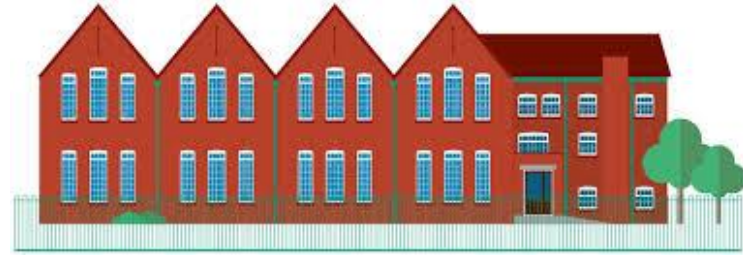


The road to Year 5.





Birklands Primary School



Thinking ahead to September.

I hope you find the thought of returning to school after the summer holidays exciting. If you do, great. But it's okay if you also feel a little bit unsure. This is understandable, as usually by now you would have visited your new classroom and met your new teacher. This presentation is aimed at making you feel more relaxed and confident about what to expect in September.

Who's who?

The staff at Birklands can't wait to welcome you back to school.
So, let's start by looking at who everyone is.



Key Staff you will see in and around school



Mrs Smith
Head of School



Mrs Hughes
School Business Manager



Mrs Hague
School Office



Mr Cox
Site Manager

Teachers at Birklands



Mrs Wesley
F1- Wren



Miss Lounds
F2- Puffin



Mr Cohen
F2- Robin



Mrs Evans
Y1- Magpie



Mrs Lewis
Y2- Dove



Mrs Pawlitta
Class Teacher

Teachers at Birklands



Miss Goodwin
Y3- Siskin



Mrs Allen
Y4- Kittiwake



Mr Brightman
Y5- Nightingale



Mr Marsh
Y5- Kingfisher



Miss Watson
Y6- Goldcrest



Miss Marsh
Y3- Teacher

Teaching Assistants at Birklands



Mrs Lean
Foundation



Miss Cox
KS1



Mrs Nelson
KS



Mrs Peters
KS2



Mrs Coverley
KS2



Mrs Cox
KS2



Mrs Sefton
Carer

Dinner and kitchen staff



Mrs Battiste

Mrs Truman

Mrs Whittlestone



Mrs James



Mrs Wheeldon



Mrs Hunt

Mrs Alvey



Mrs Moulson



Miss Chambers

There are two Y5 classes. These are Kingfisher and Nightingale.



You will be in Kingfisher class.
Your new teacher me: Mr.
Marsh.



*“I am looking forward to meeting you in September
and getting to know you throughout the year”.*

Here's how to get to our classroom.



when you hear the whistle, queue up at the bottom of the steps with the rest of Kingfisher.

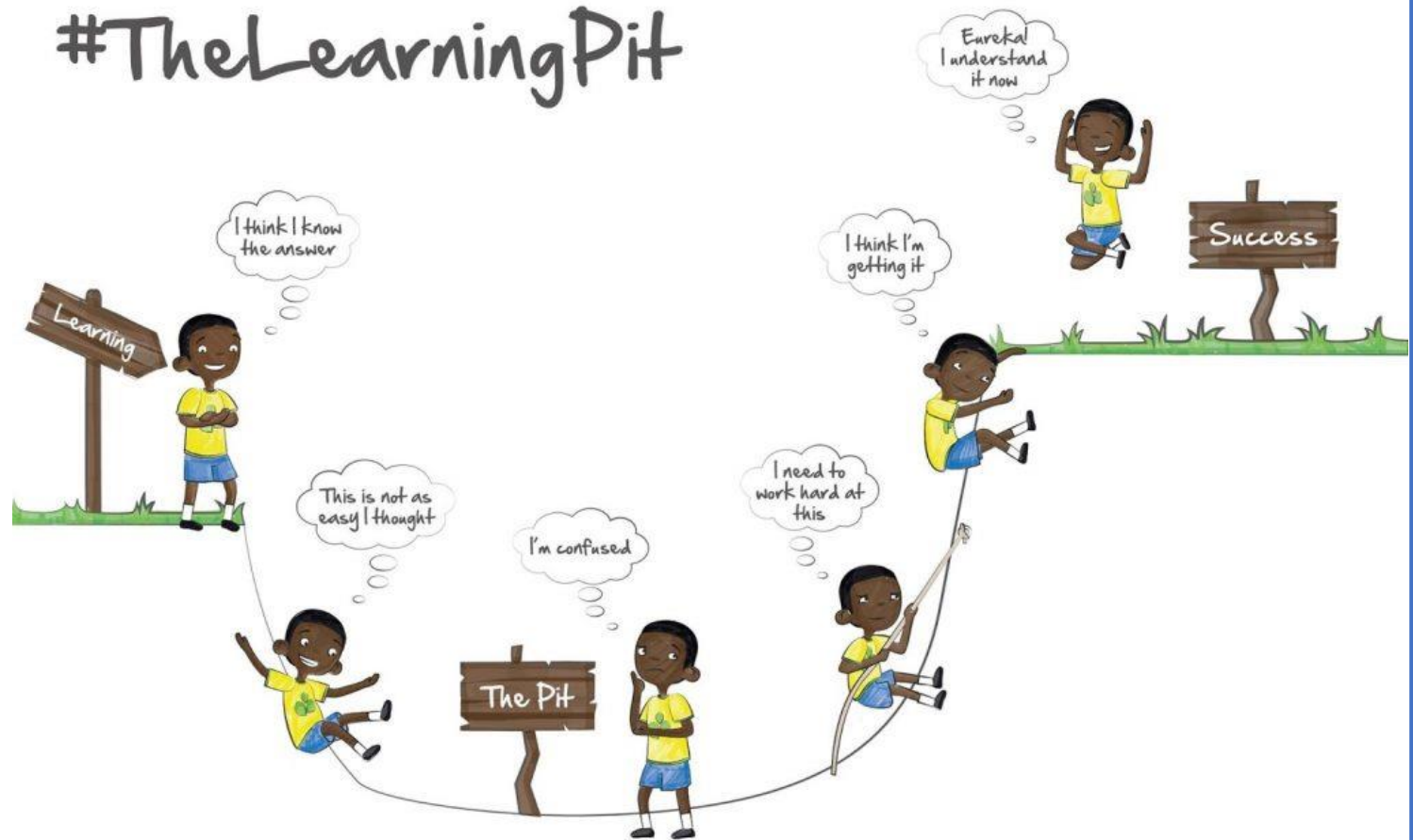
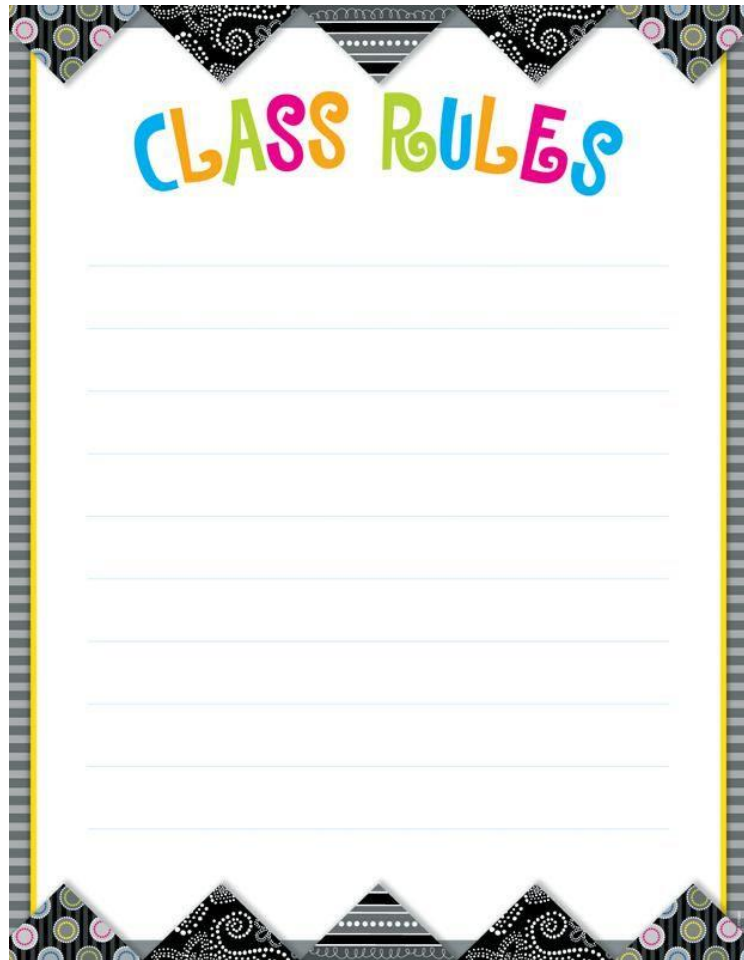


Follow the one-way system up stairs and go through these doors.



Kingfisher classroom is the middle one.

I want our classroom to be a safe space in which you can all learn and try your best. Therefore, in September we will create some class expectations and think about how we learn.





Inspirational people in today's world.

Here are some of the things we will be learning about in our creative Y5 curriculum.



The Battle of Britain.



Cooking and nutrition.



The Battle of Hastings.

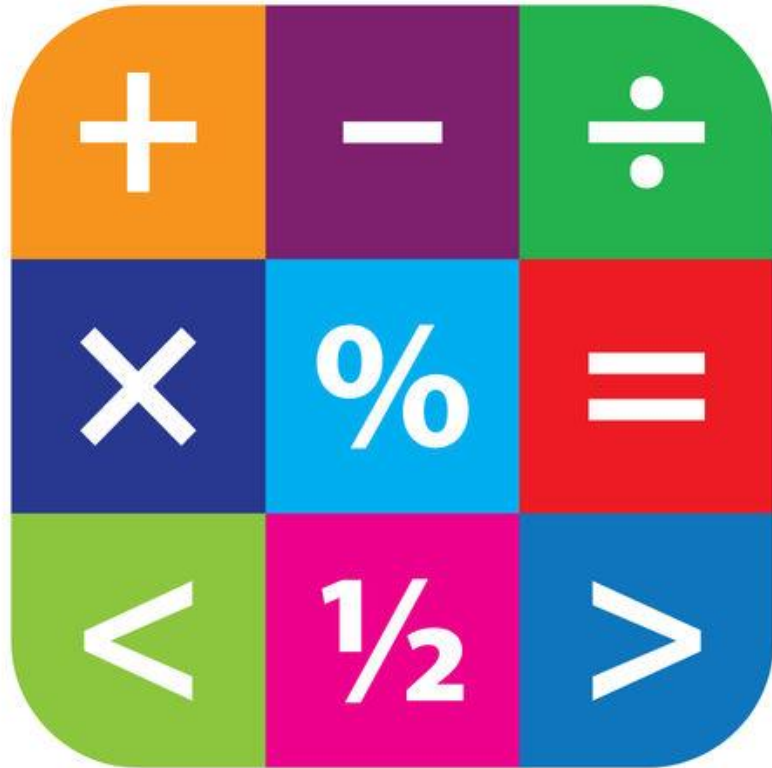


Earth and space.

We'll also be reading lots of books...



...and doing plenty of maths.



Think of a number. Double it.
Add six. Half it. Take away
the number you started with.
Your answer is three.



We'll need to get back into a routine. Here is a typical school day.

8.45 - 9.00	Register	Fluent in 5: rapid recall maths
9.00-10.00	Session One	Mathematics
10.00-10.30		Handwriting/spelling
10.30 - 10.45	Morning Break	
10.45 - 11.45	Session Two	English
11.45 - 12.05	Assembly	
12.05 - 12.50	Lunch Break	
1.00-2.00	Session Three	Creative curriculum
2.00-3.00	Session Four	Creative curriculum
3.00	Home	

At the end of the day.

In Y5, you may wish to walk home from school on your own. However, your parent/carer must inform the school office that they give consent for you to do so.



Other key facts and reminders:

- Our uniform consists of black or grey shorts / trousers / skirt / dress. White polo shirt and burgundy cardigan or jumper; these can be with or without the school badge. All uniform is available from the school office.
- We recommend that all children have a book bag for taking their book and reading diary to and from school; these are available from the school office for £6.

If you have any concerns or issues that have not been addressed in this presentation, please contact office@birklandsschool.co.uk.

More information can also be found on our school website www.birklandsschool.co.uk.

To help me get to know a bit about you, please complete 'The road to Y5.' booklet and bring this to school before the end of this term..

The road to Y5.

Getting to know me.

Draw a self-portrait.

Name: _____

Next class: _____

Next teacher: _____

STEP 1
Complete the fact file below:

Full Name _____

Birthday _____

Pets _____

Favourite Hobby _____

Favourite Lesson _____

Least Favourite Lesson _____

Extra Information _____

STEP 2
What are you most looking forward to next year?

STEP 3
What are you least looking forward to?

STEP 4
You will be asked to create your new class rules with your new teacher and classmates. To get you started, write your choice of three rules below:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

STEP 5
Write a letter to your new teacher.
What do you want to say about yourself and your family?

Dear _____

STEP 6
Next year you will have the opportunity to join in after school clubs.
Which ones will you be interested in?

STEP 7
What do you hope to achieve next year?
Set some goals below:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

WELL DONE.
I am looking forward to meeting you in September.



Congratulations! You have taken the first steps on the road to Y5. Enjoy your summer and I look forward to seeing you in September.

