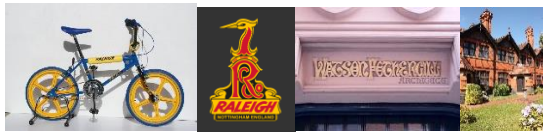
Year 5 Fothergill & Bowden Classes Newsletter: 3rd September 2018



A HUGE welcome back from the year 5 team!

We are really excited to get started on what we know will be an adventurous, fabulous and successful year with you. We're ready to be working our socks off with you, learning new things and having lots of fun.

The year 5 team consists of:
Miss White- Bowden teacher
Miss Mousley- Fothergill teacher and SENCO
Miss Froggatt- Fothergill teacher and Assistant Head
Mrs Kearney- Teaching Assistant
Miss Whistler- Teaching Assistant
Mr Martey- Teaching Assistant

Fothergill class is named after Watson Fothergill, a famous Nottingham architect. If you look around you in the city centre, you will spot a multitude of Fothergill buildings.

Our learning this term is titled; 'Who cares?'
We will be learning about our class namesakes and inspirational people, considering what we can learn from great leaders whilst reflecting on our own behaviours and the consequences of our actions in society.

Bowden class is named after the founder of Raleigh cycles. Raleigh has made many famous cycles over the years including the chopper and the bmx.

School Uniform

Please ensure all uniform is labelled with your name. It is helpful for lunch boxes, bags and PE kit to be labelled too.

Homework

Homework will be sent home on a weekly basis and will support the children's learning of vocabulary, grammar, number and topic. Your teacher will arrange with the class the suitable day for homework to be handed in. As always, reading remains a key priority to support learning and children are expected to read regularly at home.

PE

Please make sure you bring your PE kit at the beginning of term, we will send it home to be washed at the end of term. Plimsols/trainers, shorts and t-shirts are fine but children will need to bring a sweatshirt to school as the weather gets cooler.

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Diary Dates: Autumn 2018

Date	Year Group	Time	Event
Thursday 13th September	All	3.15 – 4.15 pm	Open Afternoon *Call in to meet the adults working with your child this year, have a look at your child's work so far and ask any questions you need to.* *No appointment needed – all welcome!*
Friday 14th September	Parents & Carers	9.00 – 10.00 am	"Keeping your children safe online" event by NSPCC & O2 *Free – no need to book – in the school hall*
Tuesday 18th September	Parents & Carers	1.15 – 3.15 pm	"Keeping up with the kids in English" learning course for parents *Free weekly course (6 sessions)* *Look out for a separate info flyer*
Wednesday 19th September	Year 3	AM	Geography Trip to the Embankment
Friday 28th September	Years 1 - 6	AM	Harvest Celebration Assembly *Donations for the food bank welcome*
Friday 26th October	All	3.15 pm	School closes for half term break
Monday 5th November	All	8.45 am	School re-opens
Monday 12th November	All		National Anti-bullying Week
Wednesday 15th November	All	3.30 – 4.30 pm	Parent – Teacher Meetings
Thursday 16th November	All	3.30 – 6.00 pm	Parent – Teacher Meetings
Friday 17th November	All	Day	Children in Need Charity Event