



# Burton Manor Primary School

## Information for Parents of Y5/6



<b>Class Arrangements</b>	The three Y5/6 classes will be mixed. Children will be set across the year group for maths lessons. For all other lessons children will stay in their home class.
<b>Mini-adventure topics</b>	Topics in Y5/6 will link with the English units the children are working on, and will last between 2 and 6 weeks per topic.
<b>P.E. Kit</b>	Indoor – T-shirt, shorts, indoor trainers. Outdoor – T-shirt, jumper, tracksuit/jogging bottoms, outdoor trainers. If possible, try to have a T-shirt in the child's house colour. They are available to purchase from the school office if needed.
<b>Homework</b>	<p>Homework will usually be set on Monday to be in the following Monday. Spelling patterns and arithmetic practice will be sent as paper copies. Punctuation and grammar will be trialled as online homework for this year. Children will be allowed to use computers in school if they have no internet access at home.</p> <p>A copy of the school's maths passport system will be sent out to each child showing which stage they are on. Please try to find some time in the week to work on one or two things from this.</p> <p>Project homework linked to the topics is optional – if children wish to create something and bring it in they more than welcome!</p>

<p><b>Permitted Jewellery</b></p>	<p>Watch, Ear studs (to be removed for P.E.)          If your child is having their ear pierced, please do it at the start of the summer holidays! In line with Afpe guidelines, if they are not able to take out their own ear stud, they will <b>not</b> be able to take part in P.E. lessons. Teachers will <b>not</b> tape over an ear stud.</p>
<p><b>Y5/6 After school clubs</b></p>	<p>Over the year, Y5/6 children will have the chance to participate in the following clubs:          Girls football          Netball          Indoor Athletics          Hockey          Football          Tri-golf          Dodgeball          Choir          Homework Club</p> <p>A permission slip will be given to children who are interested.</p>
<p><b>Water</b></p>	<p>Children concentrate better when they are hydrated! Please send <b>still water only</b> in sport bottles on a daily basis.</p>
<p><b>Visits/Experiences</b></p>	<p><b>Y5 Laches Wood visit</b>  <b>(Wed 27<sup>th</sup> Sept 2017 – Fri 29<sup>th</sup> Sept 2017)</b></p>
<p><b>Advance Notice</b></p>	<p><b>Y6 SATs</b>  <b>(14<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> May 2018)</b></p>