



11 September 2019

Dear Parents/Carers

In IPC we are starting with Brainwaves and then moving onto the topic of 'The Great, The Bold and The Brave'. We will focus on finding out about the Ancient Greeks and the Romans.

In Literacy we will be studying Greek myths and legends as well as finding out about the Romans in Britain. We will be writing letters, newspaper reports, diary entries and stories.

In maths we are working on place value. The children will be using their knowledge of numbers up to the value of 500000 and then applying them to focus on ordering, rounding and answering problems. Over the course of this topic the children will get the opportunity to complete calculations and then use this to apply it to reasoning type questions.

This half term in Science we will be focusing on 'Forces', the topic with cover learning about gravity, resistance and everything that affects us on Earth.

PE this year will be on Wednesday (indoors) and Thursday (outdoors).

Please remember that children should be reading a little every day and recording this in their reading record which will be checked daily. We are expecting the children to comment on the language they are reading and thinking about its impact.

Please ensure all your child's belongings are named clearly and please take the time to teach your child to look after their belongings and to search for them independently.

Many thanks for your support.

The Year 5 Team