



This Week's Learning Year 1

Week Commencing Monday 14th September

Messages

We hope you've had a lovely weekend. We have enjoyed beginning to get to know the children ☺

Don't forget PE kits on Mondays, and to wear your PE Kits in on Wednesdays.

We know that the transition from EYFS to Year 1 can be particularly tricky for the children. You may find they are a little bit wobbly this term as they adapt to a slightly different and packed curriculum. We have worked very closely with Mrs Collins over the past few months to try and ease the transition as much as possible. Children will have opportunities for child initiated activities every day - our timetable will be very similar to what they are used to, and we will keep this going as long as we feel the children need this. Please do not hesitate to come and have a chat with us/Dojo us if there's anything you'd like to discuss.

An average day this term will look similar to the following (Mon/Tues/Thurs/Fri). The afternoons will vary each day.

8:55-9:45	9:45-10	10-10:30	10:30-11:15	11:15-12	12-1	1-2:15	2:15-2:45	2:45-3:05
PHONICS / READING	Break	MATHS	CHILD INITIATED (Inc. Snack time)	WRITING	Lunch	FOUNDATION SUBJECT(S) (1 or two lessons depending on subject)	CHILD INITIATED	ORACY/ ASSEMBLY

Wednesdays will look slightly different in the mornings:

	8:50-9:20	9:20-9:50	9:50-10:05	10:05-10:55	10:55-11:10	11:10-12	12-12:45	1-2	2-2:50
WEDNESDAY	PHONICS	MUSIC (Mrs Hooper)	Break	PE (Sports Coach)	Break	RE (Mrs Austin)	Lunch	History /Geography	Child initiated

This term for writing, we will be reading 'Lost and Found' by Oliver Jeffers, as well as some other stories linking to penguins. Here are the links to the books if you would like to read it. **Please do not share them with the children as we will be doing lots of predictions ☺**

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=H_paPplBH04

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8YMJ3qjdDHk>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rqQYcAR3kLs>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cRAAQ8EWzig>

Maths

This week we will be counting on from any number, finding one more, counting backwards from 10 to 0 and finding one less.

Phonics/Reading

This week we will continue to recap our phase 2 and 3 sounds. We will revise the following sounds: i ee igh oa ow ear air er sh zz ss ch qu or ng ear ck

Writing

This week we will be reading 'Blue Penguin'. We will be describing the character and the settings, and then thinking about what makes a good friend.

PE	To explore accuracy when rolling a ball.
Computing	Children will get to know the main parts of a desktop or laptop computer. They will practice turning on and logging in to a computer. They will apply their knowledge of the different parts of a computer to complete a mouse-based task.
History	Exciting hook - Can you use excavation tools to find fossils in soil or sand trays, then talk about these discoveries using the correct dinosaur vocabulary?
Music	Focus: Pupils discover that rhythm is the pattern of sounds in music. Learning Intention: Pupils will copy and create simple rhythm patterns.
Art	We will be looking at paintings and how primary colours have been used. We will then compare how they are the same or different.
RE	This term our unit is: Who is a Muslim and what do they believe? Talk about some simple ideas about Muslim beliefs about God, making links with some of the 99 Names of Allah. Re-tell a story about the life of the Prophet Muhammad. Recognise some objects used by Muslims and suggest why they are important. Identify some ways Muslims mark Ramadan and celebrate Eid-ul-Fitr and how this might make them feel.
Science	In science, we will be describing and name the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials. We will look at what material is best for absorbing water.
RSHE	To understand the rights and responsibilities as a member of my class