

Year One Newsletter

Term: Autumn 2



Message from your teachers

What a wonderful start to our Year 1 journey! We had such a lovely Autumn 1 in Year 1 and we know this will continue through the year! The children are working so hard and we are very proud of them. We are super excited for the half term to come and the terms that follow.

Mrs Rowley, Mrs Dixon and Mrs Umair

We will be learning this term...

Our topic for this half term will be about animals and habitats. We will be naming a variety of animals and placing them in different categories. We will also be exploring what different animals eat, what defines whether they have been alive, died or never been alive. In Art, we will learning about printing and how to create a piece of art by arranging prints. In computing, we will be using digital media to create a digital painting.

In DT at the end of the year, we will be creating a Christmas tree decoration using sewing utensils and felt. In English, we will be focusing on using punctuation and a variety of vocabulary. We will be using read write inc. to complement our phonics using the correct reading books for your children. In maths, we have started to look at subtraction and we will be moving onto geometry including 2D and 3D shapes. We will be continuing to learn our times tables and

continuing to complete problem solving and reasoning.

Of course, by the end of term, we will be practising our nativity so be ready for some festive jingles!

Reminders/Important Dates

- PE has changed to a <u>Tuesday.</u> t. Please ensure that children come dressed in Black/White kit on this day and that jewellery have been removed.
- Please ensure children bring their reading journals every day as every day is a reading day!
- Homework is set on a Friday and due on Wednesday. Spellings are also set on a Friday.

Useful pages/Contact us

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