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Dear Parent/Carer,

We hope that you and your family enjoyed the Summer break and that your child is settling well into Year 5. Please find below some useful information about the new term.

Topic and Trips

Our half term topic is entitled - 'What was it like to be a child in Victorian times?' More information about what we are doing in Year 5 can be found on the reverse of this letter. As part of this topic we will be visiting Saltaire on Tuesday 12th September and Bradford Industrial Museum on Tuesday 17th October. To begin our science topic, we will be also be visiting the Science and Media Museum on Tuesday 19th Septemebr. Full details of these trips have/will be sent on separate letters.

Homework

The children will receive weekly homework on Fridays to be completed by the following Friday. Homework will consist of: spellings, a maths or grammar paper task and a My Maths online task. Password reminders will be sent out. The expectation is that all children will complete the tasks set.

As last year, the children will also be set a series of homework challenges at the start of the half term with an aim to complete all of them by the end of the half term. These challenges are linked to the Victorian topic and require the children to use a variety of research, writing and artistic skills to complete them.

PE kit

This year the children will have PE on Monday and Wednesday. PE kit is essential for reasons of safety and hygiene.

Indoor PE – indoor pumps, black/red shorts and a plain white T shirt; girls may wear leotards.

Outdoor PE – Black/red tracksuit bottoms or shorts, trainers, a plain T shirt (preferably white or black/red if not possible) and when the weather becomes colder, a suitable tracksuit top/sweatshirt. Long hair needs to be tied back on the day of PE and earrings should be removed or covered.

All of these items of clothing including your child's normal school uniform need to be named.

The year 5 teachers and team look forward to working with your child this year and with your support, together, we will endeavour to ensure every child reaches their potential.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Ebbage and Mrs Woollin
Year 5 Teachers



Head Teacher: Mr T. Woollin

