



Year 5 Welcome Letter

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to Year 5. We hope you all had a lovely summer and are looking forward to the year ahead. It has been great to see the children back at school and settling into their new classes. Here are a few more details about what to expect this year.

Staff

There are two classes in Year 5 – Jeffreys and Curie – both named after scientists – Marie Curie and Sir Alec Jeffreys. Below is the list of staff that will be working with your children on a regular basis. Mrs Broderick and Mrs McDonald (Curie Class teachers), Mr Chart (Jeffreys Class teacher), Miss Mohammed (trainee teacher), Miss Smith (Teaching Assistant) and Mrs Sikdar (Teaching Assistant).

P.E.

Our P.E. day is Monday and children should come into school in their full P.E. kit. Please do take into account the weather when dressing your child for P.E.

Water bottles and snack

It is recommended that children come into school with a named water bottle so that they are able to have a drink throughout the day. It is also encouraged for children to bring in a healthy snack to have at playtime. Please remember we are a nut free school.

Spellings

Spellings will be sent home weekly and spelling tests are on Tuesday. Please make sure your child brings their spelling book in on this day.

Accelerated Reader

Children should read every day at home to support their love of reading and to create fluency. When they have completed a book, they can then take a quiz on the book on Accelerated Reader, accessible through 'links to useful websites' in the 'Children' section of our website.

As always, the Year 5 team are available to answer any questions or concerns you may have. You can make an appointment with us at the door or through the school office at:

schooloffice@stopsley.primaryluton.co.uk.

We look forward to working with you this year to support your child and to help them to have the best possible year they can in Year 5.

Kind regards,

Mrs Broderick, Mrs McDonald and Mr Chart

Headteacher: Mr R Fordham

Deputy Headteacher: Mrs N Broderick Office Manager: Mrs A Collins Safeguarding Leader: Ms D Mann
Assistant Headteachers: Mr J Dymock, Mrs R Fuller, Mrs M Johnstone and Mrs R Rhodes