

### What shall I bring to school with me?

If you are wondering what you need to bring with you to school, you could put together ONE pencil case with the following items:

- ✓ Pencil (HB)
- ✓ 30cm ruler
- ✓ Pencil sharpener
- ✓ Scissors
- ✓ Coloured Pencils
- ✓ Glue stick

**You will also need to bring a water bottle, with a sports lid, and a reading book to school with you every day.**

All of your belongings must be able to fit into your locker. You are responsible for your own things and must take care of them.

### P.E. and Games

P.E. lessons are a wonderful opportunity to get up and moving. The kit that you will need is shown below.

- ✓ plain blue/black tracksuit bottoms or shorts
- ✓ plain blue/black sweatshirt
- ✓ white t-shirt
- ✓ trainers
- ✓ socks

Please note that earrings are **not permitted** during any sport sessions and must be removed at home before attending school that day. If you are planning on getting your ears pierced, please ensure that this is at the start of the summer break so you are able to participate in P.E. when we return to school.

All of your things must be clearly marked with your name and class to ensure that nothing becomes lost.



# Welcome to Year 5 at St. Paul's



Hello, we are really looking forward to welcoming you back to school in September and into Year 5. Year 5 is a fantastic year and we are really lucky to be able to spend the year learning together. We have put together some information to help welcome you into your new year group and answer some of your questions.



There will be lots of things that may be different to what you are used to but don't worry because the adults will be here to reassure you and help with anything you are worried about.

We have been busy working on our topics for next year and are excited about what we hope to cover. Some of the topics you can look forward to are Space and Beyond, Forces, Ancient Greece, World War 2, London and natural disasters.

### Meet the Team

The Year 5 team is made up of caring, friendly and fun teachers and learning mentors. We are all looking forward to helping you settle into Year 5. We have included a bit of information about ourselves so you can get to know us a little better.



Hello Year 5! My name is Mrs Dwyer and I am the Year 5 Team Leader at St. Paul's and teacher of 5D. I have spent many years in Education and ten of those in Early Years. For the last four years, I have been teaching in Upper Key Stage Two in a school in Surrey and absolutely love it. I cannot wait to meet you all and get started on our learning journey together. I recently completed a Master's Degree in Education with a specialism in English and hope to share my love of reading with you all. Outside of school, I am about to move to a new house so will be spending the summer sorting out and organising. I have a great family who I love spending time with and a cat who is called Rosemary. My favourite things to do are family days out, planning holidays, watching movies and reading books.



I'm Mrs Keen. Combined with Mrs Tustin, I teach 5S on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. I have been teaching at St Paul's for a very long time but I'm always willing to learn lots of new things, especially from my new class! I love spending time with my family and enjoy cycling, gardening and reading. As a family, we particularly enjoy watching films together so you might even spot us at the cinema sometime. I can't wait to find out what you enjoy!



Hi Year 5! My name is Mrs Tustin and I teach 5S on a Monday and Tuesday and 5K on a Friday. I cannot wait to move to Year 5 and meet all of you! This will be my second school year at St Paul's, but I have taught in two other schools. Outside of school, I enjoy spending time with my family at farms and parks, and I love reading, crafting and going to the theatre.



Hello Year 5, my name is Mr Kellett! I am so looking forward to next year and being part of this team. I will be teaching 5K Monday to Thursday. This will be my first full year at St Paul's, although I have been part of the school since Easter. I used to be a secondary school history teacher so I know what you'll be facing in the upcoming years after St Paul's! Outside of school I love my sport, especially rugby and basketball, and I'm also a bit of a geek and love Lord of the Rings. Let's make this year legendary!

We are so excited to be able to spend time together next term! We will be there to meet you on the playground each morning. See you there!