

Year 1 Curriculum Letter—Autumn 1

Welcome to Year 1! We are looking forward to enjoying the first half term with you all. We have lots of fun things planned for the year ahead!

Your Year 1 team: Miss Colmer, Miss Atkinson, Mrs Long and Mrs Matthews.

Weekly timetable

Core = Reading, Maths and English

Monday

Core +

DT/R.E.

Tuesday

Core +

Indoor P.E./PSHE

Wednesday

Core +

Music/Drama/Outdoor learning

Thursday

Core +

Outdoor P.E./ History

Friday

Core +

Science

Useful Yr1 Web links

Reading:

[ops.collinsopenpage.com/sso](https://www.oxfordjournals.com/ops.collinsopenpage.com/sso)

Maths:

[whiterosemaths.com](https://www.whiterosemaths.com)

[ttrockstars.com](https://www.ttrockstars.com)

All subjects:

[thenational.academy](https://www.thenational.academy)

Google Classroom—Please sign up

Key dates

Thursday 1st September:

INSET day

Friday 2nd September:

First day in Year 1!

Thursday 15th September:

History workshop

Outdoor education

Please send your child to school in appropriate clothing for learning outdoors (whatever the weather!) on the following days:

1C

Wednesday 7th Sept

Wednesday 14th Sept

Wednesday 21st Sept

1ML

Wednesday 12th Oct

Wednesday 19th Oct

1A

Wednesday 28th Sept

Wednesday 5th Oct

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English

- The children will begin by studying the fictional text 'Stanley's Stick'. The children will be rewriting the story in their own words.
- Then the children will study the story 'Cave Baby.' The children will learn continue to develop their story writing skills.

Reading

- The children will be practising the following skills:
- Accuracy
 - Fluency
- Using a variety of both fiction and non-fiction texts.

PSHE

The children will learn about :

- What being a good friend means
- What respect and empathy means
- How to respect and care for the classroom

Maths

The children will learn place value:

- Counting and writing numbers to 50
- Comparing numbers
- Ordering numbers

RE

Theme: Divali and Advent

Concept: Candle light

History

The children learn about:

- How children's toys have changed through time.

DT

The children will learn about::

- How to make sliders and levers
- How to create a moving picture
- How to create a pop up book

Science

The children will learn about :

- Observing the changes in seasons
- Understanding the change in weather
- How the length of the day changes

Music

The children will learn about:

- Listening carefully to the rhythm of the music
- Repeating /playing rhythms
- Singing and learning songs

Phonics

The children will be:

- Recapping the phase 3 phonic sounds
- Learning the phase 5 phonic sounds
- Learning Year 1 common exception words

PE

Using 'Real PE' the children will be working on skills:

- Co-ordination
- Balance
- Gymnastics