

What's happening during Summer 2 in Year 1?

Literacy

This half term, our key text in Literacy will be 'Dogger' by Shirley Hughes. The children will have the chance to develop their writing skills and generate vocabulary to write their own 'losing tale' inspired by the character Dave losing his beloved toy, Dogger.

Alongside text level work, children will continue to develop their spelling and grammatical skills. This term we will focus on conjunctions, suffixes and keep focussing on letter formation, handwriting, capital letters, finger spaces and punctuation.

Grammar, punctuation, spelling and phonics

We will continue our learning of phonics, through Read Write Inc.

In the second week of the half term, children will take their Phonics Screening Check.

Children will revise singular and plural nouns and adding the suffixes -s or -es. Children will learn how to use question marks to punctuate.

PSHE

Living in the Wider
World -
Money Matters

The Wider Curriculum

Art - Sculpture

During art we will be looking at the work of Degas, Gormley, Hepworth, Moore and Giacometti. We will then create our own 3D sculpture using various media and materials.

History - Parliament and Prime Ministers

We will continue our journey through British history focusing on how parliament and prime ministers came into power. We will be looking at Simon De Montfort, Robert Walpole, our current prime minister and elections. We will also hold our own class election.

Science - Animals, Including Humans 2

During science, we will be learning about the five classifications of animals, we will compare the differences between mammals and birds, look at the food animals eat and lastly look at the characteristics of wild animals versus pets.

Forest School

- Arrive in Forest School clothes with uniform in a bag to change into.
- **WEDNESDAY morning**

P.E.

- Arrive in PE kit.
- Earrings to be removed.
- **MONDAY afternoon** with Mrs Knott

Reading bags

- Must be in school **every day**.
- Reading records need to be **signed** when listening to your child read.

Maths

Multiplication and division

Count in multiples of twos, fives and tens. Solve one step problems involving multiplication and division, by calculating the answer using concrete objects, pictorial representations and arrays with the support of the teacher.

Measurement: Money

Recognise and know the value of different denominations of coins and notes.

Measurement: Time

Sequence events in chronological order using language [for example, before and after, next, first, today, yesterday, tomorrow, morning, afternoon and evening.

Recognise and use language relating to dates, including days of the week, weeks, months and years.

Tell the time to the hour and half past the hour and draw the hands on a clock face to show these times.

Compare, describe and solve practical problems for time [for example, quicker, slower, earlier, later]

Measure and begin to record time (hours, minutes, seconds)

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Sikhi

Why do Sikhs admire
their Gurus?