

Week beginning

7/11/22

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: Iyaad
1T: Magnus
1B: Asma

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: Nathan
1T: Azalea
1B: Yaqub



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 and we will practice reading and writing everyday. We will be reading a book in class called 'Wee and the Wright Brothers', which is about some of the first airplanes.

Maths:

As mathematicians, we'll be looking at numbers to 20. At home practice counting to twenty. You can use cubes or pasta or anything that can be counted to get to 20!

Computing:

This week the children will be looking at how to behave sensibly online, in a way that does not upset others. We will learn how negative comments can upset others.

RE:

As theologians, we will be looking at what makes a good gift. We will discuss the different gifts we give to different people and we will compare this to the Nativity story where gifts were brought to baby Jesus.

Science:

As scientists, we will be investigating further the properties of different materials by looking at different objects and grouping them according to their properties, e.g. flexible, rigid, hard, soft.

History:

As historians, we will be creating a timeline of planes to learn when different types of planes came into existence e.g. The first ever plane was made in 1903 and then the Spitfire in 1936.

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.

Every Friday Morning from 7.50 to 8am all year 1 parents are invited to come and read with their child in the classrooms to help nurture a love for reading!

Don't forget...

Make sure your child comes 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.
- **Parent maths workshop is on the 11th November!**

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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