

Welcome to Year 1...

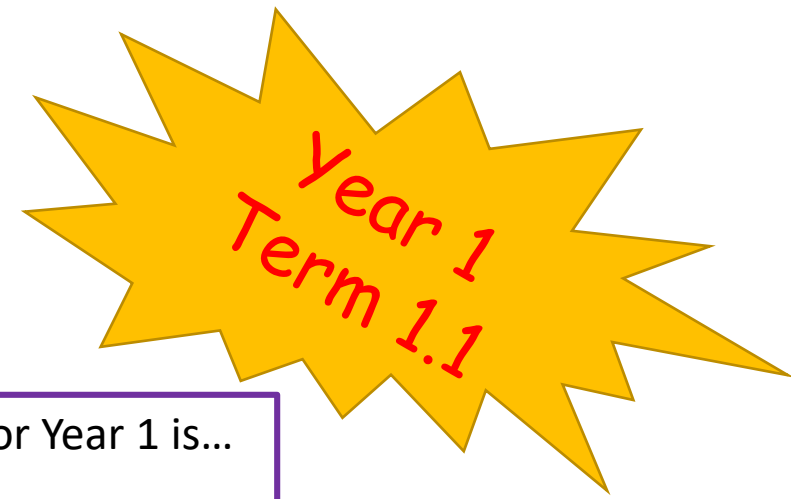
Your teachers are: Miss Flint, Mrs Wickson, Mrs Dauncey, Mrs Howell

Writing:

This term we will be starting to look at stories with familiar settings such as Biscuit Bear and the Naughty Bus. We will then be reading traditional stories such as Billy Goats Gruff and The Three Little Pigs and learning how to retell these stories. For the non-fiction part of our curriculum we will be learning how to write lists, labels and captions and later moving on to writing instructions. We will also be looking at poetry and linking the poems we look out to our Science topic 'Senses'.



Our Assistant Head Teacher for Year 1 is...
Mrs Middleton



Phonics:

The children are working in eight phonic groups across the year group. They are practising reading and writing their sounds daily.

Phonics
ee ur ow
wh y au



Reading:

Your child will be read with twice a week. They will have their Guided Reading book changed once a week. They will need to have their **book bags** in school so that a new book can be sent home. Children will have the opportunity to choose a library book to share with you at home. Please try and read this with your child and share these books together.

Homework:

Homework will be set every Wednesday and needs to be handed in by the following Monday. The children will each get a piece of phonics homework each week. Please help your child with their homework and help them to remember to bring it back on time.

Numeracy:

- We will be learning:
- To count forwards and backwards from a given number
- To count, read, write numbers in numerals and words
- To find one more and one less than a number
- Identify and represent numbers using objects and pictorial representations using the language of: equal to, more than, less than, most and least



Our Teaching Assistants in Year 1 are: Mrs Barrat, Miss Altaf, Mrs Rooney, Miss Butt and Mrs Khalil

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Computing: 'We Are Treasure Hunters'

This term we are learning how to give instructions and how to program a Bee Bot. Year 1 will also be learning about Online Safety



RE:

The dispositions we will be looking at this term are:

- Cultivating inclusion, identity and belonging.
- Being modest and listening to others.

Science:

The children will be learning how to name, draw and label the basic parts of the human body and will be learning which part of their body are associated with each sense. They will be identifying their different senses and testing their ability to identify things using only one of their senses.

Learning for Life:

Our theme this term in 'Changes'. In History the children will be exploring how we change as we grow up and talking about life events that they have experienced. The children will learn to ask questions that help them learn about events that have happened in the past. The children will also think about how their lives may change in the future.

PE:

We have PE sessions every **Monday and Thursday**. Please make sure that your child has their PE kit in school on these days.

Children need to bring: pumps/trainers, black joggers or leggings (for the colder weather), their school PE top and a jumper or sweat shirt. Please can you make sure that all items of clothing are clearly labelled.

This term the children will be doing Gymnastics and Attack, Defend, Shoot activities.

