



Greenfield Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to Elder Class. I hope you had a fantastic holiday and a lovely rest, I am very excited to start a fresh year of learning and growing. Please read on to find out what we will be covering in our first term in Year 5.

Maths - This term in maths we will be covering Place Value, Addition and Subtraction, Multiplication/Division and Fractions.

English - Our class novel will be 'Viking Boy' and we will be organising our first few weeks of writing around this novel.

Spellings will continue to be set weekly on Spelling Shed and spellings will be tested in class every **Friday**. Handwriting remains a priority and we will be working on our handwriting weekly, pupils will still be working towards earning their handwriting pen. Each week, we will have designated time given to discrete grammar lessons as well as reading activities.

Reading is so important! We ask that your child read at **least 3 times a week at home**, this needs to be recorded in their reading record by parent or the child. Their reading record and book needs to be returned once a week so we can monitor the children's progress, support any issues and change books.

Geography/History - Our history focus will be on the on the Anglo Saxons, Scots and Vikings entitled: 'Who were the fiercest, The Anglo-Saxons or The Vikings'. We will also be doing our art lessons around Vikings.

Science - This term in Science, we will be looking at Forces and Space.

PE - PE is timetabled for a **Tuesday** and **Friday**.

Homework

Reading books: 3 times a week

Online: Spelling shed and Timestable Rockstars

Paper homework will be given out every Friday with the children challenged to write sentences including their weekly spellings.

I am hoping to have a fantastic year. Please look on our class page for more information on what we are doing in class.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Harper

