



Welcome to
Year 5

Who we are:

- Miss O'Neill - Class 4
- Mrs Pickett and Mrs Beer – Class 5
- Mrs Mumford – Class 6

- Mr Parr and Mr Barber will also be teaching several lessons each term.

- Lottie and Will – Shine PE
- Mrs Goulden - French
- Mr Coulson - Music



What the children will need with them every day:

- Blue mini planners (Reading log)
 - Spelling log - green
 - Reading book
 - Water bottle
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- They will NOT need pencil cases.
 - PE Kits should be worn on PE days and will not need to be left in school.

What we will be covering in Term 1 and 2

- Topic- Invaders (Anglo Saxons and Vikings)
- Science- Materials
- RE- Islam
- ICT- Esafety
- English- Beowulf, Persuasive letter writing
- Maths- place value and written calculations
- Personal, Social and Health Education – Being Me in my world and Celebrating Difference
- Topic Talks
- PE and swimming (Starts Monday 13th September, 10 sessions in total)

- As always, we will be thinking about our learning: Elli animals, Growth mindset (Yeti) and the Inner Chimp.

Homework

- Reading (min. 3 times a week for at least 20 minutes)
- Reading Challenge
- Spelling- see spelling log
- Times tables
- Maths (later in the term)
- Unfinished work

- Topic talks in terms 1 and 2
- Occasional topic-related research.

- We always love children to share any work carried out at home inspired by what they have been learning in school.

Microsoft teams- the home of all important information

The screenshot shows a Microsoft Teams chat window for a team named "Year 5 2021-22". The interface is divided into a left-hand navigation pane and a main chat area.

Left-hand navigation pane:

- Activity
- Chat
- Teams
- Assignments
- Calendar
- Calls
- Files
- Channels
 - General
 - 1. English
 - 2. Maths
 - 3. Science
 - 4. Other lessons
 - Class 4
 - Class 5
 - Class 6
 - Year 5 Staff

Main chat area:

The chat area shows a "General" channel with tabs for "Posts", "Files", "Assemblies", "Video Lessons", and "HJS Website". There are "Team" and "Meet" buttons in the top right corner.

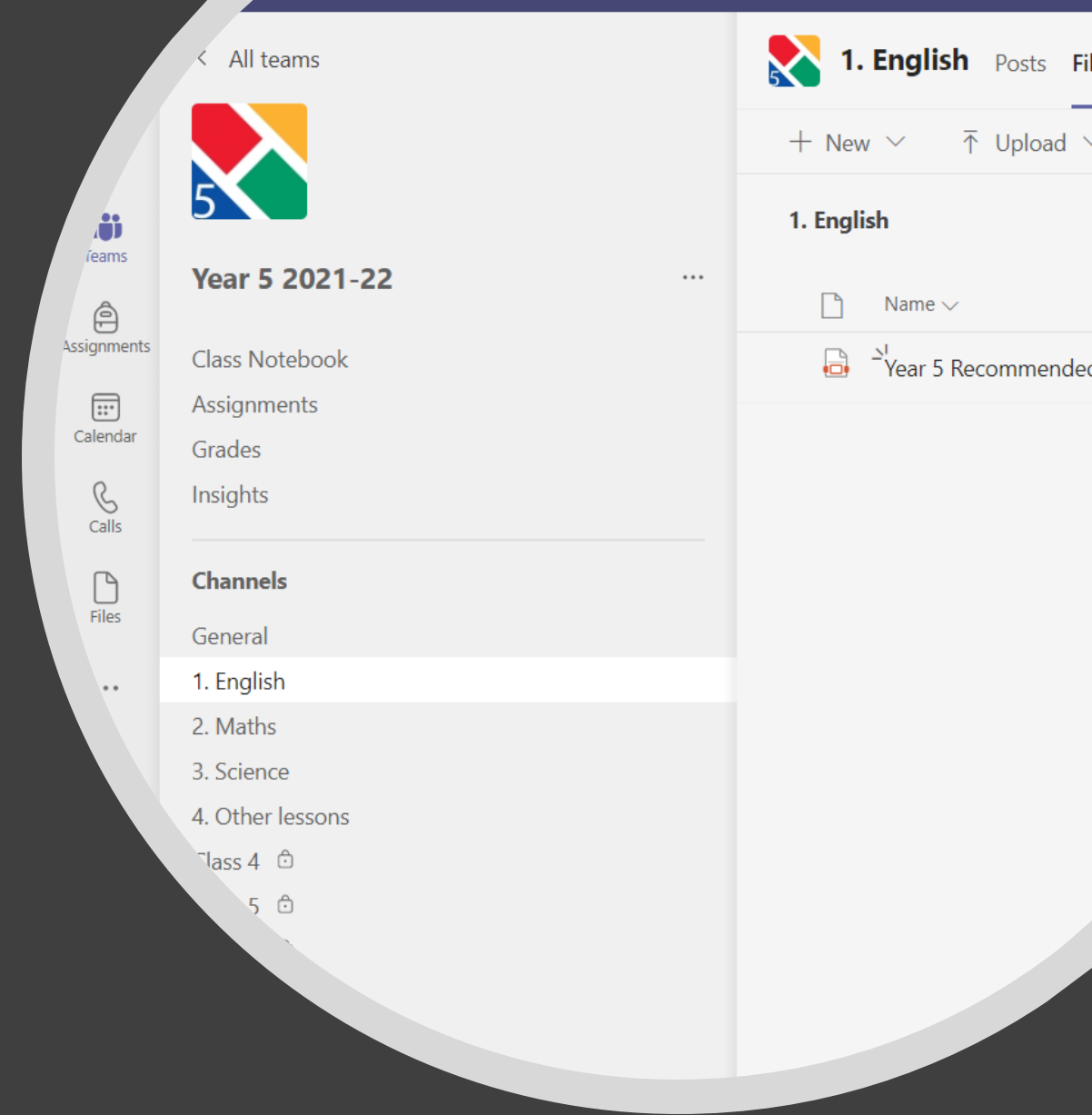
The chat history includes three messages from "Head HJS":

- Message 1:** Sent on 27/07 00:07. Subject: "Welcome to the new school year!". Content: "You have a new Team for the new year. We'll be using Teams to post messages, reminders and news throughout the year. Make sure you check it at least once a week." Includes a banner image with school supplies.
- Message 2:** Sent Yesterday 13:45. Subject: "Welcome meeting for parents and carers". Content: "The Year 5 teachers are looking forward to meeting your parents on Thursday 9th September at 3:45pm in the school hall. Please remind them to wear a face mask when they come in to the school. Don't worry if they can't come, we'll put all the information on the website."
- Message 3:** Sent Today 09:07. Subject: "Swimming and Shine". Content: "This term, all three Year 5 classes will have swimming on Monday afternoons and PE with Shine on Tuesdays. Remember to bring your swimming kit on Mondays and wear your PE kit to school on Tuesdays. Swimming starts on Monday 13th September. Year 5 2021-22"

Recommended Reads

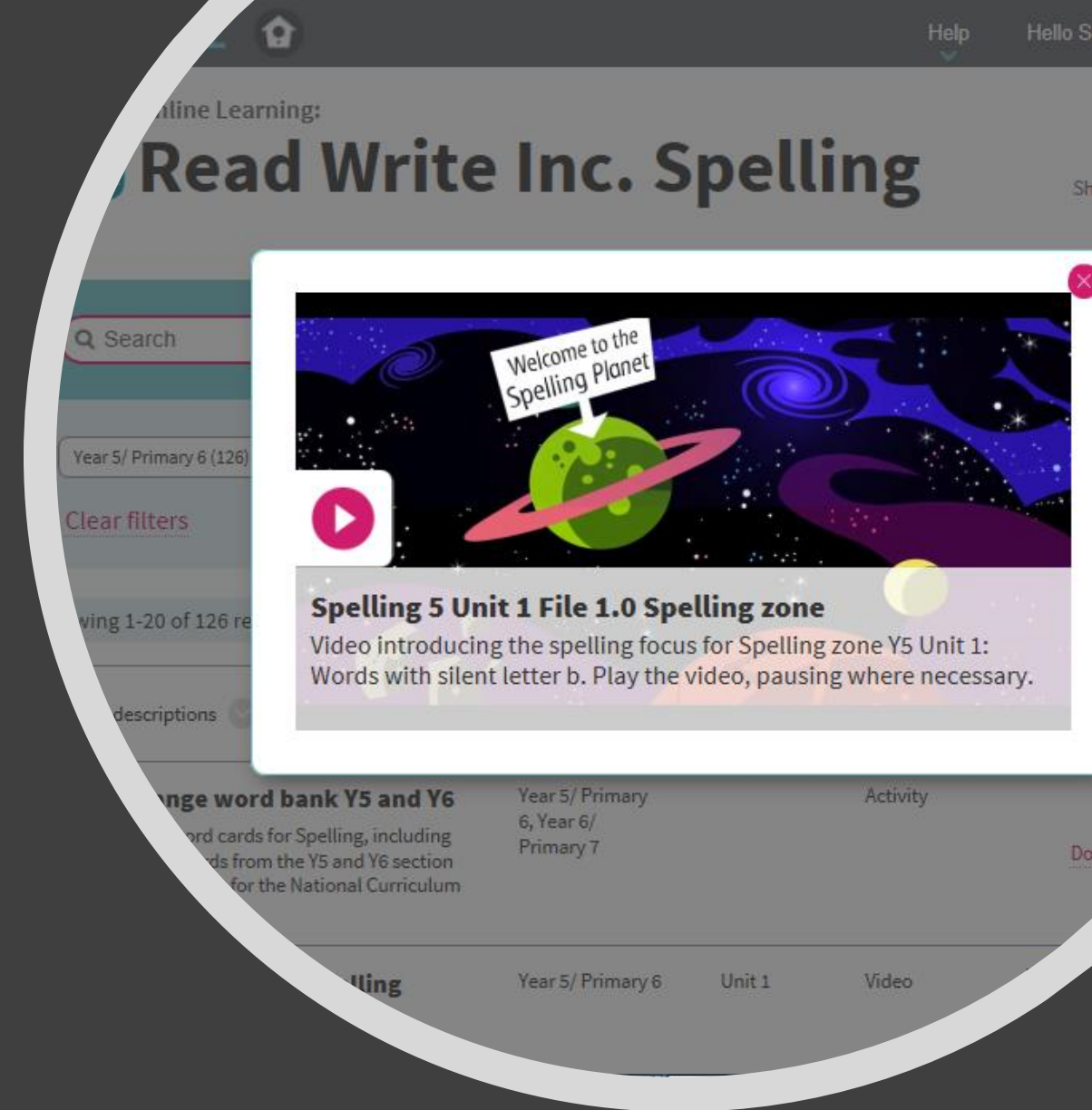
There's a list of our Recommended Reads in the English files page in Teams.

Including:
Malorie Blackman, Terry Jones, JK Rowling, and Eoin Colfer.



Spelling in Year 5

- Children will record their spelling words in their green Log Books, which they need to regularly practise at home.
- Children will be tested on their words in class. The current spelling pattern will be shown on the class pages in Teams.



Communication

How to contact us

- A note in the blue planners (reading records)
- Email the office
- Use the class email page (eg class4@henleazejuniorschool.co.uk)
- If you need to talk to us please arrange an appointment via the office. We are available most afternoons after school. Mornings can be very busy!

We are always keen to communicate with parents. Please contact us if there any issues.

Deanfield Dates:

- Deanfield Group A Monday 18th October- Wednesday 20th October
- Deanfield Group B Wednesday 20th October- Friday 22nd October