



YEAR 1

Spring Term

February-March 2024

Reminders

PE

Year 1 must come to school in their P.E kit on a **TUESDAY**. This must be school P.E kit.

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.

LIBRARY

We aim for children to change their library books on a **Friday** afternoon.

CLASS TEACHERS:

Whinchats

Miss Bean

Stonechats

Mrs Craddock (Mon-Weds)

Mrs Leatherbarrow (Weds-Fri)

Year 1 News

We had a lovely start to 2024 in Year 1!

The children very much enjoyed their topic on 'Toys' and throughout the unit created some fantastic art work including their beautiful clay tea cups. They also created some superb comic strips based on the text 'Traction Man' which we studied in depth. We really saw the children's imaginations flourish in this writing. In maths we really focused on having a solid understanding of numbers to 20 and adding and subtracting within these amounts. All of year group engaged in our 'On Safari' science unit where we deepened the children's knowledge of common animals, identifying, grouping and sorting them by different criteria. As always, your children impress us with their enthusiasm and enjoyment of learning.

We look forward to a great new half term filled with longer days and brighter evenings as we launch into Spring time.

As always, contact us through the office if you have any questions or concerns.

Miss Bean, Mrs Craddock and Mrs Leatherbarrow





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Week	Numeracy	Literacy
Week One	Addition and Subtraction	Mrs Armitage on Wheels
Week Two	Place Value to 50	Mrs Armitage on Wheels
Week Three	Place Value to 50	Mrs Armitage on Wheels
Week Four	Place Value to 50	Non Fiction—Amelia Earhart
Week Five	Length and Height	Non Fiction—Amelia Earhart
Week Six	Mass and Volume	Poetry—Spring time

Curriculum

Our topic this half term is 'Transport' where we will be exploring transport through the ages and how different people travel. We will also complete some DT, making our own cars.

In R.E will be exploring the Christian festival of Easter and looking at how this event is celebrated.

In PSHEC we will continue to focus on health and wellbeing.

In Music we will carry on following our Sing Up scheme of work and will focus on 'How does music make the world a better place?'

In P.E will be continuing to use the Real P.E scheme.

In Science, we will be learning about plants. We will be identifying parts of a plant and tree, the environments in which they grow and looking at plants we get food from.