

Reminder of General School Expectations:

- Please email the school office if your child is permitted to **walk home by themselves**. Orangutans finish at 3:30pm.
- Children are **not allowed to have mobile phones** nor watches that take photographs or connect to the internet in school.
- **No jewellery** other than **single stud earrings** should be worn in school. Children will be told to remove any other jewellery, including hoop earrings, rings, bracelets and necklaces.
- **No toys** should be brought into school, **including fidget toys** – these will be provided for children with additional needs who require them by our SENCO.
- **Small backpacks** only, please, with a maximum of **one keyring** per bag (broken keyrings have caused great upset recently).
- Fruit or vegetable (unprocessed) snacks only for breaktimes, please; it is also important to remember that we are a nut-free site.
- On non-PE days, **plain black footwear** must be worn.

Thank you for your support in ensuring we maintain our consistent and fair standards across the school.



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Life in all its fullness



TERM 1 DATES

Orangutan Class

Year 4 & 5



Date	Event
Tues 1st September	INSET—no children in school
Wed 2nd September	All children back in school
Tues 29th Sept—Mon 5th Oct	Book Fair
Tues 29th Sept	Book at Bedtime, 5:30pm—6:00pm
Fri 2nd October	Harvest Festival—1:30pm @ St Mary's Church
Fri 16th October	Singing Square
Sunday 11th October	Marshfield Mudlark
Tues 20th Oct and Thurs 22nd Oct	Parents Evenings
Thursday 22nd Oct	Last day of term
Fri 23rd Oct	INSET—no children in school

Orangutans' Curriculum Information

Term 1



In **history**, we will be learning all about the Maya! We'll discover how the Maya civilisation developed over thousands of years and learn all about some of their amazing achievements in mathematics, engineering and astronomy.



In **science**, we will be learning about the Earth and Space! We'll learn how the moon, the earth and the sun all move relative to each other and understand how this movement creates day and night.

In our **Religion and World Views** lesson, we will explore 'Why do some people think life is a journey?', discovering how people of different faiths mark life's milestones.



Music

Thanks to the generosity of our wonderful PTA and some local benefactors, the school now has their own class sets of flutes and recorders. Year 4 and 5 will, therefore, be transitioning from fife to recorder (on which it should be easier to produce a sound). Lessons will take place in year groups every Monday with Mrs Bolt.



PE Days



Our PE Days will be **Tuesday** (Tag Rugby with Mr Hull) and **Thursday** (Fitness/Circuits with Miss Thomas)

Children should continue to wear their PE uniform into school on these days. Please ensure that children wear the correct sports kit, **with no logos except the school logo**. Children not wearing PE uniform will be told to change. Long hair must be tied up during lessons. Please also ensure that **long hair is**

School Lunches

Please make sure school lunches are ordered beforehand (even if entitled to free school meals). Lunches can be booked up to 3 weeks in advance.

Home learning

Home learning will be sent out during the first week of term. There will be two Maths and English tasks across the term, in addition to a Topic and Values task. If any homework sheets are misplaced, please ask the office for a copy.

