



# Class Five/Six

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2015.

## Project

It is not just the Vikings who were good story tellers! We really enjoyed reading, watching and listening to your Viking Sagas, well done to you all for writing such thrilling tales!

Lots of you have been asking if we can do the 500 word competition again this year because you enjoyed it so much in the past. This week in class we have discussed the competition and visited the website to find out more.

For your next project we would like you to email us the story you want to enter in the competition. This needs to be done by **Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> February** so we can send off your entries before the deadline. If don't have access to a computer at home then ask and we will arrange for you to use a laptop at school.

Although we try not to set homework over the holidays the closing date of the competition is quite soon.

Last year 5 children from Park Grove got through to the later stages of the competition. How well will we do this year? It's up to you!

## Reading

Please continue to read regularly at home and fill in your reading record.

We will be choosing our Book Worms of the month on Monday so if you would like to be considered, please bring your Reading Record into class then.

## Spelling

We have set you five more common words that use the apostrophe for contraction to learn for your spelling lesson next week. Please practise spelling each word using the grid we have given you.

## Maths and Times Tables

You have been set a times table to learn this week. Please practise it along with the division facts ready for the Times Table Challenge next week!

The My Maths login is: **parkgrove** and the username is: **multiply**. This week's task needs to be completed by **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February**. Well done to the children who regularly log onto My Maths to complete the tasks.

## Mystery Maths

Well done to Polina in Class 5 who was our Mystery Maths winner this week.

## Other Notes

It is Parents' Evening next Wednesday and Thursday. You have been given your appointment times. If you have a query over the time, please see us as soon as possible.

On Monday the Year 3s will be going on their train trip to Harrogate and Leeds. Please remember to bring a packed lunch, dress warmly and wear sensible shoes. Please bear in mind that we may arrive back at school slightly later than 3:20 pm but we will keep in touch with school if this is likely to happen.

The Year 4s will continue working on their biscuit project on Monday.

On Tuesday it is our music enrichment day. Lots of exciting activities have been planned for you with students from the University of York. We know that you will really enjoy the day.

Next week is also Happy Handwriting Week at Park Grove! There will be a handwriting competition in school so if you can, please practise your lead-in lines this weekend.

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Mr Baines and Miss Land.