



YEAR 5 & 6

Spring 2018

# Curriculum Newsletter

The classrooms have been transformed into industrial buildings such as cotton mills and we have lots of exciting things planned for this term. We are ready to take on our mission and explore our theme, 'From Horse to Horse Power.' Everyone has returned with a positive attitude and are eager to learn. Lots of children have enjoyed showing our value of thankfulness, thinking carefully about how lucky they are. We thank you again for your support in helping your children with their homework, times tables and reading.

Mrs Moss and Mr Hunter

## Our Learning Overview

English -diary entries, Recounts and short stories

Maths - Reasoning Style questions, Decimals, Shape and statistics

## SPRING Theme

During our theme of "Horse to Horse Power" the children will study life as a factory worker and explore the industrial revolution. We will look at how Britain changed significantly during the revolution and focus on how children were treated at this time. As Scientists, children will investigate forces and different sources of power.

In Computing, children will look at internet safety and how to stay safe online as well as programming their own factory. Children will develop their coordination and agility skills during PE using the Real PE programme. For Art and DT children will work to create their own bridge focusing on different structures and designs.

## VALUES for Spring

Thankfulness

Love

Hope

## British Values Focus

Brunel

PSHE

Dreams and Goals

Healthy Me



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#### Days & Dates

#### PE Days - Tuesday and Thursday

Kit required—shorts, t-shirt and plimsolls/trainers. (tracksuit required for colder weather)

Hair must be tied back and earrings removed.

#### Key Dates

Year 5/6 CM FLRM - 22nd March 2018

Year 5/6 MH FLRM - 23rd March 2018

Iron Bridge trip - 1st March 2018

SATS Evening - 7th February 2018

FFF - 9th February 2018 + 29 March 2018

#### Homework— specific tasks given out on a Wednesday and returned on a Tuesday

Spelling - 10 words, learn words and accompanying rule

Times tables - rapid recall of facts up to 12 X 12

Reading - 5 times a week and entered into planner

Additional useful websites:

<https://www.mymaths.co.uk/>

<https://www.spag.com/>

Google Classroom

#### Year 5/6 CM

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Mrs Hopkinson, Miss Wright

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Mrs Young, Mr Sanderson

#### SMSC Opportunities

To be covered this term:

Visit Wellingborough Library

Visit Wellingborough Museum

Have a favourite book

Watch a classic film (Oliver Twist)

Have a dream for the future.

Write a letter