



Year 1 Newsletter

Summer 2nd half term

Welcome

Hello and welcome back, I hope you had an enjoyable holiday and a lovely rest with your families. I cannot believe we are coming towards the end of Year 1 with the final half term. Mrs Oldham will continue to cover Thursday which is my non-working day. Miss Wood will continue to support the class as our Teaching Assistant along with Miss Davis. We will have a specialist sports coach each Wednesday and specialist music teacher from Tameside Music Service.

Dates

08.06.26—Back to school

15.6.26— Class photos

17.6.26 KS1 Sports Day

18.6.26 Languages day

19.6.26 Class art gallery

26.6.26 Summer Fair

Every Wednesday—spelling test

Every Friday—visit the school library

PE

PE is on a **Monday and Wednesday**. Children need to come to school in their PE kit. Our Kit consists of black shorts/bottoms, white t-shirt, PE hoodie and black trainers. Also, please remember no earrings on PE days.



Homework

Maths

Children will receive paper based Maths homework each week on a Monday and it is to be completed by the following Monday.

Children will have one week to complete it. Dojo points will be added for those children who complete this homework on time. A lunch time club will be available for children who wish to complete it there. Children are encouraged to use numbots to practice maths skills. Please ask if you need a login.

Reading

Children need to read their book **at least 3** times (Different days) to develop fluency before they are returned. Log reading in their records. We will change books when they are returned. There is no set day.



Curriculum

Our author of the half term is Anthony Browne.

Our English text will be 'The Queen's Hat' by Steve Anthony.

In Maths we will be working within numbers to 100 and developing our knowledge of addition and subtraction and counting in steps. We will begin fractions and multiplying and sharing.

In history we will be learning about Monarchs and discovering what they do.

In Science we will be learning about animals.

In RE we will be learning all about how we can care for our world and why this matters.

In Art we will be making 3d bird sculptures.

In PSHE we will learn about health and well-being.

In Music we will play hand held percussion and sing songs.

In PE we will be developing skills in orienteering and athletics in preparation for sports day in the next half term.

Communication

Please make sure that you are signed up to Class Dojo for class and whole school messages!

You can see what we are up to on our school Instagram page

