



Year 1 Summer Term 2 Curriculum Newsletter



READING

English: Reading

The Burglar Bill, Mog the Forgetful Cat and Granny, Granny Please Brush my Hair. These are Talk Through Story books that help children expand their vocabulary, boost comprehension, and develop a love for reading by deepening their understanding of stories, characters, and events. Oi Dinosaurus!, Tyrannasaurus Drip, Harry and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs, Winnie's Dinosaur Day, Dinosaurs that love Underpants and The Dinosaur that pooped a planet are books we will be reading for pleasure within the class.



MATHS

This term, children will learn to count to 100 in 1s and 10s, partition into 10s and 1s, use 1 more and 1 less, to compare numbers. They will also use base 10 units to identify and find numbers to 100. The children will also learn to recognise coins and notes and use their knowledge to add and subtract using money. They will learn the days of the week and months of the year and time to the hour and the half hour.

DATES AND INFORMATION:

Dates for this term:
Friday 12th June - Mufti Day
18th June - PACT Summer Disco
19th June - PACT Fathers Day breakfast
25th June - Sports Day
2nd July - PACT Summer Fayre
6th July - Transfer Afternoon
10th July - Reports to parents
20th July - Training Day

PE Days: Mondays Indoors
Fridays Outside.



WRITING

Biography - Bold Women in Black History: -

Children will learn key details about a person's life. They will tell the events of the person's life in order and include facts about the person.

Instructions - The children will identify key features of instructional texts, using clear steps, commands, and time words to write a set of instructions for How to Look After a Dinosaur.

Narrative: Dinosaur Sleepover. Children will discuss ideas before writing, use basic punctuation, and continue to spell Year 1 exception words. They will continue to apply suffixes (-ing, -ed, -est, -s, -es), join sentences using words like *and*, and *because* and add detail using adjectives.

SCIENCE

Science: Animals Including Humans.

The children will learn how to identify and name a variety of common animals including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals. They learn how to identify and name a variety of common animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores. And finally, they learn how to describe and compare the structure of a variety of common animals (fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals including pets).

HISTORY

1st Aeroplane Flight

The children will learn all about the first flight, and all the way through history to the first venture into space. They will learn about similarities and differences between things in the past and now, drawing on their experiences and comment on images of familiar situations in the past.



WAYS TO HELP AT HOME:

Continue listening to your child read their Phonics book every day.

Continue practicing counting in 2's, 5s and 10s.

Support your children learning their number families and their number bonds to 10 and 20.

Continue reading and writing the Year 1 common exception words



Cooking and Nutrition: Smoothies

In this unit children will describe fruits and vegetables and explain how to identify fruits. They will name a range of places that fruits and vegetables grow e.g. underground, above ground and on the ground. They will describe basic characteristics of fruit and vegetables. Finally, the children will taste and prepare fruits and vegetables to make a smoothie.

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PSHE

Growing and changing

Children will learn to recognise that exercise and sleep are important parts of a healthy lifestyle; Notice the changes that have happened to them since they were a babies. They will also learn the difference between being teased and bullied and the difference between keeping a surprise and keeping secrets. Lastly, to identify parts of the body that are private and which private parts can be kept private;



HOMEWORK

Please practice all kinetic letter sounds sent home and hear you child read their book every day.

TEXTS COVERED THIS TERM:

Talk Through Stories:

Burglar Bill

Mog the Forgetful Cat

Granny, Granny Please Brush my hair.

