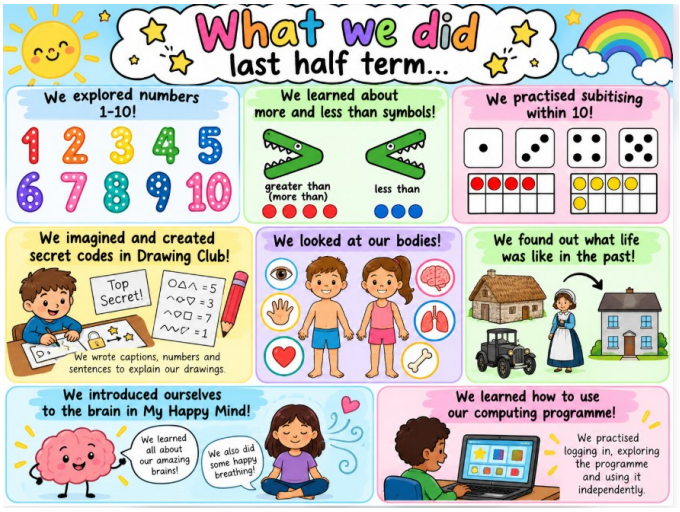
Year 1 - Class Newsletter

Autumn 2

Dear Parents and Carers,
A warm welcome back to year 1, we hope you had a lovely half-term. We are off to a fantastic start to the second-half term and have lots of exciting learning opportunities and experiences still to come.





Homework

Our key focus as a school this year will be on *reading* and making sure all our pupils become competent and confident readers. Pupils are expected to read a minimum of 5 times a week with daily reading (where possible) strongly encouraged. All pupils will have a planner this year, which parents should date, sign and write the pages their child has read at home.

Every Friday your child will bring home their weekly homework, which needs to be completed and brought back to school by Thursday. This will include activities linked to weekly spellings and a page to complete in their maths work books.

Learning Challenge

During our second half term, Year 1 will be exploring our local area. We will look at maps of the UK to deepen our understanding of where we live and will look at how to locate Middleton on a map. Children will be discussing how they can travel around Middleton and how they get to school. If you would like to why not take a local area walk yourself to help with your child's understanding of their surroundings?



Thank you in advance for all your support and we look forward to getting to know you more this year.

Kind regards, Miss Madden (Sharks) and Miss Jones (Dolphin).