



The school theme for this term is 'Maps' where we will be looking at 6-figure grid references, ordnance survey maps and physical features of the local area.



Water bottles:

Please make sure your child has a named water bottle.

Please do engage with the children's learning from home through Seesaw.



As we are in the wintry months, please make sure you send your child to school with a coat. Please make sure all coats and jumpers/cardigans have the child's name in it.

Swimming:

Year 5 will go swimming this term on a Tuesday afternoon. Please make sure they bring the appropriate gear – one-piece costumes only – and all jewellery is removed.

Happy New Year!

We hope you have had a fun and restful Christmas break and are ready for Term 3.

This newsletter outlines the topics for this term alongside the Year 5 routines and expectations.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to speak to us, at the end of the school day or contact the school office.



Home learning:

Please encourage your child to engage with the home learning set each week through seesaw announcements:

- Writing task
- Spelling shed
- Doodle maths

HAPPY
NEW YEAR



Our focus at Phoenix is 'RESPECT' and is an important part of Flamingos class.

We have signed a class contract to show we have agreed:

We need to feel safe...so we follow instructions.

We need to be heard...so we listen.

We need to learn...so we focus.

We need to feel valued...so we use kind words.

Reading:

Please encourage your child to read at home daily. This will have a positive impact on their learning in the classroom.



PE:

Flamingos will be continuing with PE on a Wednesday. Please make sure they come to school in the correct PE kit on this day.

This means; house colour T shirt, black or blue shorts/joggers, a black or blue hoodie or jumper and appropriate trainers.

Important Dates:

Swimming starts –
Tuesday 9th January – 5th
February

End of Term 3 –
Friday 9th February