



YEAR 1

Summer Term

April - May 2022

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**. 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—All day Monday and Friday. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings.

Miss Szadowski - Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday afternoon

Year 1 News

What a busy and enjoyable term we have just had! It was so wonderful to see the incredible progress Year 1 have been making, all thanks to their fantastic owl learning behaviours.

We had a great time last half term with lots of lovely experiences and opportunities. The children worked beautifully alongside Year 6 as part of our JOLF day and engaged enthusiastically during our Zoom poetry session with poet Kev Payne. Year 1 also had a workshop with author Chitra Soundar and had a marvellous school trip to the Milestones museum to conclude our topic on transport. In class, the children impressed us with their DT topic making their own moving vehicles and all of the year group engaged confidently in our STEM based Science day making our own houses.

This term we look forward to many more exciting experiences and continuing to flourish as confident, enthusiastic learners.

As always, please don't hesitate to contact us with any questions.

Miss Bean, Mrs Brain and Miss Szadowski





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Week	Numeracy	Literacy
Week One	Volume and capacity	The Pirate's Next Door
Week Two	Multiplication and division	The Pirate's Next Door
Week Three	Multiplication and division	The Pirate's Next Door
Week Four	Multiplication and division	Night Pirates
Week Five	Fractions	Night Pirates
Week Six	Fractions	ARTS WEEK

Curriculum

Our topic this half term is 'Pirates' where we will be exploring all about these fascinating characters from history. Our afternoons are cross curricular covering art, DT, science, history and geography through this topic.

In R.E will be shifting our focus from Christianity to Judaism. Over the course of the half term we will be exploring the important celebration of 'Shabbat'.

In PSHEC we are exploring charities and fundraising. We will be choosing a charity that we are passionate about and looking at different ways that we can spread awareness for our chosen charity.

In Music we will carry on following our Charanga scheme of work and will focus on 'What songs can we sing to help us through the day?'

In P.E will be continuing to use the Real P.E scheme. This half term we will also have our whole school arts week where we will be spending a week focusing on the picture 'The Umbrellas' by Renoir.