

## 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

## Autumn Term 1 2019

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: Autumn Term 1

## English

In English lessons, the children will be learning how to write a quest story, a recount and an information text. We will be looking at the stories 'On the way home' by Jill Murphy, 'Mr Gumpy's Outing' by John Burningham and 'Wolves' by Emily Gravett.

## Maths

In Maths lessons, the children will be looking at number and place value and addition and subtraction. We will be learning how to solve problems using practical resources and pictorial methods.

## Science

In Science lessons, children will be naming the parts of the human body and exploring which body parts are linked to our five senses. We will also be investigating sensory impairment by exploring Helen Keller.

## Geography

In Geography lessons, children will be studying aerial views, maps, location and the four compass points. We will be drawing our own maps of the school and investigating what makes a good map.

## Art

In Art lessons, children will be introduced to the three primary and secondary colours. We will be experimenting with warm and cool colours and exploring tints and shades.

We will also be looking closely at the work of David Hockney and Monet and creating their own pictures of storms.

## Computing

In Computing lessons, children will be using the Purple Mash programme to explore online safety and learning how to create pictograms to represent data.

## RE

In RE lessons with Mrs Mead, the children will be studying leaders and teachers across a variety of religions.

## PSHE

In PSHE lessons, the children will be looking at the topic 'Being Me'. We will be looking at friendships, feelings, kindness and rights and responsibilities at school.