



Koala Class Newsletter

MESSAGES

- We continue to remind children of our School Values which are:
Be Respectful Be Responsible Be Safe
- At home, children should have weekly access to Boom Reader and Times Table Rock Stars. These form part of children's weekly homework tasks. Log in details for each of these platforms have been given to your child.

CURRICULUM

This half-term, our Year 5 academic curriculum is as follows:

English Text = Continuing reading the book 'Children of the Benin Kingdom', then 'The Lost Happy Endings'

Guided Reading Text = Continuing reading the book 'Letters from the Lighthouse', then 'The Listeners'

Maths Topic = Continuing with 'Decimals', then 'Percentages'

Science – 'Earth in Space'

Computing – 'Spreadsheets', then 'Coding'

Geography – Continuing with '4 and 6 Figure Grid References'

History – Continuing with 'Comparison Study – Maya and Anglo-Saxons'

PSHE – 'Healthy Me'

DT – 'Food and Nutrition'

Music – 'The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air'

PE – 'Tag Rugby' and 'Volleyball'

RE ('Easter – Lent/ Promises') and **French** ('Working Together') will be taught by Mrs Vasey each Wednesday morning.

For more information on what these topics contain, please go to Koala Class at:

www.whistonwillis.co.uk

STARS OF THE WEEK

27/02/26

Star of the Week – Archie

Rights Respector of the Week – Oliver

Congratulations

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Uniform – It is expected that all children wear the correct uniform to school each day. Children can wear their PE kit on the days mentioned below.

PE Days – Mondays and Tuesdays

Snacks – Please ensure children are bringing healthy snacks to school for break and lunch times.

Homework – Please refer to the expectations of homework found on our school website.

To see all our latest learning and for school updates, please follow @WhistonWillis1 on twitter.

**Thank you for your continued support,
Mr Phillips**

