



Term 1 Newsletter Primary 1 and 2



LANGUAGE AND LITERACY

Phonics/Reading:

Primary 1 children will be learning initial sounds and how to write the corresponding letter. We will learn to blend known sounds so they can read simple consonant-vowel-consonant words e.g. s-a-t.

Primary 2 children will be revising the sounds taught last year and will be introduced to further digraphs e.g. ng/nk. They will also begin our spelling programme with new spellings to learn each week later in the term.

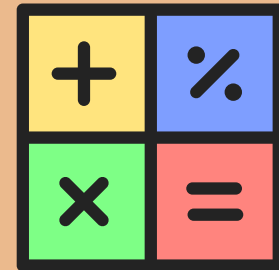
Writing:

Our writing will be linked to our topic learning wherever possible in order to give the children the opportunity to apply their skills with a purpose. Primary 1 will focus on Description whilst Primary 2 will revisit Description as well as learning about Response texts.

MATHS AND NUMERACY

This term we will be covering:

- Place value
- Numbers and Number word sequences
- Addition
- Shape



Over the course of this term we will be learning about the history of toys. We will find out about toys in the past, create our own comparisons of toys and link our topic to our science focus when looking at forces and considering how toys work.

Art and Design: Drawing and painting using a variety of media	Drama: Role play Sharing ideas Freeze frames	HWB: Safety Managing Risks Healthy Diets
French: Greetings Numbers to 10	Listening and Talking: Asking questions Selecting own texts	PE: Ball skills
RME: Caring and Sharing	Science: Planet Earth (Energy sources and sustainability)	Social studies: History (Focusing on toys)

EVENTS

Friday 8th September

Meet the Teacher
2-3pm

Wednesday 13th September onwards

Well being Wednesdays - Parents/carers are invited to join the children for a variety of wellbeing activities between 9 and 9:30

REMINDERS

PE is on Wednesday and Friday- please ensure earrings are removed or provide micropore tape for your child to cover them.



Water bottles are encouraged in the classroom but please only fill them with water, not juice.



Please ensure all uniform is named



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