

Week beginning

19/06/2023

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: Nathan
1T: Sarah
1B: Angela

This term we will be thinking about **support and celebrating trust.**

Please encourage your child to be more independent and resilient at home!

This week Happy Leaves go to 

1R: Jawana
1T: Eesha
1B: Nicole



Well done children, keep up the hard work!

Our Learning

Our school theme this term:
Healthy Hearts



This half term we will be exploring Global Treasures, focusing on History and Design Technology.

English: We will be continuing to read and explore stories from RWI. Well done for all your hard work last week on the Phonics Screener!

Maths: As Mathematicians, we will begin to explore the concept of Mass. We will be using the vocabulary of lighter and heavier.

Science: As Scientists, we will be exploring the 5 senses. This week, children will be continuing our exploration of Touch inspired by the traditional tale, The Princess and the Pea.

Geography: As Geographers, we will be using simple maps of the local area. We will also be using aerial photographs of the school to help us identify different parts of the school.

Religious Education: As Theologians, we will be learning about Hinduism. This week we will be exploring the different Gods that are worshipped and what they represent.

Computing: As Technicians, we will look into the world of coding and start using a programme called Scratch Junior.

Design Technology: As Engineers, we will be creating an invitation and food for our Teddy Bear's Picnic! We will have a go at making rainbow omelette cakes.

Art: As artists, we will be painting our clay teddy bear plates that we created last week.

This Thursday (22nd June) is Class Photo day so make sure all children come in looking their best in correct uniform!



Don't forget...

- **Complete your weekly phonics homework task** by underlining the **special friends sounds** at home. Bring this back each week to get marked and get extra house points!
- **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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