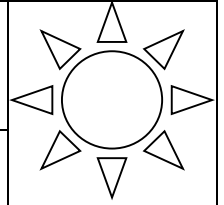


Home Learning

Year 5

Date: 25/9/2025



Gospel Value: Courage

Catholic Virtue: Hope

As another week draws to a close we can look back upon another period of successful learning. The children have settled well into the working life of Year 5, we are well aware that upper Key Stage 2 may seem like a real jump in what is expected of the children, but with the hard work of previous years before them and a clear set of expectations going forward we are feeling extremely positive. We have gone this week from maths where we have been rounding and assessing our learning so far, to English where we are writing wonderful descriptions of winter landscapes. We continue to read *The Borrowers* and in History turn our gaze toward crime and punishment in the Middle Ages. You will also see that there is now a spelling list of 10 words for the children to learn, they will be tested on these next Friday. Thank you for your continuing support.

Miss Rook and Mr Trevett

Reminders:

1. Please make sure your child has their PE kit in school for their PE days. These days for year 5 are Tuesday and Thursday.
2. Please send the reading record in daily so that we can record any reading that we do with your child.
3. In PSHE we will be covering a variety of topics. This term our topic is 'Me, my body, my health'. An outline of the sessions is listed below:

In Unit 2 - Me, My Body, My Health, children will learn that celebrating differences between people is enriching to a community and know that their self-confidence should arise from being loved by God. They will learn about the physical changes that boys and girls go through during puberty and how they should respect and take care of their bodies as gifts from God. Genitals are also mentioned here, but not named and identified.

W/b 15.9.25 - Girls' bodies - changes they go through in puberty

W/b 22.9.25 - Boys' bodies - changes they go through during puberty

W/b/29.9.25 - Spots and Sleep - the importance of good hygiene and keeping your body healthy

W/b 6.10.25 - Body Image - exploring some of the pressures children can face

W/b 13.10.25 - Peculiar feelings - how we respond to feelings

W/b 20.10.25 - Emotional changes - how we manage emotions that seem uncontrollable.

If, you would like to view the lessons go to

<https://www.tentenresources.co.uk/parent-portal/> Username st-augustines-dt4

Password afternoon-tea

Furthermore, if you have any questions regarding the material being taught please don't hesitate to get in touch.

Home Learning Tasks

Please read at least 5 times over the week with your child. By year 5, some children are fabulous readers and can enjoy a book independently. If your child reads by themselves, they can record in the Reading Record as well. At the end of each book please use the login at the back of the Reading Record to take the AR Quiz (at home) before changing your book the next day.

Please complete at least 15 minutes of TTRS x twice a week.

Please find below a list of 10 Year 5/6 words that the children will be expected to spell/understand by the end of Year 6. We will be using these words in our upcoming writing tasks and testing the children on them next Friday.

accompany
communicate
opportunity
achieve
environment
competition
equipment
individual
physical
prejudice