

The school website also provides many useful links to support your child's education, including information for parents and ways to help your child with work at home

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# Hazlehurst Community Primary School



## Curriculum Newsletter

Summer Term 2011



Year 5

This term your child's study will include the following: -

<b>ENGLISH</b>	In Literacy the children will study choral and performance poetry, investigating different techniques to engage an audience. They will explore the use of scripts in media. Children will write and present their scripts and then edit their work after reviewing their performance. In non-fiction they will study recounts in preparation for a school trip. The children will also continue to work on sentence construction, punctuation and paragraphs.
<b>MATHS</b>	In Mathematics the children will be rehearsing multiplying and dividing large numbers, checking answers with the inverse operation. They will order decimals and find missing numbers in sequences. Children will follow a line of enquiry to collect data and use ICT to represent their results. Later in the term they will work on calculating angles, reflective symmetry and the translation of shapes.
<b>SCIENCE</b>	In science the children will be looking at solids, liquids and gases, understanding evaporation of water and other liquids, boiling and melting. Later in the term the children will be studying life cycles which will involve seed dispersal, germination and insect pollination, flower parts for reproduction and human growth and development.
<b>HUMANITIES</b>	In humanities the children will be learning about Tudor exploration and the effects of that. The children will also learn about life on board a Tudor ship. In Design and Technology the children will be designing and making models with moving parts and designing and making their own hot drink.

### Homework

Maths and Literacy homework will be set on Friday and is to be handed in on the following Thursday. Spelling homework may be sent home for those children who still need some extra support. Pupils should continue learning and practising multiplication tables regularly. The children are tested in school once each week on one times table.

Reading homework may also be set for those identified as needing some extra support.

### PE / Homework Timetable: -

MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI
	Games	Spelling test for those	Maths and Literacy Homework due in from the previous week Brass lessons - remember your instrument!	Times Tables Test Maths and Literacy Homework set  PE

The library will be visited by your child once a week during guided reading sessions.

Please make sure that your child has the correct PE and games kit on PE days, and that both library books and homework are returned on the correct day.

Thank you for your support.

Miss A-M Corner - Y5 teacher