



# YEAR 1

**Autumn Term      September—October 2021**

## Reminders

**PE** - Year 1 must come to school in their P.E kit on a **Monday**.

**Reading at home**—Books will be changed on a **Friday only**. We expect parents to hear their children read **at least 4 times a week**.

Please record in your child's reading record when you have heard them read at home.

Books are also still available to read online on the Oxford Owl e-Library where you can find a selection of Read Write Inc phonic books that match your child's current book level <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page>

**Please ensure all clothing is named** (including shoes, water bottles, bags etc).

**Whinchats** class teacher—  
Miss Bean

**Stonechats** class teachers—  
Mrs Brain—every morning and all day Friday  
Miss Szadowski - Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday afternoon

## Year 1 News

Welcome to Year 1! It has been so lovely to welcome the children to school. We have been pleased to see so many smiling faces greeting us in the morning already.

We have had an exciting start to Year 1 by using 'The Colour Monster' to create some beautiful art work and teaching the children about the importance of sharing their emotions. The children have settled fantastically into Year 1 and we are very proud of all their hard work so far.

We have been thinking hard about the school's Rainbow Promise and what it means to us as well as finding out how to be good Owl Learners.

This half term the children will be looking at the topic of 'Once Upon a Time', exploring traditional tales and recognising common themes in these stories. Why not read some fairy tales with your child over the next few weeks?

We are thoroughly looking forward to spending the next year with all of Year 1, getting to know them better and watching them develop.

If you ever need to contact one of us, please do so via the office.

Miss Bean, Mrs Brain, Mr Davies, Ms Rather, Ms Fallis and Miss Szadowski





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<b>Week</b>	<b>Numeracy</b>	<b>Literacy</b>
<b>Week One</b>	Getting to know you activities	Getting to know you activities
<b>Week Two</b>	Number -Place value	The Colour Monster
<b>Week Three</b>	Number -Place value	Exploring Fairy tales—Little Red Riding Hood
<b>Week Four</b>	Number -Place value	Exploring Fairy tales—Jack and the Beanstalk
<b>Week Five</b>	Number -Place value	Exploring Fairy tales—Snow White and the 7 Dwarves
<b>Week Six</b>	Number -Place value	Exploring Fairy tales—Hansel and Gretel
<b>Week Seven</b>	Number—Addition and subtraction	Exploring Fairy Tales—Cinderella
<b>Week Eight</b>	Number—Addition and subtraction	Autumn Poetry

## **Curriculum**

Our topic this half term is 'Once Upon a Time' and afternoons are cross curricular covering art, DT, science and geography.

In R.E will be learning about the Christian story of Creation.

In PSHEC we will be looking at our health and wellbeing.

In music we will be using Charanga exploring Hip Hop music and in P.E will be using the Real P.E scheme.