

Curriculum information

On the school website you will find:

- An overview of learning for this year
- A curriculum summary for each half term
- Curriculum homework for each half term
- Expectations and progressions for all subjects

Class spelling lists are in your child's school diary along with other curriculum information and guidance

Each half term you will receive a copy of the curriculum newsletter outlining what your child will be learning along with their curriculum homework

A quick guide to Year 5



*To love and serve as
Jesus shows us*

Toast and snacks

Snacks for breaktime should be healthy – please avoid snack bars (as they contain high amounts of sugar), crisps, sweets and chocolate.

If you wish for your child to have toast and/or a drink provided through the school kitchen, please ensure that sufficient money is loaded onto your ParentPay account.

School Meals

Please make sure that sufficient money is loaded onto your ParentPay account if your child is having a school meal at lunchtime.

Homework

Curriculum homework is set each half term as an opportunity for your child to be creative in applying their learning.

Weekly homework will be sent home each Friday.

Please read regularly (at least 3 times per week) with your child and discuss the text. Record this in their diary, which should be returned to school daily.

Please help your child to be able to quickly recall the following times tables facts (up to 12 x):
4, 6, 7, 8 and 9x consolidation, but children should be continuing to practise **all** multiplication facts up to 12 x 12.

Please practise the words on the spelling list: from 'End of Year 4' list for consolidation and 'End of Year 6' list for further learning.

Key People

This year your child will be working with:

Mr Daly: Class Teacher

Mrs Lockett: Teaching Assistant

Communication

Please read the Newsletter and any letters sent home as they contain important information. Your child's diary also now contains lots of key information about school life and the curriculum

Please use the school website for school and class information: www.stvincentsprimary.org

Follow us on Twitter for regular updates on what is going on in school: @stvincentsrcp

Any urgent messages can be passed on in your child's diary or at the door in a morning, otherwise an appointment should be made through the office. As much as possible, staff will also be available on a Thursday for "drop ins".

Attendance and Punctuality

Please ensure that your child attends school regularly. We expect attendance of at least 96%. Attendance less than 90% will be challenged.

Punctuality is equally important as being late will disrupt your child's learning and the learning of other children. Please ensure that you child is on time for school. Persistent lateness will also be challenged.

PE lessons this year are on:

**Wednesday (PM) and
Friday (AM)**

Please make sure full PE kits is worn on these days

E-safety

Children are spending much more time online and therefore the risks associated need to be managed. Please talk to your child about keeping safe online so that they get a consistent message from home and school. You don't need to be an expert – there is lots of information to support you in keeping your child safe online.