

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2020

Year 5

## Learning Journey: A day in the Life of...

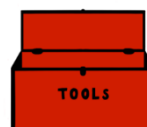
### Our Learning Journey

- This half term our learning journey focus has taken us through many stages. We have been able to research, discuss, collaborate and use our imaginations in many different contexts. From women’s rights to segregation in the 1800’s to 1950’s Year 5 have thoroughly enjoyed the topic of ‘A Day in the Life’.
- This week has been Science week in Year 5 we looked at all things Earth and Space. The children have used a variety of skills as well as carrying out investigations. Using our research skills at the beginning of the week, classifying our solar planets and then experimenting with shadows. They have really enjoyed working in groups throughout the week and creating their own orrery representations.
- In maths- we have been consolidating our addition and subtractions skills this week by answering a range of missing number and multi-step word problems. The children used their reasoning and making links tools to interpret and understand how to attack word problems with confidence.
- In Guided Reading Year 5 looked at a wide range of texts and questions and had an opportunity to show and use all the skills we have been working on this half term. They answered questions from unseen and unfamiliar texts.

### Home Learning

- **Maths-** Please encourage children to use TTRS over the half term to further embed and refine those multiplications skills.
- **Reading-** All Year 5 children are expected to read for at least 20 minutes a day. Research shows that children who read daily and wide ranges of literature show a vast improvement in reading and writing. It enhances their imagination skills and exposes them to more vocabulary.
- **Learning Log-** Over the half term Year 5 have been asked to create a persuasive brochure all about Space Travel and Tourism. This is the perfect opportunity for them to transfer their skills from Science Week and use them creatively.

### Our Learning Tool Kit



Dulwich Wood Learning Toolkit

This week Year 5 have been focusing on using their collaboration tool.

Throughout this week they have been working in groups carrying out investigations and scientific discoveries as well as sharing their findings.



Collaboration

### Dates for your Diary

**Whole School Trip (Y1 – Y6):**  
Shakespeare’s Globe  
Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February

#### Half Term

Mon 17<sup>th</sup> Feb – Mon 24<sup>th</sup> Feb.  
Children return to school:  
Tues 25<sup>th</sup> Feb

**KS2 Celebration Assemblies**  
Fri 13<sup>th</sup> Mar & Fri 27<sup>th</sup> Mar

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