



Dear parents/carers








This is designed to give you some information about your child going into our year 5 classes next year.

We have two classes –

4R move to 5K – Mr Keating who is working with Mrs Booth.

4K move to 5H – Miss Hadwen (who is new to us) who is working with Mrs Umpleby.

Here are some of the things to be aware of going into Year 5 -

-  When it is poor weather before school, we try to open the KS2 hall for the older children as they are often unaccompanied in a morning.
-  The Year 5 children regularly attend assemblies with a focus on morals, attendance and rewarding good work/behaviour.
-  Reading at home with your child is **VERY** important to their development – please help.
-  Writing stamina will increase and the amount of work will develop.
-  Some children may start swimming lessons if they haven't already.
-  Two-night Year 5 residential. This is to Herd Farm in Leeds in April – should cost over £100 but we are looking to bring the cost down to around £60 (including transport, food and 2 nights' accommodation!)
-  PE kits – Children need a plain white t-shirt & black shorts for PE and a black tracksuit for outdoor sessions. Trainers or pumps too. They bring these in a bag on the days they have PE.

### **Visits and Visitors –**

October - Viking re-enactment day - Viking role play day at school.

January – cricket in the classroom – Headingley Stadium.

February - residential - Herd Farm.

Summer - Armley Mills - Victorian children role play day: school child and mill child.

**APPROX COST = £80 (though we are working to bring the costs down.**

If you have any further questions, please email, phone or call in.

Have a great summer.

Mr Midgley & team.

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