



Y1 Curriculum News Summer 1



English

This half term we will start by writing clear instructions. We will continue looking at how we write to inform and we will be able to use these skills to write our own instructions. We will practise spelling our common exception words and correctly write these words in a sentence. We will continue using capital letters, full stops and finger spaces in our writing. We will continue our focus on our cursive handwriting, making sure our letters start and sit on the line.

Maths

Our focus this half term is on Multiplication and Division. We will be looking at:

- Count in 2s, 5s and 10s.
- Recognise equal groups.
- Add equal groups.
- Make arrays
- Make doubles
- Make equal groups-grouping
- Make equal groups-sharing

Topic

Our topic this half term is Plants. In Science, we will identify and name a range of wild and garden plants, including deciduous and evergreen trees. We will find out and describe how plants need water, light and a suitable temperature to grow. We will observe and describe how seeds and bulbs grow into plants.

PE

Indoor PE- Dance

We will perform various shapes move on and off apparatus with control.

Outdoor PE- Athletics

We will learn different running, throwing and jumping techniques and competitive games.

Art/DT

Our focus for art is to build on our knowledge of primary colours and begin to mix a range of secondary colours.

In DT, we will select appropriate tools and equipment for a purpose. We will explain what is being made and why.

Reminders

- All children should read for 10 minutes each night and sign their planner every day.
- Please ensure your child's familiar read and library book is in their bag every day.
- Homework is given out on a Wednesday and is handed in on the following Monday.
- PE is on a Tuesday and Thursday. Please ensure your child comes to school in the morning in their PE kit.
- Please ensure your child brings their coat and bag to school every day.