



Year 1 Newsletter

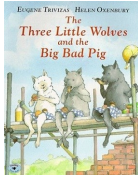
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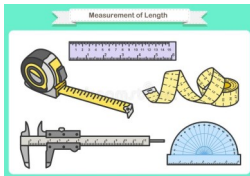
Welcome back to Year 1!

Welcome back to school! We hope you enjoyed your half term break and are ready for another exciting half term ahead.

In English we will be reading the story of The Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig. Our focus will be on writing our own stories. We will be writing sentences independently, using our phonics to sound out new words and making sure we remember capital letters and full stops.



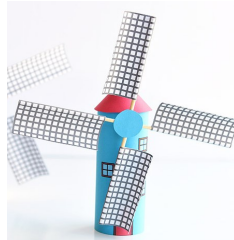
In maths we will be working on adding and subtraction within 50. We will then move on to measuring weight and length.



In science we will continue our work on materials and their properties. We will be carrying out an experiment to find the best material to fix a broken umbrella.



In DT we will be starting our unit on structures. We will be designing, making and evaluating our own windmills.



In Geography we will continue to find about our local area and identifying features of towns.

Things to remember

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

Year 1 PE days are as follows:

1KT: **Wednesday** and **Thursday**.

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Please ensure kits are in school ALL WEEK in case of timetable changes.

PE kit: - burgundy shorts, white t shirt and black pumps.

Reading books -

Remember our target is 3 reads a week! Books should be returned **every day** and we will send home new books each **Friday**. Dojo points will be awarded to those who read 3 times a week and do their homework.

Important information

Weekly homework, most weeks will consist of:

1. Reading book—minimum of 3 times a week
2. Phonics— an activity relating to in class learning
3. Maths— an activity relating to in class learning

Homework

Given out: Friday

Due in: Thursday