



Worplesdon Primary School – Weekly Update

Friday 23rd February

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back! We hope you and your families had wonderful half term breaks and it has been wonderful to see the children hit the ground running and engaging so enthusiastically in their learning this week.

Reading

Following Parents' evening – many thanks to all of those who came in to meet with us – please find attached a copy of some recommended reading for Year 5s, as well as some more websites to find inspiration:

<https://www.booksfortopics.com/booklists/recommended-reads/year-5/>

<https://www.thereaderteacher.com/year5>

Swimming

The big exciting thing this week was our first swimming lessons at Guildford Spectrum!

As a reminder, there will be a further 10 sessions in total. The sessions will run every week up until the last session on Wednesday 22nd May.

In order to facilitate changing, we will need the children to come into school wearing their swimming kit underneath their P.E. kit. Each child will require a labelled bag containing the following labelled items:

- Swimming hat for both boys & girls
- Towel

It may be advisable for girls to wear a tankini or a full swimming costume. A bikini would not be appropriate attire.

If your child is in Owls class, they will be leaving school at 9am so it is particularly important that they arrive at school no later than 8:50am to ensure we keep to schedule and maximise the amount of time the children have for their lessons.

If you have any further questions regarding swimming, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Have a lovely weekend,

The Year 5 Team

Mr Kennedy, Miss Taylor, Mr Djadali and Miss Piercy