busy, and enjoyable, Spring Term!*

*Miss Cooper, Miss Smith, Miss De Beer and Miss Abid*



Hampton Junior School

## Year 5 Spring Term 2024

### Key Year 5 information:

*The Spring Term is just around the corner and YEAR 5 have an exciting term ahead of them! Throughout the term we will be learning about Rivers, The Tudors and portraiture (See over-leaf for our curriculum map).*

- The children work so hard and as a result they get through stationery rather quickly. They need sharp pencils, blue handwriting pens, glue sticks, yellow and green highlighters and whiteboard pens, replenished regularly.
- PE and games lessons will now be on Tuesday and Friday. Please ensure your child remembers to come to school in their PE kit and that all items are named.

### Visits and Events:

5C and 5S River Thames field trip: Tuesday 16th January

5A and 5D River Thames field trip: Thursday 18th January

5S class assembly: Friday 19th January 9am

Author Visit (Benjamin Dean): Tuesday 23rd January

5A class assembly: Friday 26th January

Mental health and online safety week: W/C 5th February

World Book Day: Thursday 7th March

Tudor Day: Monday 11th March

5A and 5S parent showcase: Tuesday 12th March

5C and 5D parent showcase: Thursday 14th March

5C and 5S Hampton Court Palace: Friday 15th March

Neurodiversity week: W/C Monday 18th March

5A and 5D Hampton Court Palace: Friday 22nd March



**Maths: Skills and Knowledge**

**Multiplication and division**—multiplication of larger numbers by 1 and 2-digit numbers, applying knowledge of known facts, division of larger numbers, using short division, problem solving and multiplying and dividing mentally

**Fractions, decimals and percentages**—equivalent fractions, mixed numbers and improper fractions, adding and subtracting fractions with different denominators, multiplying fractions by whole numbers, ordering, rounding and comparing decimal numbers, percentages, problem solving

**Capacity**—comparing and estimating volume and capacity

Literacy and Language; skills and knowledge

English and Language: Skills and Knowledge

**Digital Literacy—Charmes**

**Using a short film as a narrative starting point**

Recount

**‘The Rime of the Ancient Mariner’ by Gustave Dore**

Narrative writing

Dramatic Monologue

**‘The London Eye Mystery’ by Siobhan Dowd**

Newspaper report

**Spelling**—suffixes, homophones, building words from root words, dictation. Words from the Year 5 & 6 spelling list

**Guided reading / Reading comprehension**

**Vocabulary**

Tudors, reign

Henry VIII

Monarch

Dissolving

Solution

Substance

Reversible

Irreversible

Transparency

Conductivity

Solubility

Source, mouth

Water cycle

precipitation

**Creativity and Design**

**Art/ DT:**  
Portraiture and Puppets

**Music**  
Tudor music

**Games:**  
Dance and Tag Rugby  
Basketball and Hockey

**Foreign Languages**  
The Tudor era  
The date

**Spring Term 2024**

**The Terrible Tudors**

**Skills and Knowledge Science:**

**Science:**

**Properties and Changes of Materials:** Comparing and grouping materials  
Changes of state between solid, liquid and gas  
Reversible and irreversible changes

**Animals including Humans** Changes as humans develop to old age.

**Computing:**  
Online safety, databases and selection in physical computing.

**Ways of Supporting Your Child at Home**

Reading regularly - out loud and independently

Times tables practise—multiplication and division facts

Mental mathematics including 4 operations

Regular spelling practise

**Visits:** Local libraries, Science Museum, Natural History Museum, Tate Gallery, Crane Park Nature Reserve (Some virtual tours are available)

**Humanities**

**Geography:**  
Are all rivers the same as the River Thames?

**History:**  
What impact did Henry VIII have on Britain in the 1700s? (a local study)

**RE:**  
Milestones  
Creation stories

**PSHE:**  
Relationships—Be Yourself  
Health and Wellbeing—It’s My Body

