



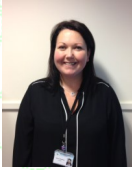
Year 1/2 Newsletter

KS1 - Spring 2 - 2026



KS1 Teaching Team

Class One



Mrs Koopman
Key Phase Leader



Mrs Lee

Class Two



Miss Devine



Mrs Harrison

Class Three



Miss Mehboob



Mrs Williams

English

This term we will be focusing on a variety of genres including Meerkat Mails and some traditional tales from Africa.

We will be reading a class book to promote a love of reading.

The focus on our comprehension skills and understanding of what we are reading is our main focus.

Reading

Please encourage your child to read at least three times a week at home, for at least 15 minutes each time. We will be sending reading records home again for you to comment on your child's reading.

Reading books can be changed daily.



Maths

In Maths this term we are focusing on addition and subtraction to 100 alongside looking at multiplication and division, including counting fluently in 2s, 3s, 5s and 10s.

We continue to encourage the children to explain and reason how they got their answers and work on problem solving tasks to deepen their

Music

Songs with actions.

Percussion Instruments and stick notation.

RE:

Year 1 - Special Events
Year 2 - New life and Easter

Art:

African patterns and print making.

ICT:

Using algorithms to control and predict the movement of beebots.

P.E

PE kit should be worn to school on the day of PE. Please check the class pages for PE days. Please name ALL items.



Geography.

Comparing the differences and similarities between Kenya and the UK alongside comparing Nairobi in Kenya, with Leeds in England.

Science

Animals including humans

Forest Schools

Forest Schools will continue every Tuesday with lots of new and exciting opportunities. We need your child come to school in warm, waterproof clothing, with a pair of wellies and some indoor shoes to change into.

Attendance

Thank you for sending your children to school every day and **arriving at their designated time** 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 contact the office to arrange a time to speak to a member of the Year 1/2 teaching after school. Each Friday we will be sharing a weekly newsletter on the webpage.

