

Dates for your Dairy:

From Tuesday 12th April-Weekly Y5 cricket Coaching at TCPS

18th & 19th April- Parents Evening

Week Starting 3rd May- Y5 Trip to London & First week Clubs

**MATHS**: In maths we are covering:

Fractions and %, multiples and factors, prime, squared and cubed numbers, mixed operation word problems, co ordinates and reflection and translation of 2D shapes.

**LITERACY**

. **The Piano:**

We will be using this atmospheric animation to explore how to use flashbacks to engage the audience in fiction writing.

**The Shadow Cage by Phillipa Pierce:**

We will use this book of supernatural tales to develop the class’s skills of writing using suspense.

**OUR THEME THIS TERM:**

**The Aztec civilisation**

**Science**: Properties and changes of materials

**History**: The rise and fall of the Aztec Civilisation

**Music:** Listen and Appraise

**PE:** Fundamental Movement Skills / Gymnastics- High and low apparatus

**MFL:** Niveau Blanc

**PSHE:** Being safe

**RE**: Buddhism

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***HOW CAN YOU HELP YOUR CHILD?***

***Listen to your children read on a regular basis and discuss what has been read.***

***Encourage a wide variety of texts.***

***Practise times tables.***

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**READING & SPELLING**

* Children should **read for a**
* **minimum of 15 mins** at home

every day.

* Reading books and home school diaries should come in every day.
* Children should be able to read and write the 200 common words in their Home School Diaries and the Year 5/6 target spellings.



**Art/DT:**

We will be using the style of Dan Fenelon to create artwork in the style of the Aztecs**.**

**ICT**

Studying, designing and creating a virtual space.



**KIT SHOULD STAY IN SCHOOL ALL WEEK: BLACK SHORTS, WHITE T-SHIRT & TRAINERS/PLIMSOLLS.**

Our whole school focus is on **talk, talk, talk!**

Our **Skill for Success** this term is

**Co-operation**

**HOMEWORK:**

**SET ON FRIDAYS**

**IN ON WEDNESDAYS**