

Yr5 Spring 1 Newsletter

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English

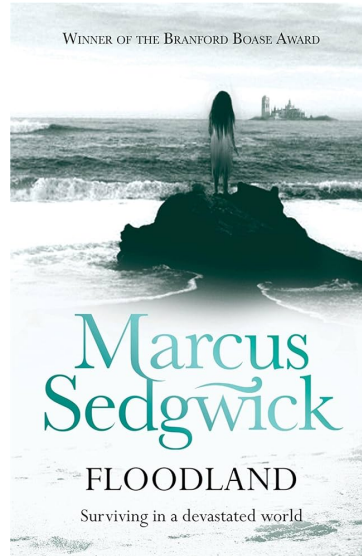
Following on from our trip to the Council Chambers last term, Year 5 will be writing advocacy journalism pieces, inspired by the climate crisis.

Guided Reading

In guided reading, we will be reading *Floodlands* by Marcus Sedgwick, to tie in with our writing work about climate change.

Maths

In maths we will be continuing our work on fractions, before starting our second unit on multiplication and division.

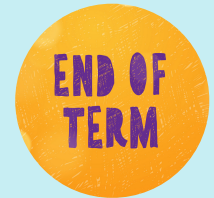


Last term, Year 5 went on a trip to the Council Chambers in Catford, along with two other local schools. We listened to a range of speakers who informed us about the various things Lewisham Council is doing to help the planet. This included helping biodiversity in our local area, dealing with food waste, and heating our homes efficiently. It was an informative and fun morning out, which we plan to use in our writing projects this term!



Virtual Volcanoes Workshops:

Ho Yen Class - 2nd February.
Raúf Class - 6th February.



Half term:

12th February -
16th February.

Science

Our focus this half term will be physics, where we will be learning all about forces.

Geography: Our geography topic this term is Mountains, Volcanoes and Earthquakes. This will include a Virtual volcanoes workshop delivered by The Natural History Museum.

R.E: Our RE topic this term is Hinduism.

We will also be learning about online safety in ICT, making safer choices in PSHE, and French.

Below: Y5 performing at the Rock Steady concert.



Above: Y5 at the Council Chambers

PE

This term we will have P.E on Thursday.

Please make sure kits are brought in on Mondays and taken home on Fridays.

Reading

Please read at home every day. Book bags and reading journals should be brought to school every day.

Homework

This will be given out every Friday, and due the following Wednesday. This will include maths, English/topic and spellings.