Year 5/6

Mrs Vose & Miss Jarvis

Homework

Children will be set three pieces of homework a week on Seesaw. There will be a maths, literacy and a topic piece set. They will also be set spellings when we learn a new spelling pattern. The homework will be set on a Seesaw on a Friday and will need to be completed before the start of school on the following Friday.

Reading

Children are expected to bring in their reading book every day and if their book needs changing, they need to put it in the basket on Miss Jarvis's desk. On a Friday we will check every child's reading record to ensure they have read a minimum of three times that week at home. If they haven't read 3 times, they will stay in and read at playtime. For every 50 reads they achieve this year they will get a book and when they get to 100, they will get a prize in class. Now we have completed the baseline assessments we aim to listen to each child at least once a week in school.

Topic

This term our topic is Space. We will be learning all about the planets, sun and the moon. We will also be completing a science unit on forces alongside this. Our writing will also follow our topic and we will be writing a biography about an astronaut and our class novel is called Cosmic.

Key Dates

Our Class will be visiting the National Space Centre in Leicester.

Seesaw and Twitter

Remember to look on our class Twitter page to see what we have been doing in class. Also make sure you sign up to Seesaw and check it regularly. This is where whole school messages will be sent and where I will send any messages to the whole class or individual parents. I will try and reply to messages on Seesaw as quickly as I can, but if it is an urgent message please ring the school because I don't often have time to check it during the school day.

PE

At the present time please send your children to school in their PE kits. The children need to have trainers or pumps for outdoor PE and as the weather changes please ensure they have a separate pair from the ones they wear for school, in case they get wet or muddy. This term we will be having PE on a Wednesday and Thursday. Make sure the children have a warm jacket they can run around in for when it is really cold. Swimming will happen in the summer term for year 5 and more details will be sent out about this nearer the time. PE is a legal requirement so please ensure they attend in the correct clothing to join in.