



Welcome to Year 1

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We look forward to seeing you in September.

<u>Autumn Term</u> - Our topics are Animal Kingdom and The Gunpowder Plot. We will be learning about different groups of animals and the history around bonfire night!





Spring Term -

Our topics are Paddington on Tour and Man on the Moon. We will be following Paddington all around Great Britain learning about the countries and the capital cities. We will learn all about the moon landing in 1969 and will make alien sculptures in the style of Alberto Giacometti.



<u>Summer Term</u> - Our topics for this term are How does your garden grow? And Marty and Mumble's mission. Children will learn about different parts of a plant and will be growing different plants in class. They will follow Marty and Mumble around the world as they learn about hot and cold

What do we expect in Year 1?

Reading at home

It is expected that you read at home with your child at least 4 times a week to support and develop their fluency and comprehension. Children who read at least 4 times a week will have their name entered into a prize draw to win a book. Please ensure they have their book-bag and reading record in school EVERYDAY! The children will have time each day to change their books and we encourage them to do this independently.

<u>Spellings</u>

It is a statutory requirement that the children learn certain words throughout each year they are at school. They will still be taking part in daily phonics sessions but will also be learning spelling rules to go alongside this. Spellings will be sent home on Thursdays and tested again the following Thursday. Please ensure your child has their spelling log in school on Thursdays.

Maths

In Year One children will be learning to count to and across 100 and will be working on addition, subtraction, multiplication and division with numbers to 20. At home you can support your child by helping them to count in 1s, 2s, 5s and 10s and by practising number bonds to 10 (5+5=10, 6+4=10). Children will work on magnificent counting throughout the year and receive certificates!

Thank you for your support.