

Dear Year 5,

Well done everyone this is the last week before half term. We have managed a whole 5 weeks of home learning! Thank you again for all your messages and photos. We have seen such a huge range: poems, life cycle diagrams, river projects and much more. Please keep them coming!

This week:

Maths: As usual please keep completing the White Rose maths. Last week seemed to be a revision of topics we have already covered. Hopefully you remembered your previous learning! We are still adding topics to your Mathletics. If you find a topic tricky please send us a message or write it out on paper. It is often very difficult to work out the answer on the screen.

English: Please continue with the Hamilton Trust work. I hope you wrote an interesting letter to Malala last Tuesday. You should have been able to explain a lot about her life. Don't forget to keep reading and learning your spellings on Readwriter.

Science: We have found a life cycles game that we thought you might like to play with someone in your house. Can you be the first to find all the parts of your life cycle and then put them in the correct order?

History: Please read through the crime and punishment power point 3; it is about life in the Anglo-Saxon and Viking period. You all studied this in Year 4 – how much can you still remember?! Then please choose either Worksheet 3A (and information sheet A) or Worksheet 3B (and information sheet B). Read through the 3 different scenarios and decide if they are innocent or guilty. What punishment would you give if they are guilty? Use the information sheets to help inform your decisions. Please add your work into the History blog.

Art: Have a go at this lesson called *How can we use visual texture to add interest to our artwork?*

<https://www.thenational.academy/year-5/foundation/how-can-we-use-visual-texture-to-add-interest-to-our-artwork-year-5-wk2-5>

You will look at how Vincent van Gogh used visual texture in his sketchbook, then explore pencils and mark-making to enhance your own work.

Music: Don't forget to listen and learn the Water Cycle song we wrote about last week so that we can all perform it when we hopefully return to school.

<https://www.singup.org/singupathome/songs-for-learning/7-11#>

R.E. Please have a look at the powerpoint from last week. Can you create a statement about our beliefs at school? We have only seen 10 different pieces of RE; we would love to see some more in the RE blogs.

Please have a relaxing, fun and safe half term holiday. We look forward to hearing about the different things you got up to!

Don't forget to have a go at some of the St. Peter's Challenges too.

Mrs Russell, Mrs Tuson and Mrs Bolton.