

Our journey through the Summer term looks very exciting in Year 1!

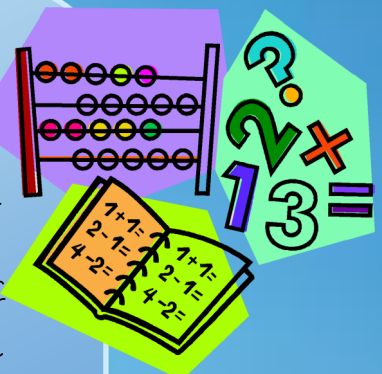


Literacy

During Literacy the children will look at a range of texts, including stories with familiar settings, poems with patterns and rhymes. We will focus on sequencing events, writing letters, making predictions, writing a diary entry, and writing a recount. We will continue to practise using capital letters and full stops, as well as exclamation and question marks. We will carry on learning how to spell common exception words and use our phonics skills to read and write sentences. This term we will also become more familiar with the conjunctions 'and' and 'because.'

Numeracy

We will be exploring numbers in a variety of ways. We will look for patterns in number sequences, representing numbers in a range of ways, and recognise and write numerals and words to 20. This will build our skills ready for exploring addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. Following on from our investigations of number, we will be exploring position and direction, telling the time to the hour and half hour, statistics including bar charts, pictograms and tally charts. We will also recognise, find and name half of a shape or quantity.

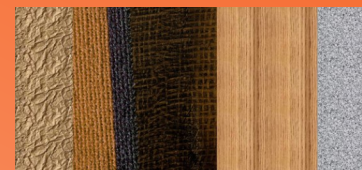


P.E and Dance

P.E is very exciting this term! Year 1 will be taking part in running races, jumping events and throwing events in preparation for sports day this term. In dance, we will learn and perform a dance based on different animals habitats. We will then move on to a themed dance based on the different seasons throughout the year.

Science

Our topic this term is 'Everyday Materials.' We will name materials and their features and how they can be manipulated for human uses. We will learn about how materials are suitable for particular purposes, such as umbrellas and curtains. We will work scientifically to discover what materials float and sink and use magnets to discover what we can find out about different materials.



Art and Design Technology

In Art we will be looking at Ranti Bam, who is a ceramic artist. The children will make pinch pots, using clay. The pots will also be decorated with paint. In D.T, we will be designing and making finger puppets. During this unit, we will be practising sewing, using a running stitch.



Geography

During the first half term, in Geography, our topic is 'Let's go the jungle.' We will learn about how the weather changes in the tropical Indian jungle, what would we see in the Mangrove Forest and how are jungles different to the Arctic.

History

During the second half term, in History, we will explore the topic of 'Famous Queens'. We will consider what makes a good monarch and we will learn about queens such as Mary Queen of Scots, Marie Antoinette, Elizabeth II and Cleopatra.



PSHE

This term, we will be thinking about keeping safe online, our behaviour and feelings and all about being ourselves!



RE

In RE, we will be exploring Sikhism and the values of kindness, sharing and generosity. We will also look at how we can find out about Christianity in Wolverhampton.



Computing

Children will use Purple Mash to create and follow instructions, using Lego Builders. We will also look at technology in the community.



Reminders/ Notices

Homework

Children will continue to have their homework and spelling books sent out on Fridays. Please can we continue to complete homework. The date for handing in all homework is on Wednesdays.

Reading

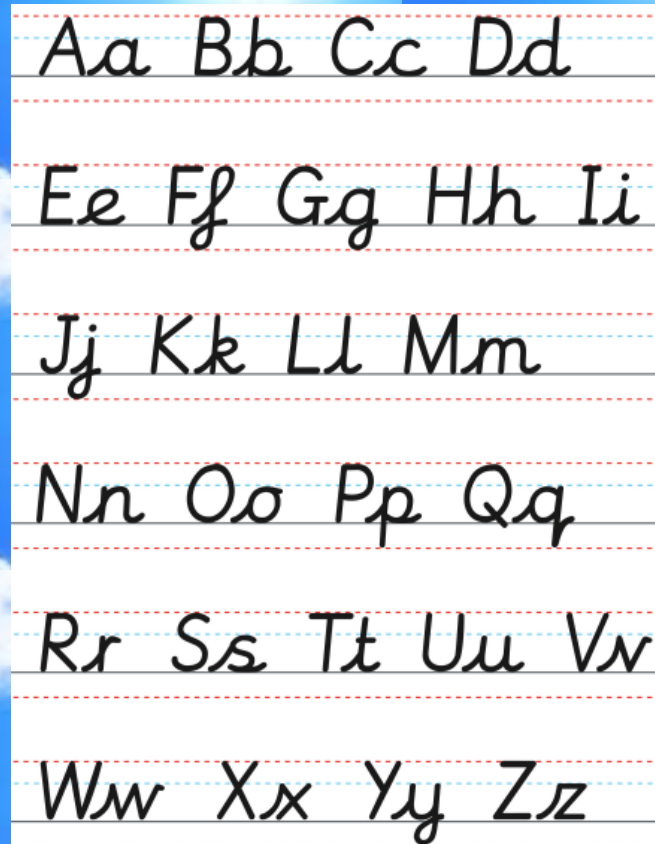
Children are heard at least once every week in school with an adult, and we ask that they practise at home also. This will really give their learning a boost in school! The children need to be able to read a wide range of texts and we would encourage them to read things that they find interesting.

PE Kit

Year 1 PE is on a Thursday afternoon; on this day, children are to come to school dressed in their PE kit. Children can come in an appropriately-coloured tracksuit during the colder weather.

Health and safety

Please can you ensure your child brings their own water bottle to school. We have refilling stations should they need it.



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Speed Sounds Set 3

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Year 1

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