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Dear Year 5 Parents,

The Year 5 team have been extremely impressed with the mature, determined and positive attitude that the Year 5 children have demonstrated this term. It was tricky for many at the beginning of the Autumn term, getting back into the routine of school and meeting the expectations of their learning now they are in Upper Key Stage 2. We have been blown away by their amazing attitude to learning and have seen an amazing amount of wonderful work to be proud of. We started the term (which seems so long ago now!) looking at the history of flying machines and have weaved our way through history, focusing on the Space Race and have finally finished the term looking to the future and the exciting events that may lead the human race to live on Mars. The children have really enjoyed the space theme this term – the knowledge from their space quizzes was phenomenal! We have a whole class of budding scientists!

With reading at the heart of our curriculum, we have read some amazing whole class books this term and the children have shown such an enthusiastic attitude to the stories, discussing their various predictions and being eager to read on and find out what happens next. We are pleased that this love of reading has also transferred to their own reading at school and at home.

Next term, we will be looking at invaders and settlers, starting with the Anglo-Saxons (reading Beowulf) and then moving onto the Vikings. It is an interesting topic and we can't wait to share it with the children.

Finally, we have been busy rehearsing a Christmas song and a Christmas poem for you all to enjoy. To watch the children's brilliant performance, click on the link below:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8g17YQwmAE>

From all of the Year 5 team, we would like to thank you all for your continued support. We wish you a Merry Christmas and look forward to seeing you all again on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2021.

Merry Christmas,

Mrs Vincent, Miss Barrass and Mrs Muttitt