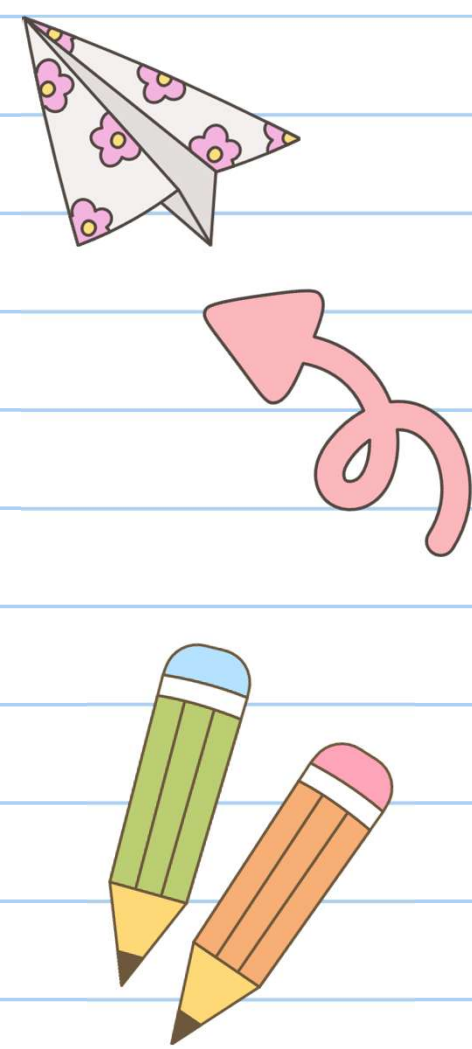
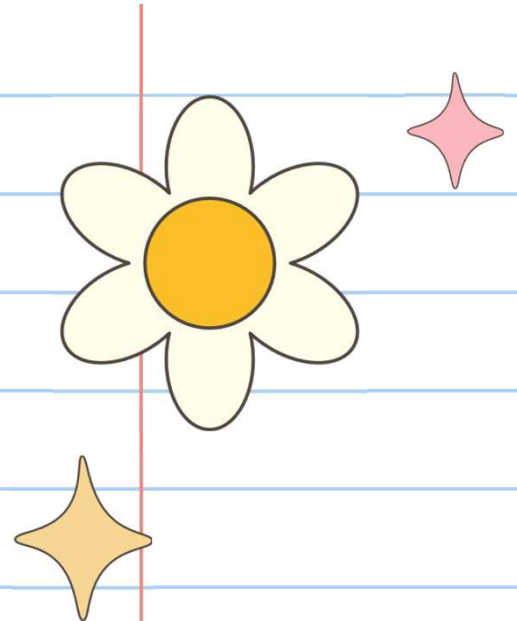




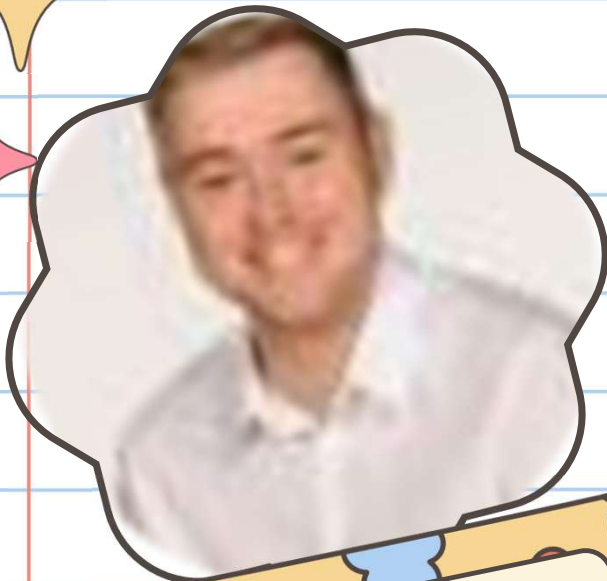
Welcome To

5 J S

Mr Swansbury

Meet the Teacher

Hello Everyone!



Mr Swansbury

This is class 5JS and I will be your child's tutor for the year.

I have been involved in education for the last 6 years and have taught a variety of ages in primary education. It will be my 3rd year of teaching at Ferndown Middle School in September.

As a former pupil of the school, the school and school values have a special place in my heart. I enjoy watching football and Formula 1.



Classroom Culture

In Our Class

- We are ready to learn
 - We all belong and make everyone feels included by following our school values of kindness, ambition and curiosity.
 - We show kindness and patience to our classmates and ourselves when learning new things.
 - We support and encourage each other.
 - We work together and participate in class activities.
- We have fun!



What We Will Learn

History & Geography

We have some exciting topics such as the Ancient Greeks; Mountains, Volcanoes & Earthquakes; The Mayan Civilisation and Migration.

Mathematics & English

We will be focusing on arithmetic skills (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division) as well as place value.

We will be writing stories and non-fiction texts. To begin with, we will explore Greek Myths and have a go at writing our own!

Science

We have a range of exciting science topics in science in Year 5. We will be learning about materials, space, forces and lifecycles.

Day-to-Day

Timings

8.40 am	Registration
9.05 am	Lesson 1
10.05 am	Lesson 2
11.05 am	Break
11.20 am	Lesson 3
12.20 pm	Lunch
1.10 pm	Registration
1.20 pm	Lesson 4
2.20pm	Lesson 5

Lunch Orders

- Pupils will be asked to choose their meal during morning registration

Getting Around

- Pupils will have most of their lessons in their tutor rooms.
- If pupils need to go to a lesson anywhere else, they will be escorted by a member of staff.



Example Timetable

Monday

- English (library)
- Maths
- *Break*
- Maths
- *Lunch*
- Music
- French

Tuesday

- English
- Maths
- *Break*
- English
- *Lunch*
- Computing
- History or Geography

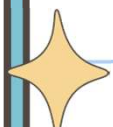
Wednesday

- English
- Maths
- *Break*
- Music
- *Lunch*
- PE
- RE

Thursday

- English
- Maths
- *Break*
- SEL
- *Lunch*
- PE
- Science

Friday

- Maths
 - English
 - *Break*
 - PSHCE
 - *Lunch*
 - Science
 - Art & DT rotation
- 

Equipment

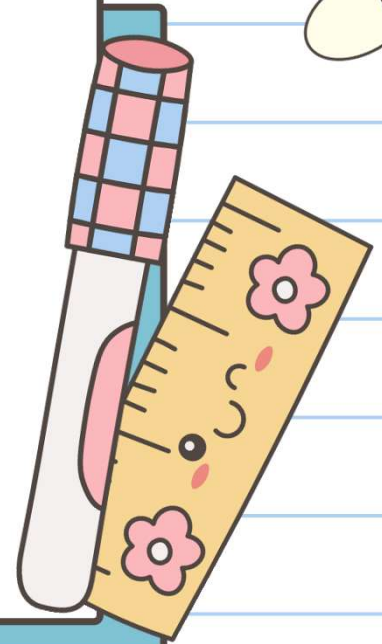
What to bring to school each day:

- Pencil case
- A named water bottle containing water (no juice apart from at lunchtime)
- A snack (these must be nut-free)
- Reading book & reading record - *a reading book will be issued from our library and we will also provide a reading record*
- A lunchbox for packed lunches (these must be nut-free)
- PE kit on PE days
- Sensible-sized rucksack big enough to hold everything and easy to carry around school.

Equipment

Pencil Cases

- 2x fibre-tipped blue handwriting pens
- Purple biro
- 2 HB pencils
- a sharpener
- a rubber
- coloured pencil
- small ruler (or foldable 30cm ruler)
- glue stick



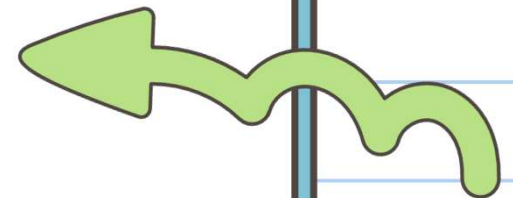
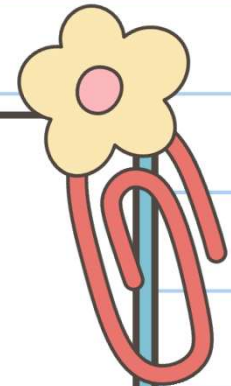
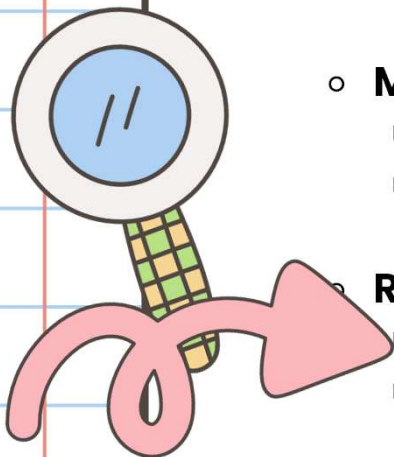
Equipment

Fidget Tools & Other Learning Aids

- Must be agreed with SENCo, Tutor and Head of Year before they are used (fidget tools, wobble cushions etc.)
- Need to be discrete (e.g. no monkey noodles or anything noisy)
- If they disrupt learning in anyway, pupils will be asked to put them away

Homework

- Issued every Monday and due in the following Monday
- Weekly homework will be:
 - **English:**
 - 1 spelling task
 - 1 written English task - *this may be online on 'Learning by Questions' or a paper-based task*
 - **Maths:**
 - 1 times-tables task (TTRockstars)
 - 1 Maths task - *this may be online on 'Learning by Questions' or a paper-based task*
 - **Reading:**
 - 20 minutes three times per week
 - Must be recorded in reading record



School Trips

**Autumn
Butcher's Coppice**

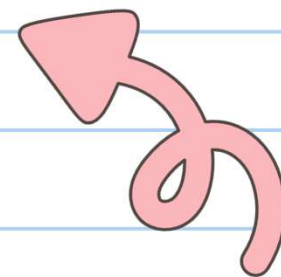
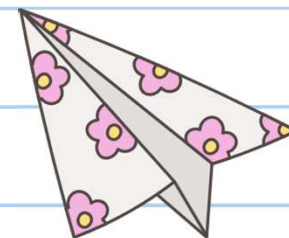
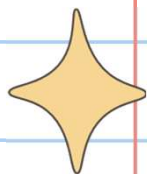
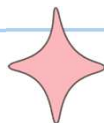
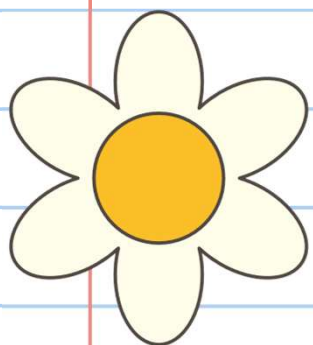


**Spring
Mexicolore**



**Summer
TBC**





Q & A

Thank you!

