

Puffins Weekly Overview 2026. Term 5 Week 5

A huge well done to all the amazing cast of Matilda – you were incredible!

Wishing everyone a lovely week off!

Friday, 22 nd May.	This week we have been learning about ...
English	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Reading for Pleasure: The Witches by Roald Dahl ▪ Spelling focus: list 27: real and sol ▪ Grammar – fronted adverbials and expanded noun phrases ▪ Writing: We have finishing our writing unit based on a short, animated film called ‘The Catch’. We have been writing stories from different points of view
Maths	<p>Topic – Decimals</p> <p>Tenths and hundredths as decimals</p> <p>Common fractions as decimals</p> <p>Fun Friday – Rangoli patterns with compasses</p> <p>TABLES FACTS– revising 5x and 10x facts</p>
Other Curriculum Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Science – The effect of acid on tooth enamel • Computing – Scratch points game • PE – rounders and swimming • Art – Rangoli patterns on 2Simple and with sand • RE – How do Hindus celebrate Diwali
News and reminders	<p>We have all done a ‘Try it out’ check on the iPads. The children have worked hard and made such great progress with their times tables. Please keep them going over the holidays because we’ll do the official test in the first week back – probably on the Wednesday. Then I’ll not say another word about tables for the rest of the year 😊</p> <p>Thank you for sending headphones into school, these will continue to be useful for computing.</p> <p>Spelling Shed – Stage 4 list 7 – real and sol</p> <p>Please support your children: one of our new Headteacher Award focuses is reading at home 😊 Reading Records – Remember that Miss Leggett has set a class challenge for all children to show a signed reading record at least once a week.</p> <p>Hats – if the sun continues to shine – hats are recommended for PE and playtimes.</p> <p>PE days will continue to be on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Swimming is the first week back on Tuesday afternoon. Please check all the clothes they wear on swimming days are clearly labelled, if you want them to come home in them 😊</p> <p>Kings School Minilympics – we are so lucky to have been invited once again to this free event on Thursday June 11th. Please return all permission slips.</p> <p>Quiet Reading time after lunch - After the half-term holiday...</p> <p>We will have a Story Focus for June. Everyone must choose a story book to read and read it every day (Except free-choice Friday). We will keep a record of what we've read. Can we read 50 books? = 500Dojos. Might we read 100 books? = 1000 Dojos!</p>