

Year 1 Newsletter Summer 2 2022-2023



Welcome back to our final term of Year 1! We would like to first like to thank you once again for your continued support that you have offered both us and your children.

This newsletter will provide you with information on the half term ahead. If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to ask.

<u>History</u>

In History, our topic is 'all around the world' where we are going to focus on the history of flight and how this has changed our local area and community and all the great things flight has brought to us. We will find out more about some significant people in flight including the Wright Brothers and Amelia Earhart. We will also combine some Geography into our topic and learn about the different Oceans and learn about map skills to help us to locate different countries in the world.

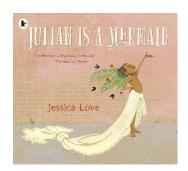
Maths

This term, we will cover many topics in maths! We will start with shape then move onto fractions, money, time, mass and volume. There are lots of activities that you can do at home to help your child with their learning in these areas e.g. cooking/baking together (weigh the ingredients), tell the time together (see how long it takes to get ready in the morning, or get to and from school) and count the change from the shop (see how quickly the different coins can be recognised).

English

This term we will be reading Emma Jane's Aeroplane and Julian is a mermaid.





Tricky words

We have been regularly testing your children on their tricky words. Thank you so much for all your support with these words as we have noticed most of our children are now able to both read and spell them! As we have said before, this will give them a fantastic start to Year 2 and will continue to be of benefit to them as they move forward so if there are any words that your child is still not able to spell please do keep practicing them.

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their	Mr	Mrs	once
also	oh	old	these
could	should		would
don't	people		friend

said	children	says	one
when	today	love	ask
want	school	were	our

laugh	Ι'n	very	where
we're	two	call	through
again	because		mouse
water	different		though

Reading

Every child should have a home reading book and a reading diary. Both of these should be brought into school every day. We try to read every day with a group of children and if your child forgets their book it may mean that they miss out on reading with an adult in school.

Your child's reading diary should be signed every time your child is reading at home, this could be a book, magazine, a newspaper of their choice or their reader from school. We are going to be giving out rewards for every five times they read. This can only be monitored if the reading diary is being signed and is coming to school every day.

We cannot stress enough the importance of having your child read to you daily. We are asking for a minimum of 10 minutes each day. It is noticeable when children are reading regularly at home and they are proud to share this with the class. When your child is confident with their home reader, and answering questions about the book, please write a little comment to explain what kind of things you have spoken about at home.



Science

This term we will continue the study of weather and seasonal change and will continue to track weather patterns for each month. We will also carry out some tests and investigations to do with plants.





P.E

P.E will continue to be on a **Monday** this term for 1AJ and 1HE. Please ensure your child brings their P.E kit and trainers on this day.

Thank you all for your continued support in your child's learning journey. It has been a pleasure teaching your child this year, and we look forward to telling you all about their learning journeys in their reports very soon, so keep your eyes peeled for those!

The Year 1 Team