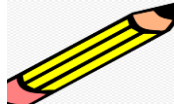


Year 1...Your teachers are: Ms Chatterley, Mrs Wickson, Mrs Dauncey, Mrs Godbar and Mrs Howard

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Our Assistant Head Teacher for Year 1 is... Mrs Middleton



Writing: We have been looking at a range of poems and their features. We are learning that poems have repeated words and rhyming words. We will be thinking of adjectives to describe fireworks and will use these when writing our own poetry linked to our Science topic 'Senses'.

Phonics: The children have been learning to segment and blend to read simple words and sentences. We have been sorting words into real and pseudo words in practise for our Year 1 Phonics screening test later in the year.



Homework: On Wednesday children will get a piece of phonics homework each week. Please help your child with their homework and help them to remember to bring it back on time.

Reading: Your child will be read with twice a week. They will have their Guided Reading book changed once a week. They will need to have their book bags in school **every day** so that a new book can be sent home. Children will have the opportunity to choose a library book to share with you at home. Please try and read this with your child and share these books together.



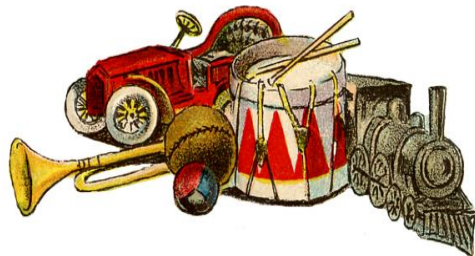
Numeracy:

We will be learning:

- To partition a number in different ways using the part/whole model
- To learn number bonds to 10 and then 20
- To use number bond knowledge to add and subtract x2 single digit numbers
- To write a number sentence

Our Teaching Assistants in Year 1 are: Mrs Barratt, Miss Altaf, Mrs Rooney, Miss Ferdus

Computing: Children will learn to use technology purposefully to create, organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content. They will learn what an 'algorithm' is and will practise giving and following step by step instructions to move the 'Bee bots' around.



We have PE sessions every **Monday** and **Wednesday**. Please make sure that your child has their PE kit in school on these days. **Children need to bring: pumps/trainers, black joggers or leggings (for the colder weather), a black or white t-shirt and a jumper or sweatshirt**

Please make sure that all items of clothing are clearly labelled.

This term in Gymnastics the children will be learning how to jump and roll in a range of ways, thinking about taking off and landing in safety. We will be learning about how exercise has an effect of our bodies. We will continue to learn ball skills and will use these in attack, defend and shoot activities.

Learning for Life:

Our theme this term is 'Changes'. In History, we will be exploring how we children's toys have changed over the years. We will be talking about life events that they have experienced. The children will learn to ask questions that help them learn about events that have happened in the past. The children will also think about how their lives may change in the future.

RE:

The dispositions we will be looking at this term are:

- Cultivating inclusion, identity and belonging.
- Being modest and listening to others.

