

Year 1: Term Autumn 1

Reading Books

Reading books will be changed once per week. They need to be brought in on Mondays when they will be left for 48 hours before being returned to the general stock. New books will also be given out on Mondays. Please try to hear them read their book at home.

PE - On Tuesdays

Please come to school on Tuesday wearing full PE kit. Please ensure that **earrings are not worn**, or can be removed **independently** by your child. Long hair should be tied back.

We will be doing PE outside for as much of the time as possible so please wear dark coloured tracksuit bottoms and a sweat shirt when the weather is cooler.

We are practising cursive writing. All letters start on the line. We shall send home a cursive handwriting sheet shortly to help you support your child. This will help us prepare for joined handwriting in Year 2.

Dojo

We will be sending most communication to you via ClassDojo. If you haven't yet signed up for an account, or haven't logged on recently, please do so. Further information about this is coming out shortly.

Homework

More details will follow shortly.

Class Information Year 1

Autumn Term 2020

We hope you find the following information helpful about your child's new class.

We have included details on how we will be supporting your child's return to school over the coming weeks.

This term, we will continue to teach the Year 1 curriculum, as well as continually assessing and filling in any gaps from the previous learning.

You will find a brief overview of the curriculum content for English and Maths as well as support for your child's wellbeing. Information about other subjects will be sent separately in a more detailed 'Knowledge Organiser'. This information is designed to give you a flavour of what the children in Year 1 will be learning this term as well as some more detailed information on the knowledge we expect children to know at the end of this term.

Many thanks for your continued support.
From Miss Hewitt and Mrs Preston.

English

Cumulative story (work is based on the repetitive story Tom Cat)
Recount (work is based on the book 'Mr Gumpy's outing').

We will be concentrating on spelling high frequency words (ie the, at, in).

We will have daily phonics sessions.

We will be learning how to write all of our letters cursively so that we are ready for joined-up handwriting in Year 2.

We be making sure that we leave spaces between our words and write on the lines.

We are aiming to write simple sentences that have a full stop and a capital letter and that make sense.



Maths

We are beginning with place value within 10. To read, write and count up to 10. To count up to and back from 10.

Then we move onto addition and subtraction within 10. We will be looking at how a number can be partitioned into two or more parts, which will help with number bonds, addition and subtraction.

Please help support your child counting up to 20, forwards and backwards. Encourage them to write the numbers 0-10 and check they are forming them correctly.



Recovery Curriculum

We realise that some children will feel a little apprehensive about the return to school. Adults will be on hand to talk to your children and to listen to their concerns.

We will be including lots of additional PHSE sessions aimed at nurturing your child's mental health and wellbeing.

We will also be using some Get Set 4 Life sessions, aimed at developing skills and techniques to help build their emotional wellbeing and resilience. Some of the activities we will be doing include doing an 'Alphabet walk', 'Heads and Tails' and '10-1' workout.

During the Autumn term we will be continually assessing your child's knowledge and we will target our teaching towards filling any gaps at the start of each lesson.