



# Year 1 Newsletter

Autumn 2

November 2020

## Welcome back to Year 1!

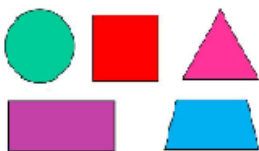
We hope you have had a lovely half term break. We are looking forward to the half term ahead. Year 1 would like to win the attendance award this year so please try your very best to come to school every day.

We are looking forward to continuing our learning in year 1.

In English we will be starting our Talk for Writing units of work. We will be starting with Traditional Tales. We will be focusing on using capital letters, finger spaces and full stops correctly. If you have any Traditional tales at home, please read them with your children as this will support their learning in school.



In maths we will be continuing to develop different ways to add and subtract numbers and will then be moving onto shapes. Please encourage your children to have a look around your homes and find different 2D and 3D shapes.



Don't forget the doors will now open at 8.35am and will close at 8.45am promptly. Please make sure you arrive on time as children will miss their basic skills lessons if late.

We have now moved to streamed groups for our phonics sessions. Please ensure you are reading with your child at home as this will reinforce their phonics learning. Books and reading sheets have been matched to your child's current phonics learning.

In science the children will be exploring seasonal changes and finding out what happens to plants in winter.

Our Geography topic will involve the children finding out about hot and cold places and comparing the weather.

## Things to remember

Please come and see a member of the team if you have any questions or concerns.

Children to come to school in their PE Kit on PE days. In year 1 our PE is on **Tuesday** and **Friday**.

PE kit: - burgundy shorts, white t shirt and black pumps. Dark joggers may be worn when it is cold.

### Reading books -

Remember our target is 3 reads a week! Please bring book bags in each **Friday** so new books can be sent home on a Monday.

**Milk**—If your child has milk the cost of this is 10p a day which can be paid daily or weekly.



## Homework

Given out: Monday

Due in: Friday