

Week beginning

17/10/22

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: Hristo
1T: Mariyah
1B: Muntaha

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: Cesar
1T: Ishmeet
1B: Emma



Well done children, keep up the hard work!

Our Learning

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.

We have an exciting speech competition coming up linked to our shared reading book Rosa Parks and the work we have been doing in history. This week the children will get to record their class speech using green screen technology.

Maths:

As mathematicians, we'll be looking at positional and directional language. At home, practise using this vocabulary at home: front, middle, top, between, next to, second from the left etc.

Computing:

This week the children will be asked to generate rules which will help them to use technology more responsibly. We will also continue to practise logging in to the chromebooks using our usernames and passwords.

RE:

As theologians, we will show and compare special things that happen in different families. Talk to your child about different celebrations you may have at home or anything you do together. Do you wear special clothing or eat special food? Do you go on holiday together or watch a movie? We will be asking children to send in a photo or something special you do in your family.

Science:

As scientists, we will be going back to our thinking frames and adding in all the information we now know about materials.

History:

As historians, we will be looking at how things have changed for people across the world. We will be comparing what life is like now compared to back then.



PE 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...

Make sure your child come to school every day!

- **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 highly encourage all children to read at home everyday with a comment written in their reading diaries.
- All children must come to school wearing Fit Friday t-shirts and trainers each Friday.
- **Bug Club and Mathletics** please ensure your child accesses these apps for 5 or 10 minutes each day. On a Friday, each class will announce their Bug Club and Mathletics champions.

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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