

Year One News

Year 1 Class Newsletter. Autumn Term 1 2020



What a great start to the year! All the children have returned from the extralong break refreshed and raring to go. They have settled into the new routines of Year 1 extremely quickly and have impressed us with their fantastic listening skills and behaviour. Many thanks for supporting them (and us!) with the return to school.

Mrs Wilkinson



Meet the Year One Team

We are lucky to have a number of adults working in different roles within Y1 this year:

Mrs J Wilkinson – Class Teacher
Ms Newell - Teacher (Art and DT)
Mrs L Mcrae – Teacher (Science)
Mrs D Smith – Learning Support Assistant

All the members of the team work closely together to ensure your child receives a rich and varied curriculum, pastoral care and additional learning support for specific children.

Topics

Our learning topics for this term are Transport and Extreme Weather. We will be reading stories linked to these themes and exploring materials and the environment in science.

We will be learning to use the internet safely and to use the internet to ask and answer questions.

The NUF will continue to support our PE lessons with Multi skills and Fundamental movement lessons.

Homework

We will be introducing the children to Bug Club, Purple Mash, Mathletics and School 360 during the Autumn Term so that they will be able to complete their online homework. Log in details will be sent home with the children as they are needed.

Children will be expected to complete weekly homework tasks online at home.

If you have any difficulties accessing the online homework please contact us via the office.

The use of Tapestry will be phased out and replaced with School 360.

How to help at home.

- Daily reading and sharing stories with your child – ask questions about what they are reading, play word games and spot rhyming words
- Play games involving numbers – dice and domino games are great for this!
- Encourage the children to become more independent.
- Support your child to complete their online homework tasks regularly.

If you would like any further support or suggestions on how to help at home, please contact us via the office.

Polite reminders

- Please continue to be patient at home time whilst we become familiar with those adults who are allowed to collect your child. It is essential that ALL children are safely collected and this may take some time.
- No ear rings/ jewellery or nail varnish to be worn at school please.
- PE days – Monday and Wednesday – please provide kit on these days.
- Please label all belongings with their name.
- Please do not use mobile phones anywhere on the school site.