

Year 1 - Term 2



Dear Parents/Guardians,

Curriculum Overview for Term 2

Each term we will have a different learning journey. Our learning journey this term is called “How can I be an events organiser?” During our learning journey, the children will be learning about different celebrations this time of the year. We will be learning about celebrations such as Bonfire Night, Remembrance Day, birthdays, Diwali and Christmas. The children are going to plan an exciting Christmas party for the end of term, which they will be inviting you to.

In Mathematics, we will continue to focus on number and place value to ensure that all children have a good understanding of numbers to twenty so we can build skills on this for the rest of the year. In English this term, we will be focussing on writing simple sentences, using capital letters, finger spaces and full stops.

If you can find time to practise these skills with your child this would really support their progress in school.

Expectations

We ask for your support in completing regular home learning with your children and ask that you hear your child read at least five times a week and log their reading in their contact books - this only needs a very short comment or signature. Children need to bring in their contact book every day so we can check this regularly.

Every week your child will be given spellings to practise at home. We will also practise these words daily as a whole class and in small groups.

P.E.

We are passionate about making sure the children are active and participate in physical activity. P.E. this term will take place on alternate Tuesdays and Thursdays. However, due to the curriculum, physical activity may happen on other days. For this reason, please could you make sure P.E. kits are in school at all times, and children have earrings removed at school OR are able to remove their own.

Outdoor Learning

Thank you for sending your child in with wellies for outdoor learning. As the weather is getting more unpredictable, please ensure your child is dressed appropriately, especially making sure their legs are covered. If you do have any waterproof trousers or spare wellies you could send in this would be much appreciated.

Thank you for your support,

Miss Durkan and Miss Winch