



Uplands Junior L.E.A.D. Academy

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# Year 5 Newsletter

## Curriculum Information

### English

Our new topic will be based around the novel 'Oliver Twist' by Charles Dickens. Children will be exploring and writing their own diary entries, setting descriptions, character profiles and creating stories.

### Maths

In lessons we will be covering: statistics, multiplication, division, measures, area and perimeter. Your child should be practising their timetables every week.

### Science

We will be looking at 'Marvellous Mixtures' and exploring the changes that happen when we mix things.

### Topic

Children will be exploring the lives of the 'Rich and Poor' during the Victorian era. They will be given the opportunity to research information and explore artefacts

## Important Notices

Year 5 will have the chance to take part in a Christmas production as an extra curricular club. Auditions will be held over the next couple of weeks. The final performance will be shown at the end of term.

### Trips

The children will have the opportunity to go to the Black Country Museum on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2018.

### Visitors to the School

The Prince William Award scheme will continue to work with groups of children on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Rock Steady lessons will continue on Thursdays. Greg will continue coming in for singing lessons on Fridays.

### Uniform

Please ensure your children come to school with a warm coat, preferably with a hood. Footwear should be black and suitable for the declining cold weather.

### PE

5KC and 5SR will continue having their weekly swimming lessons. Please make sure your child brings in £2 in an envelope with their name on it. Please make sure your child has their PE kit in school every day.

## Dates for your Diary

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Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2018- Trip to Black Country Museum

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December- Christmas Party

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December- End of term