



Gaddesby Primary School



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Year 5 – Welcome Letter Autumn 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to school. We're so excited to have you in our Year 5 classroom! Here are a few pieces of important information. If you have any further questions, please contact the school office.

Drop off:			Pick up:	
8:45am at the classroom door			3:15pm at the classroom door	
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Mrs Dewick	Mrs Dewick	Mrs Dewick	Mrs Ellerby	Mrs Ellerby
	PE		PE	
	Spelling Quiz		Times Table Quiz	
Support Staff:				
Mrs Ferguson Mrs Joshi				
First Topic:				
Mountains – <i>Running on the Roof of the World</i> Science – Properties of materials				

- Please ensure your child is wearing the correct **uniform** on a daily basis. More information can be found on our school website.
- Please ensure all **belongings are named**, this ensures that we can reunite lost items with the right owner.
- We kindly ask that children leave **toys** at home. Quite often toys get lost or broken which understandably causes upset and they can also cause a distraction in the classroom.
- Children need a pair of named **black plimsolls** in school to keep our classroom nice and clean.
- **PE kits** need to be in school every day including spare, dry socks, a plastic bag and trainers. Please name every item including shoes. Long hair needs to be tied back and earrings removed or taped over in the interest of health and safety. Kits will be sent home at the end of each half term so they can be washed.
- We encourage children to be outside as much as possible so please ensure they have a named pair of **wellies** which can be kept on our class rack outside the classroom door. There are some left over from last year that need taking home if they no longer fit.



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- If your child needs an **inhaler** in school, please make sure we have an up to date, labelled one and that you have filled in a medical form.
- **Reading** – please support your child as much as you can! We encourage reading at home at least 3 times a week and a comment about what you have read in their reading record. Please ensure **reading books** come to and from school every day in book bags.
- Reading books will be changed as often as needed.
- Please return any reading books that were borrowed over the holidays so we can ensure our library is well stocked!

Warm regards,

Mrs Dewick & Mrs Ellerby