

Week beginning

19/09/22

# Year 1 Newsletter



## STAR moments

### GOLDEN LUNCH

Every week a child from each class will be chosen to have lunch with the Headteacher for their outstanding work.

1R: Amara  
1T: Anamaria  
1B: Inyla -Rae

This term we will be learning about respect and how it is reflected in our life. Please encourage your child to talk about how they have shown respect at school and at home.



This week Happy Leaves go to :

1R: Roza  
1T: Omari  
1B: Asma



Well done children, keep up the hard work!

## Our Learning

It was nice to see so many parents turning up to the Year 1 PIM meeting last week. On Friday last week, Year 1 children had a very special treat where they got to experience a planetarium and learn all about outer space.

This week:

English:

As a writer, we will be continuing our phonics journey using our Read Write Inc books. Children will be learning new sounds, reading and writing everyday.

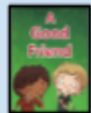


Maths:

As a mathematicians, we will be writing numbers to 10 in numbers and words and counting back to zero.

RSHE:

In RSHE this term we will be looking at positive relationships. This week we will be discussing and understanding 'How can I make others belong and be a good friend?'



RE:

As theologians, we will be looking at special places and objects you might find in people's homes, for example a Qur'an, a cross or a mezuzah. Talk to your child about any special places or objects you have at home. Why are they special? How are they used?

Art:

As an artist, we will be exploring the medium of paint. We will be looking at sunflowers and creating a still life painting in the style of Vincent Van Gogh.



Science:

As scientists, we will be exploring the physical properties of materials. At home, explore different objects. What are they made of? Can you describe them? E.g. This glass is transparent. This wood is hard.



P.E and Music is scheduled for Monday afternoon. So, remember to come dressed in your correct PE kit. If you are unsure, check the uniform policy on Star's newly designed website or ask your teacher.

## Don't forget...

- **Read everyday for 10 minutes.** We will be giving out three reading books; an Oxford book, a decodable RWI book and a read for pleasure book. We expect all children to have read everyday with a comment written in their record books.
- **Fit Friday will be carrying on as usual on Friday,** again children must come to school wearing Fit Friday t-shirts and trainers.
- **Bug Club and Mathletics** please try to make time for 5 or 10 minutes each days on these apps. On a Friday each class will announce their Bug Club and Mathletics champions. Please encourage your child to read as it builds their confidence and vocabulary.

## Over to you...Home learning

The teachers will continuously be providing online opportunities for reading, phonics and maths. We are checking who is logging on every week!

Pupils must:

- Log on and use **BUG CLUB** daily  
(please also read and share any extra books you have at home)
- Log on and use **MATHLETICS** daily
- Play and complete any additional material/videos sent you via the google classroom. **Phonics session videos** will be sent regularly.
- Extra RWI phonics -  
<https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/reading-schemes-oxford-levels/read-write-inc-phonics-guide/>

Mathletics



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