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*Coming up next week...*  
**19/5/2025**

## **Maths**

### **Learning in school:**

In maths, children will begin their learning about time:

- Children to make a clock
- Tell the time past the hour
- O'clock and half past
- Quarter past and quarter to

## **English, Reading & Fluency**

### **Learning in school:**

In English, the children will write their final part of the story and explore speech and speech marks. Children will be publishing their books and putting them into the school library. Children will then evaluate their books and decide on a writing target for next term.

### **Reading:**

Children will be starting their chapter book key text for English. Children will be looking at key features of a chapter book, looking for craft moves within a text (similes, adverbs, sentence types). Children will be creating their own story map based on the book 'Nelly Choc Ice Penguin Explorer'.

### **Fluency:**

This week, we will be looking at a poem called 'How to turn your teacher purple'.

**Please continue to read at home and upload your comments onto the 'BoomReader' app.**

## **SPAG**

### **Learning in school:**

Children will be reviewing Phase 5 phonemes, graphemes and tricky words. They will practise reading, writing and spelling using these graphemes.

## Topic

### Learning in school:

**History:** Children will be learning about Marcus Rashford and his dual role as a footballer and social activist.

**RE:** Children will be learning about why it might be important for some Muslims to meet at the mosque to pray together on a Friday.

**Science:** Children will be learning about the lifecycle of a plant.

**Art:** Children will continue their module called 'Sculpture & 3D'.

**PSHE:** Children will continue their module 'Being my best'.

**Music:** Children will continue their music module for this half term, which is called 'Myths & Legends'.

**Computing:** Children will continue their computing module called 'Questioning'.

**PE:** For this half term, the children will be doing 'Net & Wall'.

## Homework

Please look inside your child's homework book for this week's homework slip. Thank you.

## Additional notes and reminders

Please could children wear their PE kit to school on their class's PE days.  
Please also ensure that no earrings are worn on their PE days, or that children can remove these themselves before the PE lesson.

Mosque trip - Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> May

After half term, on **Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June**, please can children bring in their favourite chapter book for our English unit. Please can these be named.

### Dates for your diary:

Sports day - Tuesday, 24<sup>th</sup> June

### Class email addresses:

Please do not use these email addresses to tell us about changes to pick up, as we do not always have the opportunity to check the class email addresses during the school day.

Leopards: [leopards@mead.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:leopards@mead.surrey.sch.uk)

Bears: [bears@mead.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:bears@mead.surrey.sch.uk)

Monkeys: [monkeys@mead.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:monkeys@mead.surrey.sch.uk)

*Please note that as the week progresses it is sometimes necessary to change what is planned to meet the learning needs of the children and therefore changes to the above may occur.*