



# St Clement Danes Church of England Primary School

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Dear Year 5 Parents,

## YEAR 5 NEWSLETTER

Welcome back to Term 4 at St. Clement Danes. I hope you had an enjoyable break with your children.

Attendance and punctuality are really important in order for your child to learn. We are doing lessons right from the start of the day so please make sure your child is in school on time.

**Rivers with a particular emphasis on the Thames** is also our focus this term. Through investigations and reading texts, the children will become much more knowledgeable about geography and how we relate to it. In English, we are reading **The London Eye Mystery by Siobhan Dowd**, which is an adventure mystery story with lots of thought provoking ideas and it should develop the children's understanding of people's differences.

Remember that homework for both English and Maths is set on Thursdays to be completed and returned by the following Tuesday. Please support and encourage your child with their homework and remind them to hand it in on time so that it can be promptly marked and returned. Remember in the meantime they should also be using the IXL site for Maths and English. I regularly check IXL to see who has been using the site and when. Please make sure your child is using this learning aid.

**Your child will have a spelling test on Friday each week. Indoor PE – gymnastics is on Tuesday, while Hockey takes place on Thursdays.** Encourage your child to complete some reading each day and listen to them read on a regular basis. **Reading logs are checked on Wednesdays so must be in on that day.**

Please ask your child each day if they have any letters and return any permission slips promptly. This is especially important for trip letters as if written permission is not received your child will not be permitted to go on the trip.

Year 5 are looking very smart at the moment but please do continue to ensure that your child is wearing the correct school uniform, including a tie, every day.

Finally, I would like to say that I am very excited about what we will be learning this term and I am sure we will be broadening all our horizons.

Thank you for your continued support

Ms C. Harney

Year 5 Class Teacher

