How You can Help at home.



Reading

This year, we expect children to be reading at least 5 times a week. This can be either school reading books or any other reading material. Please read with your child and make a record of this in their homework diaries. Children may also receive homework relating to their school book once a week.



Writing

Your child will be expected to write in neat cursive writing at all times. As well as taking part in handwriting lessons at school, we expect children to practice whilst at home.



Numeracy

In year 5 children are expected to know all of their times tables. If your child struggles with multiplication then we ask that they practice at home frequently



Useful Websites

* Purple Mash:

 $\underline{www.purplemash.co.uk/sch/bishopbridgeman} \ \ \boldsymbol{^*}$

Mathletics: www.mathletics.co.uk

FROG: bishopbridgeman-bolton.frogos.net



Year 5

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We Work, We Play,





We Care, We Pray



Half Termly Overview of Work



In literacy this half term we will be looking at Newspaper reports and poetry.



Numeracy

In numeracy this half term we will be starting by looking at time, data collection and Roman numerals. Children will also be given mental maths questions once a week to improve their mental strategies.

Class Routines

Dinner Money Dinner money needs to brought in a named envelope on Monday mornings.

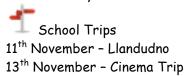


Year 5 will have PE on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons. PE kits must be in school throughout the week and taken home to be washed on Friday.



Snack costs £1, which must be brought in on Friday for the next week. Money brought in late cannot be accepted. Snack will consist of fruit and healthy snacks

Dates to remember Christmas Bingo - 25th November Christmas Fayre - 4th December





Science

This half term we are studying Animals Including Humans. The science work will be linked to topic where possible.



Topic

In year 5 this half term, topic work will be an in depth study into an area contrasting with our own local area. We will be closely focusing on the area of Llandudno in North Wales

The topic will primarily involve geography and design technology based work.



This half term the children will be looking at Christianity through art.



Computing

Children will be learning about computer processing



This half term will take part in Athletics and Dance



Homework

In addition to their reading homework children will receive both literacy and numeracy homework at least once a week. This will be given out on Friday and is expected back the following Wednesday. Presentation of homework must be of the standard we expect.