




to Year 5

Voyagers: Mrs Harvey

Conquerors: Miss Mills



At Singlewell we believe our CARES values together with engaging teaching that inspires curiosity and is filled with ambitious challenge, builds resilience and creates a school where learning behaviour is excellent. Children are treated equally and develop good social skills which enable them to take responsibility for and regulate their own behaviour which keeps them safe around the school.

As stated in our behaviour policy, which can be found on our school website.



*We expect the children to:*

*Have a positive attitude and be engaged in their learning.*

*Have respect for themselves and others, and respect for their learning environment.*

*Be responsible for their own actions, learning and belongings.*

*Learn from their mistakes and take pride in their achievements.*

*Listen to others- be attentive, turn-taking in conversation and following instructions.*

*Adopt our core values and class routines.*

## In Year 5

Your child is now in Upper Key Stage 2

Differences in the curriculum include:

Swimming

Glockenspiel lessons

Breaktime / Lunchtime will be:

Break - 11:10 - 11:25

Lunch - 12:45 - 1:45

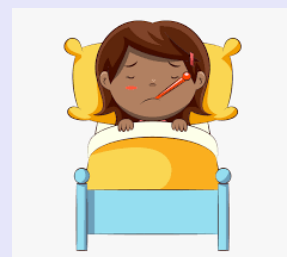
(Key Stage 2 can bring a healthy fruit/ vegetable snack- no cereal bars or sugary biscuits)

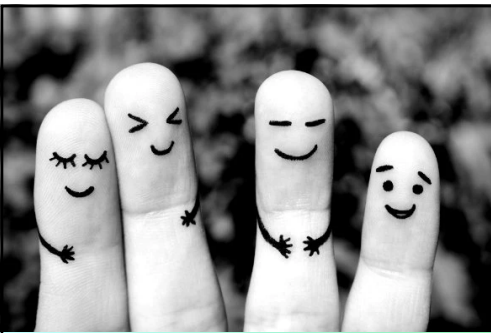


Attendance is essential to helping children reach their full potential. Absenteeism means children miss valuable learning experiences, have gaps in their curriculum knowledge and compromise crucial academic times such as SATS.

We must work together to impress the importance of attendance and punctuality. All pupils should have at least 96% attendance in a school year, which already makes allowances for the normal rate of ill health.

The school will NOT be able to authorise any holidays in term time. Permission for absence from school can only be granted in exceptional circumstances and this no longer includes holidays.





# FRIENDSHIP



It is very normal for friends to fall out, it is also important for children to learn how to resolve conflict.



If there is an ongoing issue that is not getting resolved between children please know, as teachers, we are here to help. Please come to us and avoid any form of social media e.g. WhatsApp, Facebook etc.



Programme of Study - Term 1 and 2

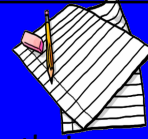
Maths: Number and Place Value, Addition and Subtraction and Multiplication and Division.

English: Greek Myths, Who Let the Gods out? Red Miss Take

Other: Space, Forces, Ancient Greece, North America, Geometric Art, Textiles, Glockenspiels, Dance/Gym, Online Safety.



## Days to remember!



**Homework:** Children will be given homework appropriate to their needs and class topics. We ask parents to support with this and help make this a positive, valuable experience. This will alternate between Purple Mash and Red Books. TTRS to be done daily.

**Spellings:** Friday

**Reading books:** Daily

**PE day:** Tuesday - Conquerors

Thursday - Voyagers





Uniform creates a level playing field among students, reducing peer pressure and it enhances school pride, unity, and community spirit.



### Uniform

Red school jumper or cardigan (can be unbranded).

Grey trousers, skirt or pinafore dress.

Flat, black school shoes.

Red/ white/ black socks or tights.

Summer dresses or tailored shorts in warmer weather.

Red or white polo top/ white shirt.

Short nails.

No jewellery except for plain stud earrings.

No make up or nail varnish.

No hair down, hair must be tied up when at shoulder length or longer. Please use red, grey or black hairbands.

**Uniform MUST be named**

### PE KIT

1. PE kit is: all-black trainers, sports socks, drawstring sports shorts, plain black jogging bottoms (unbranded, no logos), white or red polo top and school sweatshirt/ cardigan (no hoodies).
2. No jewellery, including earrings, should be worn on those days.
3. Children may wear PE shorts on warmer days. These must be plain, black school sports shorts (not cycling shorts).
4. On colder days the children can wear black jogging bottoms (not leggings)



## Celebrations and Rewards!



Our class reward system is:

House Points / Dojo Points

Each week we give out a CARES certificate and badge to a member of the class who has demonstrated our value of the week. They can wear these badges with pride every day!



Each term we have a reading assembly to celebrate reading efforts outside of school. Please read with your child regularly to help them to earn raffle tickets. Raffle tickets are gathered over the term in a class jar. Prizes are awarded during the reading assembly to those children who are successfully plucked from the jar - the more raffle tickets, the more opportunity to win!



House teams/house points:

Your child will be in one of the below houses. House teams work together to earn house points which are collected by our year 6 'house captains' each week. The winning house chooses a class to receive the trophy for the week.



House teams also work together for events such as Sports Day.

## Clubs and School Trips!

Term 1 2025 Singlewell clubs				
Clubs start week beginning Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> September and can be paid for via ParentPay				
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Year 1 Mrs. Jones Mindfulness club 3.10pm-4.00pm Pick up: Front office Dates: 8/9, 15/9, 22/9, 29/9, 6/10	Year 5/6 Mrs Catt Netball Club 3.10pm-4.00pm Pick up: Front office Dates: 9/9, 16/9, 23/9, 30/9, 7/10	Year 3/4 Mrs White Singing Club 3.10pm-4.00pm Pick up: Front office Dates: 10/9, 17/9, 24/9, 1/10, 8/10	Year 2 Miss Meredith Drawing Club 3.10pm-4.00pm Pick up: Front office Dates: 11/9, 18/9, 25/9, 2/10, 9/10	
	Year 5/6 Coach Boge Football Club 3.10pm-4.00pm Pick up: YR outdoor area Dates: 9/9, 16/9, 23/9, 30/9, 7/10		Year 3 Miss Watson Film Club 3.10pm-4.00pm Pick up: Front office Dates: 11/9, 18/9, 25/9, 2/10, 9/10	
	Year 4 Miss Kilminster Coding Club 3.10pm-4.00pm Pick up: Front office Dates: 9/9, 16/9, 23/9, 30/9, 7/10			
 Year 1 Mrs Hazeldene Story Club 3.10pm-4.00pm Pick up: YR outdoor area Dates: 9/9, 16/9, 23/9, 30/9, 7/10				

Always refer to our school website to see what clubs are on offer!

<https://www.singlewellps.co.uk/>

\*Please make sure you have our school app downloaded and working as this is where important messages and all communication is sent, including permission slips for clubs.

**PAYMENT FOR CLUBS MUST BE MADE BEFORE THE TERM STARTS**

Every class will go on at least one school trip and one local area visit.



Any questions?

