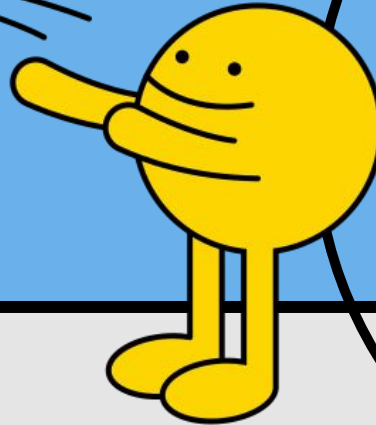
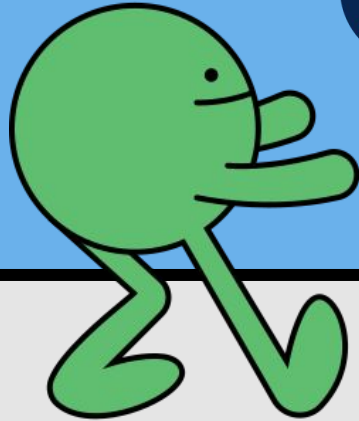


Community coffee mornings - Thursdays @ 9am!

Check our website:

www.drew.newham.sch.uk/Parents/Parent-Workshops

to see when they are and the theme is.



**Great attendance for
great learning!**

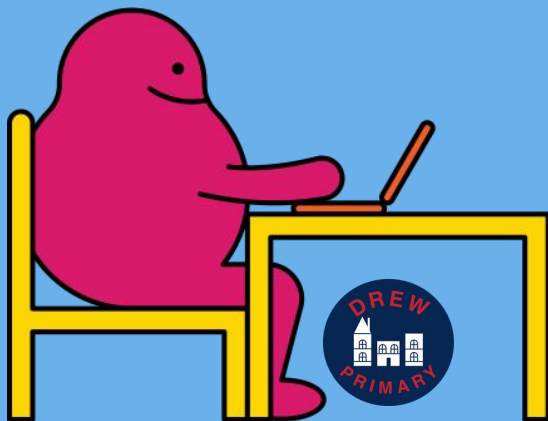
- come **every day**
- gates open at **8.40am**
- **no holidays** in term time

Welcome back!



Year 5 Newsletter
Autumn 1 2026

This half term's learning:



PE This term we will be focusing on health related exercises and dodgeball where we will be working towards the borough competition.

Computing We will learn how to understand computer systems and search engines.

RHE In Relationships and Health Education we will learn about how we manage our emotions when there are challenging times and then considering the question: How can we ensure fairness and respect for women and girls?

English

Reading: We will be reading the story of Percy Jackson and learning how to answer a range of questions about the text.

Writing: We will be writing a finding tale using similes and metaphors to describe our characters and settings.

Maths We are learning how to add and subtract up to 1,000,000, and how to round up to 7 digit numbers.

Learning Adventure

Art: We will be exploring how to create observational still life drawings using pencils.

Science: The wide range of materials found in our world and their important properties.

Music:

This year we are working with Newham Music Hub who will deliver our music lessons and singing assemblies.

Spanish

We will learn to name and describe all four seasons.

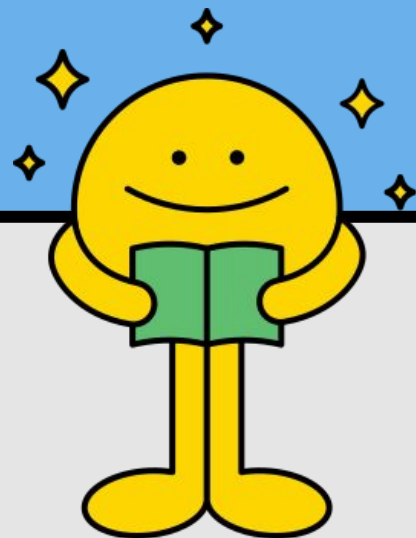
RE In our weekly lessons we will be exploring the inner forces within us that guide our decisions.



Dates for your diary



My PE days are	Atlantis: Mondays and Thursdays Olympus: Mondays and Thursdays
My Library bus day is	Atlantis: Wednesday Olympus: Tuesday
Thursday 17th to Tuesday 22nd September	Book Fair in the Sports Hall
THURSDAY 22nd October	Last day for all children
Friday 23rd October to Monday 2nd November	Half term break
TUESDAY 3rd November	All children back at school



Supporting learning at home



Reading: Read aloud for at least 15 minutes, each day, and summarise what has been read.

Writing: Write short stories at home focusing on toolkits being taught in school.

Maths: Continue practising on **TTRS** (Times tables Rockstars) for both multiplying and dividing.

