Welcome Parents and Carers!



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Welcome to Year 1!

We are so pleased and excited to be starting a new school year together. We assure you that your child's safety and happiness is our highest priority.

Life in Year 1

In Year 1, children will be transitioning from the play-based learning style of Reception to a slightly more formal learning style of Year 1.

However, we will still be incorporating lots of daily playbased learning opportunities.

Arrival

- The school gates will open at **8:45am**. We always plan morning activities for the 15min window. If your child is in at 8:45am everyday that is an extra 1hr 15mins of learning a week
- Children must be in their classroom for the register by 9am.
- Attendance and punctuality is very important. School target is 95%.

Home time

- Children are to be picked up from their classroom at 3:15pm.
- Please line up along the window of the classroom to avoid congestion.

<u>Uniform</u>

- Please ensure your child has the correct uniform.
- Summer uniform can be worn until October half term.

- This includes the correct school book bag with the school logo.
 - Please clearly label all belongings including water bottles clearly.

<u>P.E.</u>

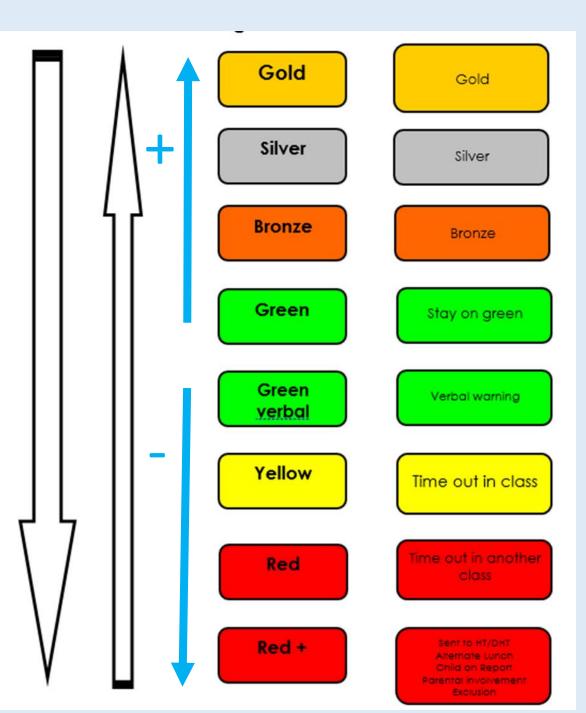
- Children must bring in their PE kit <u>every Monday</u> and they will take them home <u>every Friday</u>. This allows them to be washed over the weekend.
- Please ensure their PE kit and all items inside are labelled clearly.
- Winter weather appropriate clothing.
- No earrings!



Behaviour Policy

Children in Year 1 follow the whole school behaviour plan. It is slightly different to what they would have been used to in Reception.

For positive and negative behaviour, children move up and down a colour coded behaviour chart.



<u>Currículum Map</u>

Subject	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
English All literary genres are taught using a wide range of quality texts.	The Fox and the Star Star Image: Control of the star Writing: Labels and Captions Sentences Descriptions Narrative Non-Chronological report	Leaf Writing: • Predictions • Non- chronological report • Letter Writing	The Last Wolf The Last Wolf Uniting: Predictions Letter writing Writing in Role Free Verse Poetry	The Lonely Beast THE LONELY BEAST DESCRIPTION Writing: Writing: Newspaper Article Diary entry Character Description Persuasive writing	Lila and the Secret of Rain	One Day on Our Blue Planet	
Phonics	Phase 3 (Review) Phase 5						
Grammar	 Capital Letters for the start of sentences Full stops Finger spaces 	 Capital letter for the pronoun I Verbs Nouns/ Pronouns 	 Capital Letters for Names Joining sentences using and Prefixes: un 	 Capital Letters for the Days of the Week Suffixes: -ing and -ed. 	 Question marks Exclamation Marks Suffixes: -s, - es, -er and -est 	 Demarcating sentences using capital letters, full stops, exclamation and question marks 	

Full *curriculum* map is on our website

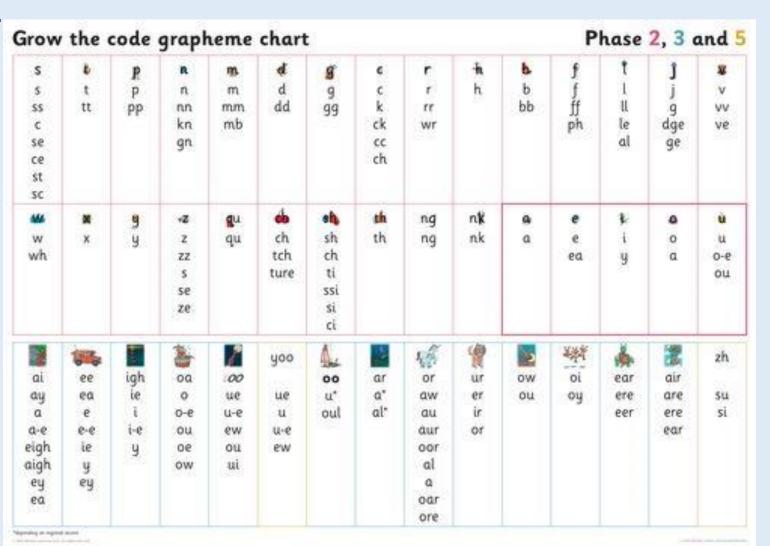
Maths	 Number and Place Value up to 20. Geometry: Properties of Shape Addition and Subtraction 	 Sequencing Sentences Number and Place Value up to 100. Addition and Subtraction: Facts of 7-11 Geometry: Properties of Shape 	 Addition and Subtraction: Facts of 11-16 Measurement: Length 	 Addition and Subtraction: Facts of 17-20 Fractions Geometry: Position and Direction 	 Addition and Subtraction Measurement: Time 	 Multiplication and Division Measurement: Money Measurement: Mass and Capacity
Religion	Families (4 Weeks) Big Question: Why do we have a family and who is my family? Belonging (4 Weeks) Big Question: What does it mean to belong?	Judaism (2 Weeks) Waiting (4 Weeks) Big Question: Is waiting always difficult?	Special People (4 Weeks) Big Question: What makes a person special? Meals (4 Weeks) Big Question: What makes some meals special?	Change (4 weeks) Big Question: How and why do things change?	Holidays and Holydays (4 Weeks) Big Question: Do we need holidays and holydays? Being Sorry (4 Weeks) Big Question: Why should we be sorry?	Sikhism (1 week) Neighbours (4 Weeks) Big Question: Who is my neighbour?
Science	Changing Seasons	Identifying Materials	Comparing Materials	Animals (Parts of Animals)	Animals (Types of Animals)	Plants
Music	Hey <u>You</u>	Ho <u>Ho</u> <u>Ho</u>	Rhythm in the Way We Walk	Round and Round	African Beats	Imagination
PE	Health and Wellbeing Running 1	Heroes Hands 1	Feet 1	The Zoo Hands 2	Jumping 1	Games For Understanding

			Wide, Narrow, Curled		Rackets Bats and Balls	Team Building
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
Computing	E-Safety	Computer Skills	Painting	Word Processing Skills	Programming	
History/Geography	Geography: Our Local Area - Dagenham	History: Changes within Living Memory	Geography: Bright Lights, Big City - London	History: The Great Fire of London	Geography: Kenya	History: Fly me to the Moon!
Art and DT	Art: Drawing and Painting	DT: Sliders and Levers	Art: 3D and Printing	DT: Food	Art: Collage and Textiles	DT: Structures
Potential Educational Visits	Visit in the local area		Pizza Express		Hainault Forest	

• We also provide a termly newsletter, which will include key information on all the topics children will be covering that term.

Phonics

- National Assessment in the summer term 10th June 2024
- Little Wandle books
- Tricky Words
- High Frequency Words
- There are lots of helpful information in the middle of your child's reading record.



Homework

- Homework will be given out on Fridays and is to be returned by the following Tuesday. This gives us time to mark before the next homework task is set.
- Weekly homework includes; Spellings, Maths, English, and of course daily reading!
- This may change slightly from week to week, depending on the learning that has taken place.
- Phonics Weekly Overview Sheet

Reading

- Parents or older siblings (16+) are able to sign your child's Reading Record
- Reading Records need to be signed at least 3 times a week, ideally every night.
- Books will be changed on Mondays <u>if you have written in their</u> <u>Reading Records.</u>
- Children will also receive a library book once a week and it will be changed regularly.

Online maths resources





https://www.2simple.com/pur ple-mash/purple-mashparents/



- Due to allergies of a vast amount of pupils, please do not bring in any whole or homemade cakes for your child to share.
- Instead, they can share one, individually wrapped tre



What to do if you have a concern

• If you have a concern and would like to speak to your child's teacher please email them on the emails below...

yearone@st-peter.bardaglea.org.uk

• We are also more than happy to chat at the end of the day once the children have all left.