

Year 1 Newsletter Summer 2 2019

Welcome back, we hope you all enjoyed your Spring holiday. This will be our final term before the children move on to their next class.

Super writers

This half term we will be learning about instructions and writing our own. We will then move on to reading and discuss an extended story which is a story with chapters. We will end this half term by focusing on spelling, punctuation and grammar activities to ensure we are ready for year 2.

Mathematical Genius

We will be spending a week on position and direction before moving on to money. Looking at the value of money and solving simple money problems. Then we will then learn how to tell the time. We will also continue working with numbers up to 100, adding and subtracting, number sequence and place value.

HISTORIANS

We will be learning all about Florence Nightingale, why she was such an inspirational lady, why she helped so many people and how she improved the conditions in hospitals.



Becoming an artist

This half term we will be learning about self-portraits. We will use different media to create images of ourselves.

Scientific Masters!

We will be completing our topic about plants. We will focus on the types of plants and trees in our local environment and school grounds. We will be learning about the creatures in the local environment and their habitats.

RE

In RE this half term we will be focusing on caring for each other and asking the question 'Why does the matter?' We will be looking at how different religions look after each other and show they care for others including strangers.

Weekly Routine

PE- PE will be on Tuesday's with the sports coach for both classes. Please ensure your child has a full PE Kit, labelled and in a named bag.

Homework- English and Maths are given on a THURSDAY and are to be returned on MONDAY.

Spellings- Spellings are given on FRIDAY and are to be learned for the following THURSDAY.

Reading- Reading books are changed once a week. Please could children read their books at least **3 times**. This will help with fluency and understanding.



PSHE

This half term will be working cooperatively on a number of tasks and talking about different relationships and how we can respect each other.

Thank you for your support this year. We hope everyone enjoys their last few weeks in Year 1.

Miss Mistry and Miss Davies.