

# Primary 5A Newsletter – Autumn Term

## Welcome to P5A! ☺

Primary 5A children have settled very well and quickly back into class and school routines.

We have been discussing the school Golden Rules and sharing ideas about what makes a great class and classmates.

We have already started working hard on literacy and maths activities, including dictionary skills and times tables work.

We have an exciting term planned ahead. As well as lots of health-based activities, we are looking forward to ukulele lessons starting again this month.

## Get Active!

This term P5A are focusing on Health and Wellbeing. We will be taking part in Get Active sessions as part of a whole-school focus and we will also be learning about Healthy Lifestyles.

P5A children have made a fantastic start to weekly swimming lessons this term. Thank you for your support with getting children prepared with swimming kits and to all of our parent helpers.

As well as our weekly Wednesday PE and swimming sessions this term, we will also be having three rugby sessions. The class have started calling them “Wow Wednesdays”! ☺

We will also continue with our regular Daily Mile sessions.

## Homework and Reading

As outlined in a separate letter, we are sending out weekly homework on a Tuesday to be returned by the following Monday. We will send weekly reading, spelling and maths activities. We will also send separate topic work activities throughout the year.

We would be grateful if you could sign and note any comments in your child’s homework jotter and reading record book.

Thank you for your support with this and please let us know if you have any questions or comments.

## Dates for Your Diary

**Swimming Lessons** for 10 school weeks from **Wednesday 21 August**.

**Thursday 12 September, 2.30-3pm – Open Afternoon for Parents/Carers** to visit classes.

**Monday 16 September – Autumn Holiday**

**Thursday 3 October and Friday 4 October – Parent Consultation meetings.**

