WELCOME TO OTTERS' CLASS

YEAR 5 2026/27



TEACHERS – MRS COTTON, MISS HOBBS AND MRS JONES (PPA)

TEACHING ASSISTANTS – MRS ALLSOPP AND MRS BROAD

STAFFING STRUCTURE

Monday – Mrs Cotton and Mrs Allsopp

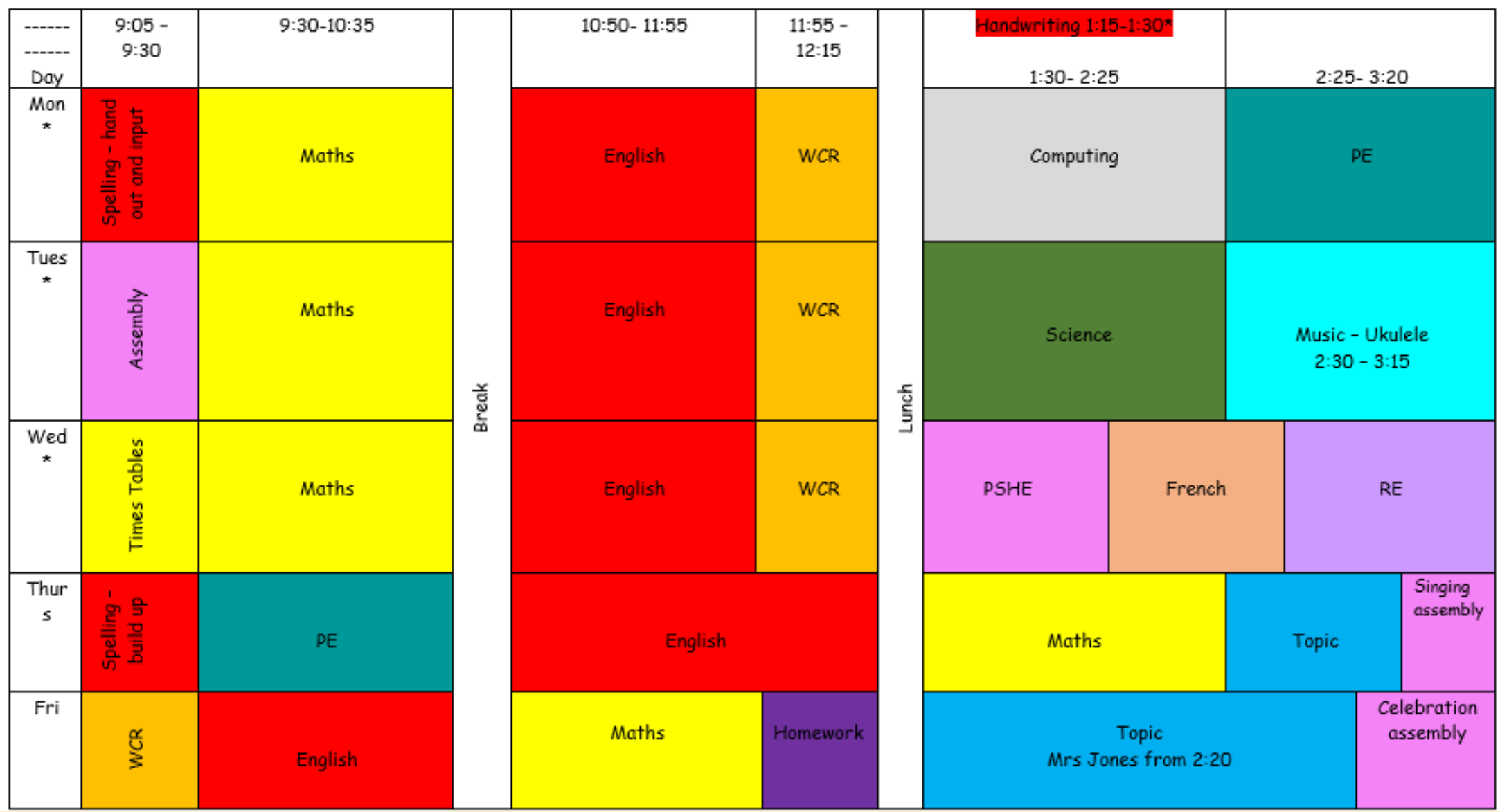
Tuesday – Mrs Cotton, Mrs Allsopp and Mr Tam/Miss Patrick (music)

Wednesday – Mrs Cotton, Mrs Allsopp and Mrs Jones (PM)

Thursday – Miss Hobbs and Mrs Broad

Friday – Miss Hobbs, Mrs Broad and Mrs Jones (PM)

OUR TIMETABLE – AUTUMN 1



---------- Day	9:05 - 9:30	9:30-10:35	Break	10:50- 11:55	11:55 - 12:15	Lunch	Handwriting 1:15-1:30* 1:30- 2:25	2:25- 3:20
Mon *	Spelling - hand out and input	Maths		English	WCR		Computing	PE
Tues *	Assembly	Maths		English	WCR		Science	Music – Ukulele 2:30 – 3:15
Wed *	Times Tables	Maths		English	WCR		PSHE / French	RE
Thurs	Spelling - build up	PE		English			Maths / Topic	Singing assembly
Fri	WCR	English		Maths	Homework		Topic Mrs Jones from 2:20	Celebration assembly

OUR TIMETABLE – AUTUMN 2

Day	9:05 – 9:30	9:30-10:35	Break	10:50- 11:55	11:55 – 12:20	Lunch	1:30- 2:25	2:25- 3:20
Mon	Spelling – hand out and input	Maths		English	WCR		PE	Computing
Tues	Assembly	Maths		English	WCR		Topic Mrs Jones from 1:50	Music – Ukulele
Wed	Times Tables	Maths		English	WCR		Topic	French
Thurs	Spelling – build up	PE (Possibly not if KS1 rehearsals in hall) English		Maths	WCR		RE	PSHE / Singing assembly
Fri	WCR	English		Maths	Homework		Art Mrs Jones from 2:20	Celebration assembly

IMPORTANT DAYS

Monday
We will hand out the spelling list for next week's dictation lessons.

PE lesson

Tuesday

Ukulele lesson – will need to bring ukuleles in to school!

Homework diaries checked

Thursday

PE lesson

Friday
Homework handed in

WHAT WILL BE MY CHILD NEED?

Everyday – reading book, homework diary, water bottle, healthy snack, lunch if sandwiches, school uniform.

PE – black shorts or joggers, trainers, red/RPS top and a plain/RPS hoody/jumper.

Homework can be brought in any day but Friday is the deadline.

NEW FOR YEAR 5!

Class Dojo!!

Points for school values, being ready to learn, kindness, perseverance etc.

Points = raffle tickets

Raffle tickets = chance of a prize on Friday!



Autumn (History)
Letters from the Lighthouse

The Maya
WWII – **Trip**!

Online Safety
Search Engines

Properties of materials

Craft and design: architecture

Netball &Volleyball
Dance & Yoga

Ukulele

Why do people choose to believe in God?

Exploring Emotions
Being Healthy

Me and My Friends

Spring (Geography)
The Explorer

Brazil

Data Handling
Programming

Earth and Space – **trip**!

Gymnastics & Dodgeball
Cricket & Fitness

Ukulele

Being a Muslim in Britain

Drawing: depth, emotion and movement

Growing up*
Bullying matters

Time in the city

Residential – Whitemoor Lakes!

Summer (STEM)
The Light Jar

Animals including humans*
Living things in their environments
Forces

Stop Motion animation
Programming

Tennis & Hockey
Athletics & Rounders

Ukulele

Places of worship
What would Jesus do?

Difference and Diversity
Relationships

At the market & Clothes

Portraits & Interactive Installations

TRIPS

Wednesday 2nd December – Beaumanor Hall

Dress up like 1940's school children and live like an evacuee day. Does include bomb shelter experience (some children can find this scary).

TBC – National Space Centre

14th – 16th April – Whitemoor Lakes Residential.

2 nights

Really well run and fantastic experiences like abseiling, high ropes, kayaking and team building.

A parent meeting will be held in January time

We hope this has been informative! Does anyone have any questions?

