

Year 1 Summer Term 2 2024 Newsletter

How can we show we care?



In SCIENCE we will: Identify and name plants. Throughout the term we will complete practical activities and experiments to allow us to describe and compare structures of plants.

As WRITERS we will be: Developing our sentence structure using the phonic knowledge we have learnt already. We will continue to use Read Write inc phonics within our groups to ensure our reading is fluent.

Children will continue to use capital letter, full stops and finger spaces in their writing. They will develop their imagination through Quest story writing and poetry writing. As well as write their own recount of an exciting quest.

In PSHE - JIGSAW we will be: looking at the 'changing me' topic. Throughout this unit of work we will be looking at our bodies.

As READERS we will be: Continue to read our RWI books at home and school, these books will be closely linked to our phonics level. We will continue to bring home school books to share with an adult who can read it with us.

In P.E. we will: be looking at cooperating and competing; taking part in races, team games and competitions. Our P.E. days are Monday and Tuesday. This term we will also be taking part in Sports Day.

As MATHEMATICIANS we will be learning to: Looking closely at coins, time and position & direction to develop our mastery of number. We will then consolidate all we have learned this year towards the end of the term.

As HISTORIANS we will be: Learning about Mary Seacole, Florence Nightingale & Edith Cavell we will compare aspects of their lives in different periods and how they have contributed towards national and international achievements

In RW we will be: Looking at creation stories from Christianity, Islam and Judaism. We will be asking questions such as "Where did the Earth come from?", investigating sacred stories and questioning why we should look after the earth.

In DT we will be: Looking at different types of lanterns linking to our history learning of Florence Nightingale. To design, create and evaluate our own lantern.

School

Year 1 P.E days will be on **Monday** and **Tuesday** during **Summer 2**. Please send your child to school in P.E kit on these days. See below for appropriate school P.E kit.

- Plain white t-shirt and navy blue shorts,
- Trainers
- Tracksuit/Jogging bottoms (Blue or Black) for colder weather.



Uniforms can be purchased on the school website. Or parents can buy from local shops but please purchase school colours.

We have many exciting opportunities planned throughout the school year. Please see below the curriculum overview as well as the the wider opportunities available to your child throughout the year

Autumn	Spring	Summer
What animal would you like for a pet?	What toys from the past are still popular today?	How can we show we care?
Who was Guy Fawkes?	Which material is the most useful?	How can we help our plants grow?

Visits / visitors	In-school wider opportunities
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Pop up museum and virtual experience with Streetlife Museum. ● Teddy bears hospital 	Physical Foundations Coach Mr Holmes Dance and Drama Coach Tiger's Trust P.E. Coach N.A.P.A Dance Teacher

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