

Year 1/2 Newsletter



SUMMER 2



The Year 1/2 Teaching Team

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English

For the last half term we will be launching our seaside topic by using the story of 'Billy's Bucket'. We will be using the comedy and imaginative descriptions to develop our own creative writing skills. We will also be looking at holiday brochures. Investigating what the key elements of a holiday brochure include and creating our own.

Maths

In maths this half term, year one will be beginning by focusing on money. Thinking about the coins and using their reasoning skills to solve problems about money. Year 2 will be finishing their shape topic and moving onto exploring and developing their reasoning and problem solving skills based around measurement and the four operations.

Reading

Please encourage your child to read at least three times a week at home, for at least 15 minutes each time, filling in the date, book title, and page number in your child's new reading journal. Please support your child's understanding of the text by completing the 'learning tools' page once a week.



Topic - 'Seaside'

Key stage one will be studying the geographical features of the seaside. We will focus on the key human and physical features of its surrounding environment and compare it to our own surrounding environment. We will be thinking about why the seaside is a popular holiday destination and comparing the seaside in the UK to those in other countries.

Science/ D.T /ICT/Geography

Science: Exploring Plants. We will be focusing on our working scientifically skills to investigate and explore what different plants need to survive and what the life cycle of a plant looks like.

DT.: We will be looking at where our food comes from and the importance of a healthy and varied balanced diet.

ICT: Internet Safety

Using technology safely and respectfully, keeping personal information private and knowing where to go for help.

Geography: We will be using simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of the school, its grounds and comparing it to the seaside.

P.E

Year 1 and 2 will be looking at their athletic skills in preparation for sports day. Also this term the children will be doing team games. Please send your child with both indoor and outdoor kit as we will be going outside for some lessons.

R.E/PSHCE

RE -Theme: Jesus is a friend

Key question: Was it always easy for Jesus to show friendship?

PSHCE: Year 1— Mental Health and emotional well being. Year 2—Sex and relationship education.

Important Dates...

- ◆ Monday 8th July—Trip to Bridlington
- ◆ Thursday 13th June—Parent Event—Healthy Fair @ 2pm
- ◆ Monday 10th June—Phonics week—Year 1
- ◆ Tuesday 4th June—Year 2 Skipping competition
- ◆ Tuesday 23rd July—Sports Day



Attendance

Thank you for sending your children to school every day and arriving before 8:45 so that we are all ready to begin the days learning. As you know, 'Every Day Counts'



If you have any questions, concerns or want to discuss any aspect of your child's learning, please come and speak to a member of the Year 1/2 teaching team after school, any day!

