

All About Year Year 5

Meet your new team for September 2025



Meet the staff



- Mrs Briggs
5B Class Teacher and Year Group Leader
- Miss Milok/Ms Lalee
5M Class Teacher
- Miss Madan
5S Class Teacher
- Teaching Assistants
- Friends of Chase Bridge
– class rep
to be announced!



Vision and Values



We run our Chase Bridge vision throughout our curriculum and practice, with an achievement award given weekly for displaying, strengthening and role modelling our core values. Please support our home-school partnership through praising and encouraging these values at home too



School Rules

BE
READY



BE
RESPECTFUL

BE
SAFE



Through our transition, we will support children with Being Ready for the expectations of their new year group, including Being Respectful and Being Safe in their new environment and with their new teachers. A unified message greatly supports children's understanding and development; we thank you for your support with our behaviour expectations.



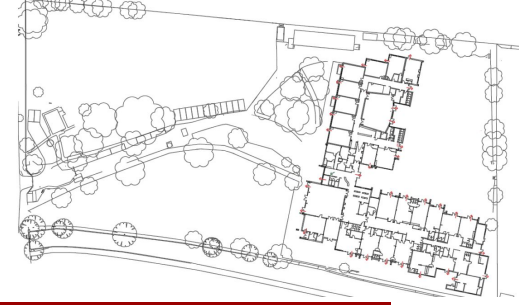
Uniform and school bags

Please refer to the uniform policy and remember that:

- **No jewellery** should be worn
apart from a plain watch and small stud earrings
- **Plain black school shoes**
(no boots or sport shoes) & school socks
- **Long hair** should be **tied up**
no fussy hair accessories or shaved patterns
- **PE kit** worn to school on your child's PE day -
Tuesday
- **Bags**
plain, compact/sensible small size



Start of the day - 8:45 - 8:55pm

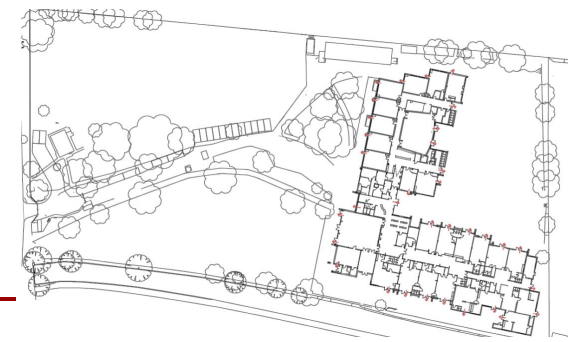


- Children can be dropped off at the main gate and they can walk to class independently from **8.45am - 8.55am.**

To avoid congestion, we ask that you please leave the school site as soon as your child is with their class teacher.



End of the day - 3:25pm



- ☐ Children will finish school at 3.25pm
- ☐ For Year 3, children will be dismissed via the Chase Hall.
- ☐ For Year 4, 5 and 6, children will be dismissed via the front of the school or the Lions playground area.

The playground will not be in use after school. As pick up points are used for different year groups at their end of day time, all parents are expected to leave the school site as quickly as possible to ensure a safe and calm environment.



Being prepared

Please can every child also donate a tissue box to the school at the start of term.

- ☐ A reusable water bottle



A small pencil case containing ...

- ☐ a pencil,
- ☐ pencil sharpener,
- ☐ rubber,
- ☐ glue stick,
- ☐ ruler,
- ☐ highlighter pens,
- ☐ whiteboard pen,
- ☐ colouring pens and pencils



Our Year 5 topics

All our curriculum details are available on the website:

<https://www.chasebridge.richmond.sch.uk/our-classes/year-5>



Read our Online Safety overview - and discuss with your child (age appropriate):

<https://www.chasebridge.richmond.sch.uk/online-safety>



The year ahead

- New roles and responsibilities

School council rep/ IT/music captains/well-being ambassadors/playground leaders/health and safety ambassadors/attendance ambassadors

- Curriculum based activities

Victorian Day, Mosque visit, African Dance workshop, London Eye and Thames River Cruise, TYM 13th-15th May 2026

- End of year achievement is based on termly assessments to help inform our judgements

- Year 5 Victorian Day: 5th September 2025



Home-learning



At Chase Bridge, we believe in setting meaningful and purposeful home-learning opportunities that helps children to consolidate the core skills they have learnt at school.

Weekly expectations:

- ☐ **Reading** - minimum of 30 minutes a day
- ☐ **Mathshed** - set once a week
- ☐ **Spelling Shed** - set once a week + a weekly spelling test
- ☐ **Seesaw** - set once a week to consolidate, revisit or preview core learning linked with a broad range of curriculum subjects.

Homework policy:

[https://www.chasebridge.richmond.sch.uk/ckfinder/userfiles/files/Policies/Homework%20Policy%20Update%20Autumn%202021%20\(2\)_docx%20\(1\).pdf](https://www.chasebridge.richmond.sch.uk/ckfinder/userfiles/files/Policies/Homework%20Policy%20Update%20Autumn%202021%20(2)_docx%20(1).pdf)



Home-school links



Seesaw is our primary platform for keeping in regular contact with you about your child's learning. If you haven't connected yet, please contact the office where they will be happy to send an invite request.

We will use Seesaw to:

- ☐ set weekly learning tasks for children in Years 1 - 6 that focus on reinforcing learning from the week, extending learning further, and/or previewing upcoming learning
- ☐ enhance the learning at school
- ☐ provide helpful announcements/reminders to families and children
- ☐ inform families of the weekly learning and how they can support
- ☐ celebrate awards and achievements
- ☐ Build a strong partnership between home and school

*Seesaw should **not** be used to send messages **regarding incidents at school, concerns to raise, medical needs or absence requests**. Messages are checked once a week and are used primarily for the teacher to contact parents to share learning celebrations and expectations; please email the info account if you wish to contact the teacher about any of the above.*



How you can help in school

Can you ...

- ☐ Help in class?
- ☐ Listen to readers?
- ☐ Volunteer in our library?
- ☐ Help on a school trip?
- ☐ Share your expertise with the children?
- ☐ Mystery readers

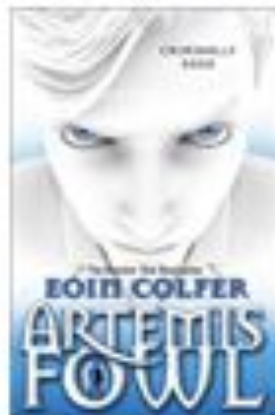
Please make sure you talk to your class rep. and/or teachers



Year 5 holiday reading list

20 YEARS SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

Here are some suggestions of great books that you could read over the holidays. Why not link this to the Summer Reading Challenge at your local library where you have to read six books?



Twelve-year old villain, Artemis Fowl, is the most ingenious criminal mastermind in history. His bold and daring plan is to hold a leprechaun to ransom.

Vicky's father is accused of stealing over a million pounds from the bank where he works – how can he prove his innocence?



This is the story of a little girl named Fern who loved a little pig named Wilbur and of Wilbur's dear friend, Charlotte A. Cavatica, a beautiful large grey spider.



A tormented apprentice clock maker, a deadly mechanical knight in armour – and the sinister Dr Kalmenius who some say is the devil. A great modern fairy tale.



The powerful story of a young Jewish girl who is forced to flee her home in Germany in 1933.

Danny and his father live in a Gypsy caravan mending cars for a living – Danny's father also has a dangerous side line...



Move Up Morning

- The children will spend the morning meeting their new teacher and getting to know their new classroom on **Wednesday 16th July.**

Meet Your TEACHER



See you in September!

