

Year 1: Term Autumn 2

Reading Books

Reading books will be changed on a Monday. Please try to hear your child read their book at home at least 3 times and record this in their reading record. There are some fantastic books to read on myON (<https://www.myon.co.uk/>) which we sent you a password to on Dojo. If your child is struggling there is an option to turn it into an audio book on the bottom left hand side of the screen.

PE - Tuesday

Please come to school on Tuesday wearing full PE kit. Please cover or remove earrings. 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. If they have trainers, please can you teach your child how to tie their laces.

Cursive Handwriting

We are practising cursive writing. Each day we will be concentrating on a different letter. This will help us prepare for joined handwriting in Year 2.

Dojo

We will be sending most communication to you via ClassDojo. If you have any questions or concerns, please send us a message.

Homework

Homework is being sent out every Friday via ClassDojo on the class story. We alternate English and Maths tasks each week and ask that you upload a picture of the completed homework to the portfolio by the next Thursday. Every Friday spellings to learn for the weekly spelling test is also sent out on the class story. If there are any issues with homework or spellings please send Miss Hewitt a message on Dojo and she will be more than happy to help.

Class Information Year 1

Autumn Term 2020

We hope you find the following information helpful in supporting your child this term. You will find a brief overview of the curriculum content for some subject areas along with a more detailed 'knowledge organiser' for other subjects. 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.
Mrs Preston and Miss Hewitt

English

We are finishing our work on Recount (work is based on the book Mr Gumpy's outing).

Information Text (work is based on 'Animals and their needs' and 'Wolves' by Emily Gravett

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 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 capital letter and make sense.

We will be using adjectives (smelly, red, hot) and connectives (but, and, because) in our sentences.

Maths

We will finish off 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.

We will then move on to 2D and 3D shape. We will be naming shapes and describing their properties.

Please encourage your child to find 2D shapes (triangles, circles, squares etc) and count how many sides, corners/vertices they have? Can they name 3D shapes (ie, cuboid, cylinder, etc) and name the 2d shapes they can see? How many faces, edges and vertices/corners they can see?

We will move on to place Value within 20. To read, write and count up to 20. To count up to and back from 20.

Please help support your child counting up to at least 20, both forwards and backwards. Encourage them to write the numbers 0-20 (including reading them as written words) and check they are forming the numbers correctly.

Please see the Curriculum Knowledge organisers for all other areas of the curriculum. They have been sent to you via Dojo.