



An update from Miss Lawrence (Headteacher) and Mrs Hickenbottom (Deputy)...

Spotlight on Year 5!

Year 5 have been writing persuasive letters to Alberto Costa all about air pollution. They have learning all about fact and opinion and how they can be used together to persuade someone to do something.

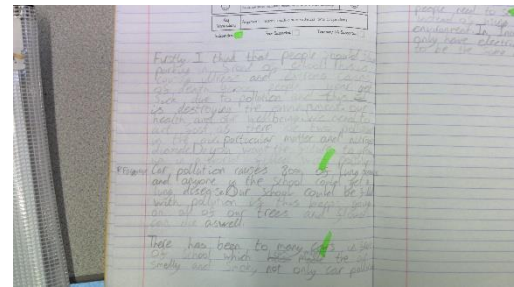
We have planned our write and we will be then focussing on writing our final draft and then asking Alberto Costa himself to come into the school so we can practise our oracy skills and read our letters to him.

In Maths, we have been working with enormous numbers up to 100,000. Learning how to order and compare them using a variety of previously learnt skills.

In Science, we have been working with Mowmacre Year 5 children on a joint science project. The outcomes of this project will see children from across the trust sharing their research and peer teaching, we are really excited for that!

We have also been learning about the life cycle of a butterfly with the Year 5 butterflies thriving in 5RM.

We have lots of exciting things coming up, such as continuing swimming, tennis lessons and visiting A Place to Grow! We are super excited 😊



Update

You may have seen our social media light up lately! We are trying to share more aspects of our school day as well as celebrate everything that the children have been doing outside of school.

The children have lots of things coming up that they are exciting about. In a few weeks we will be having our technology week where the children learn through technology including spheros, drones and 3D printers. Y5 and Pre-School will be starting their work at 'A Place to Grow' and we will also be having our very own Danemill Olympics.

Keep your eye on your inbox for permission letters!

Celebrations

This week's celebration of wider achievements goes to Bella-Rose and Scarlett. They spent the summer joining in with the Summer Reading Challenge! Here is a photo of them both with their medals, certificates and BIG smiles:



Please let us know if your child has achieved something outside of school so that we can celebrate! We will feature an achievement in every newsletter so keep them coming!

Responsibilities

We have been overwhelmed with applications for our positions of responsibility in school. Next comes the shortlisting section!

We will share outcomes very soon!

Community Advisory Board Member

We are looking for a new Community Advisory Board Member to join our strong and dynamic Advisory Board.

If you know of anyone within our community that may want to be part of supporting Danemill moving forward, then please ask them to call the office to discuss the role in more detail.

There will be a commitment to attend Advisory Board meetings that take place on a Friday morning on a half-termly basis.

Unfortunately, this role will not be suitable for a parent or carer.

Reminder of Curriculum Letters

We wanted to keep the links here for the curriculum parent letters to share what your child(ren) will be learning this half term:

EYFS: [Dear Parents/Carers, \(office.com\)](#)

Year 1: <https://sway.office.com/Nzu7VCp1KpfrdS8m?ref=Link>

Year 2: [Welcome to Year 2! \(office.com\)](#)

Year 3: [Curriculum Information for the 1st Half of the Autumn Term 2021 - Year 3 \(office.com\)](#)

Year 4: [Year 4: Autumn Term 1 2021 \(office.com\)](#)

Year 5: <https://sway.office.com/Tn07vxgnPvoHufU1?ref=Link>

Year 6: <https://sway.office.com/cFcxwMyT9AMvlag1?ref=Link>

Excellent Effort!

We're seeing more and more work coming through that is incredible! This week, we spied Jacob in Year 5 who came to show us all his diary entries from the last 3 years. He writes a diary for every summer so he can remember what he did - accompanied by photos. It was so strange to see how much he's grown!

Well done :-)

Reading Open Morning

Just a reminder that our reading open morning has been MOVED from Thursday 16th September to Wednesday 29th September 2021.

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