## Welcome to Year 5!

Year 5 is an important, busy and exciting year, full of opportunities to learn both inside and outside the classroom. Mr. Jones and Miss Akin are both looking forward to working hard with you and your parents to ensure that you make the best possible progress this year and become the best that you can be!

## **Key Information**

**Uniform** – You need to wear the correct Boundary uniform at all times. Full details are on the school website. Remember that your 'Always' badge is part of your school uniform and should be worn with pride – everyday!

**PE** - You must have your full PE kit in school on Wednesday and Friday, although we recommend that your kit is left in your locker for the full half term. Remember, the correct Boundary PE kit includes pumps, black shorts and a white t-shirt.

**Reading** – Please make sure that you read at least 30 pages a week and ask an adult to sign your Home Reading Record. Books and reading records need to be in school every Friday so that we can check on your progress. Some of you, who need extra practice, may be asked to bring your book into school everyday.

**Spellings** – Spellings will be tested weekly and are listed on the Year 5 page of the Boundary website.

*Multiplication tables* – Having a good knowledge of multiplication and division facts is essential in Year 5. We will be having a weekly multiplication check to ensure that we improve our rapid recall of all multiplication facts to  $12 \times 12$ . Keep practising the ones you find tricky!

*BLT* – Weekly BLT will consist of maths and GPS tasks .The tasks will be issued every Friday and need to be completed and handed into school by the following Thursday. If you do not complete your BLT outside of school, you will be expected to complete it during break time on Thursday and Friday. If you need help with any of the tasks, Mr. Jones and Miss Akin will be happy to help you.

We will also set some project tasks for you to complete over the half term. Please bring these into school as soon as you have finished them, so we can share your work with the rest of the class.