

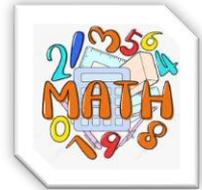


What have Year 5 been up to this week?



This week in English, we drafted, edited and published our autobiographies ready for the showcase. In reading, we focused on the skill of inference. The children had to use evidence from the text to support their answers. Some children were even challenged to find two pieces of evidence!

This week in Maths, the children explored squared numbers, multiplication, and division, building their understanding of number patterns and place value. They began by learning what squared numbers are and represented them visually using models and diagrams. The focus then moved to multiplying and dividing by 10, 100, and 1,000, using place value grids to understand how digits shift and when to use placeholders. Finally, the children applied these skills to multiply larger four-digit numbers, practising regrouping where necessary.



**A huge thank you to all the parents and carers who joined us for our Year 5 showcase, 'This Is Me.' It was wonderful to share the children's hard work and creativity from this half term with you.**

### 5A's Star of the Week



Wajiha has worked hard this week and has shown excellent focus and contribution in lessons. Additionally, she is very helpful and is a wonderful friend. Well done, Wajiha!

### 5B's Star of the Week



I have chosen Samiha as my star of the week this week. In every rehearsal and performance, Samiha has sung with enthusiasm and fantastic volume. She worked really hard to learn the lyrics too. Well done Samiha!



5A's coin total – 92 coins

5B's coin total – 96 coins

### Reminders...

- This half term PE is on Wednesdays. Please ensure your child has their full, labelled PE kit in school.
- Spellings are given to the children on a Friday they are then tested on the following Friday.
- 'My SAT's Companion' homework is set on Thursdays and must be completed by the following Wednesday.
- Reading books are updated and changed every Wednesday.

Best wishes and have a lovely half term holiday.

From Mrs Deen and Miss Williams

Year 5 Teachers