

Summer Newsletter- Class 5

Well, here we are – the final term of your child’s Brandesburton School life. During this last term there will be lots of hard work but also lots of fun and memorable activities which we hope you will enjoy and look back on in the future.

This table below shows what you will be learning this term.

Science – Evolution and Animals and Humans.	Geography – Study of North America	History – Anglo Saxons
PE – Cricket/Tennis/Athletics	Art – Sculpture – Elizabeth Catlett	DT – Food - Mexico
ICT – Binary/Networks. .	Music – Charanga Music Scheme	Jigsaw – Relationships/Citizenship.

If anyone you know at home or in the surrounding community has anything that could add to a display for these topics that would be fantastic. Also if you know of anyone who would be able to come and talk about these topics, this would be brilliant for the children.

PE: Lessons will take place on a Tuesday and Thursday with children still coming to school in PE clothes. PE kit consists of black shorts and a plain white t-shirt. We will be going outside on both days. IF the weather decides to finally warm up please make sure your child comes with a hat (optimistic I know). Otherwise warm clothing can be worn consisting of the usual plain tracksuit bottoms and jumpers. In the interest of safety jewellery must not be worn, earrings must either be removed or taped and long hair must be tied back.

Reading: Please to continue to read with our child and encourage them to read out loud as this will help to improve fluency. The children have improved over the course of the year and I want to set them up with the best chance possible to excel at secondary school. When you come to sign the reading log one signature is sufficient for the weeks reading. I will also be asking your child to note down words they didn’t know during home reading sessions and during guided reading sessions they will get the opportunity to find out the meaning of these.

SATs: These will commence the week beginning Monday 13th May. Please make sure your child is in school for these dates. The children have been working exceptionally hard and will enjoy the week. Homework will be focused around the SATs. Please sit with your child and help them with their homework but don’t do it for them. The areas we are focusing on as a class are: Problem solving in Maths, inference in Reading and remembering terminology in GPS.

Thank you for your continued support. I hope your child has a super last term.

Kind Regards – Mr Barnes