



Year 1 and 2 Newsletter
Summer 1 2019

English

Year 1

Year 1 children will be looking at fantasy stories all about Superheroes - how exciting! We will be looking at creating our own Heroes and Villains to create our own comic strip adventure. To finish off the half-term, we will be looking at 'Dear Greenpeace' and will be writing a letter to WWF about an animal.

Year 2

In Year 2, we will be doing lots of work around the story of Little Red Riding Hood: we will be writing instructions, stories (including making our own ending), a diary entry and letters to different characters in the story.

Maths

Year 1

In Year 1 we will start off the second half term by looking at fractions - what an exciting topic to learn about! We will be starting to find fractions of shapes and numbers. After this, we will be learning about describing movements using position and direction.

Year 2

In Year 2, we are going to be very busy in the Summer Term preparing for our SATs tests in May. This means doing lots of revision on all of the topics we have learnt about over the last year, especially place value and the four operations.

Creative Curriculum

Our new topic after half term is another very exciting one: Splendid Skies! We will be learning lots of fun facts about the different types of weather we get to experience in the UK, as well as looking at how the different seasons affect the weather. We will also be looking at all of the many changes that we get to see between each season during the year!

RE

In RE this term, all KS1 children will be learning about the religion of Sikhism. As part of this unit we will look at important Sikh symbols and stories, as well as the holy building and values that are important to Sikh people all around the world.

PSHE

Our topic next half term is 'Friendships and Families'. We will be discussing what it means to be a good friend and also spend time looking at what a family is and what our families are like.

Our Team

1/2KM - Miss Merrick
1/2AL - Miss Lago
1/2LC - Mrs Capewell
Year 1 English & Maths - Miss Bywater
Teaching Assistant - Mrs Khanom
Teaching Assistant - Miss Brunell

Weekly Homework

Homework is given out each Wednesday and should be handed back in every Monday. Homework diaries go home regularly and should be signed by parents each week. Please try to listen to your child read a small amount each time, and question them on what they have read. Your children's books will be changed weekly.



Reminders

Children should wear school uniform always with black shoes. Children should not wear any jewellery, except a watch and stud earrings.

Please make sure your children are in school (and on time) every day. The Government target for attendance is for children to be present for 96% of the school days. If your child is in school every day, they are eligible for lots of different treats: winning the 'Attendance Dinosaur' award; entered into a weekly raffle to win a pair of free cinema tickets; and a chance to take part in our whole-school attendance treat each term.