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## YEAR 5 NEWSLETTER **WELCOME & HAPPY NEW YEAR 2024**

### **What we will be learning about this term:**

#### English:

We will be reading,

Robert Swindle's Room 13 and writing our own narratives based on his style of writing. Our focus this term will be to:

- Include a variety of punctuation
- Engage our reader
- Use Standard English
- Organise & extend ideas logically

#### Maths

We will be learning, reasoning and problem-solving leading up to:

- Multiplying a 4-digit number by a 2-digit number using a formal method and exploring mental strategies, where appropriate.
- Using efficient division methods
- Multiplying fractions
- Calculating fractions of an amount

#### Dates for your diary

<b>Young Voices 02</b>	17th January 2024
<b>British Museum</b>	22nd January 2024
<b>Group of 12 to Trinity—STEM</b>	25th January 2024
<b>NPSCC Day</b>	2nd February 2024

#### Other subjects

**Science**—Properties of materials

**History**—Vikings

**PE**— Dance, Hip Hop & Vikings

**PSHE**—Family & Relationships

**RE**— Hinduism

#### Reading and homework schedule

It is so very important that your child reads regularly. We expect all children to read every day for at least 20 minutes. Your child must read to an adult at least twice in the week and they should have their reading diaries completed to show 5 entries, signed by an adult. Reading diaries will be **checked every Tuesday**.

#### Books we will be reading (or continuing to read)

