WHINHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL
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Primary 2/1 Newsletter

Term 1



Well done everyone, we have had a fantastic start to Primary 2/1! Everyone has settled in so well and I am very proud of how hard we are working and how much we are learning.

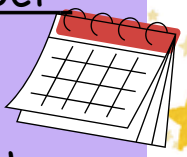
It's going to be a very busy term but I know all my P2/1 Stars with be up for the challenge!

Mrs Smith

Diary Dates!

Tuesday 15th September
P2/1 Meet the Teacher

25th - 28th September
Holiday



Wednesday 7th October
Parents' Evening

Friday 9th October
Harvest assembly, please ***wear shirts and ties*** as ***P2/1*** will be ***performing***.
Last day of term - 3pm finish.

Reminders!



- ***PE days*** - ***Monday*** and ***Wednesday***. Children should wear their PE kit under their uniform or be able to change themselves. No ***jewellery.***
- Can you please ensure that all ***clothing*** is clearly ***labelled.***
- Remember water bottles - with ***water*** only please.

Follow us on X!

@MrsSWhinhill

Keep up to date with all our learning!

Literacy



Phonics

P1 - alphabet sounds and how to write them, forming them correctly.
P2 - revision of alphabet sounds and phonemes learned before developing our knowledge further by learning new ones.

Writing

P1 - pencil grip and control, writing our name and drawing detailed pictures in our personal writing.
P2 - developing our independent writing, focusing on using the sounds and tricky words we know.

Reading

P1- holding a book, using book words (e.g. cover, title, author etc), listening to stories.
P2 - developing our decoding skills to allow ustoread text independently.

Talking and Listening

P1 & P2 - aftercreating our Y-chart, we will be developing turn taking and using our hand signals during class discussions.

Health & Wellbeing



September focus: Safe

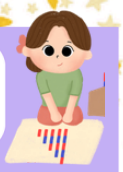
October focus: Healthy

PE focus: staying safe in the gym, rebound games & athletics





Numeracy & Maths



Primary 1

- Number formation for numbers to 10
- Counting forward to 20 and back from 10
- Ordering numbers

Primary 2

- Extending number knowledge to 30/50/100
- Numbers before and after
- Recognising, writing and ordering numbers
- Skip counting in 10s

Beyond number - Primary 1&2

- Patterns
- 2D shapes & 3D object.

Other Curricular Areas





- Context for learning: ***Under the Sea***! We will be learning about the water areas in our local environment, the different creatures that live in seas and oceans, and how we can look after them. (Social Subjects, Science)
- Expressive arts: Art - line drawing and printing. Music - singing together, keeping a steady beat.
- Science: Sound vibrations and waves.
- Technology: using digital skills in class to help with our learning P2: logging onto the laptops independently.
- R.M.E.: HarvestandSukkot



