

Homework

- Children will receive a piece of maths and English homework on a Friday that we expect to be returned by the following Friday.
- Children will have a set of spellings to learn and these will also be tested on the following Friday.

Children are expected to read daily and this will need recording in their reading record book at least 3 times per week. These are checked on a Friday.

Remember the homework challenges that are ongoing throughout the term.

PE

Please ensure your child has their PE kit in school every Monday. They can bring it home to be washed on a Friday but must make sure they bring it back with them after the weekend. Our PE day this term will usually be on a **Wednesday**.

We are always happy to see you to discuss your child. However, we do ask that unless you have some urgent information for the day, you try to see us after school, when we will have more time to talk to you.

Class Information Year 1

Spring Term 1 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.
Miss Calaby

Year 1: Spring Term 1

English

In English lessons, the children will be learning how to write a warning story and an information text. We will be looking at the books '*Peter and the Wolf*' by SS Prokofiev and Ian Beck, '*Dear Daddy*' by Phillipe Dupasquier and '*The Elephant and the Bad Baby*' by Elfrida Vipont.

Maths

In Maths lessons, the children will be learning about addition and subtraction and place value to 50. We will also be learning how to count in 2's, 5's and 10's.

Science

In Science lessons, children will be looking at seasons and weather. We will be investigating and recording changes in the season (from Winter to Spring) and recording weather and temperature over a period of time.

Geography

In Geography lessons, children will be studying the four main countries which make up the United Kingdom. We will be exploring the key features of each of these places and naming the capital cities.

DT

In DT lessons, children will be tasting and making a variety of food. We will learn how to design and write a recipe for a healthy snack. We will also be looking at a range of cooking methods and techniques.

Computing

In Computing lessons, we will be learning how to follow simple instructions and code/decode simple programs using Purple Mash.

RE

In RE lessons with Mrs Mead, the children will be studying 'Special Books' in a variety of religions.

PSHE

In PSHE lessons, the children will be looking at the topic 'Dreams and Goals'. We will be setting ourselves simple goals, discussing ways we can achieve them and how to celebrate our successes.