

Week beginning

20/11/23

## 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: Maya  
1S: Ahmad  
1B: Anfa

Happy leaves this term will go to children who have shown **independence** and **coping skills**.

Talk to your child about how they can develop greater independence and what they can do to cope when things are not going well.

1R: Kayla  
1S: Liyana  
1B: Ana Clara



# Year 1 Newsletter



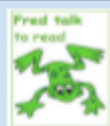
## Our Learning



This term our school theme is **Media Mayhem**.

### English:

As writers, 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 mathematicians, we will continue learning about numbers up to 20. This week we will be learning about strategies to help us add numbers to 20.

### R.E:

As theologians, we will be learning to understand the different religions in the World. We will be talking about the significance of Christmas to Christians.



### Science:

As scientists, we will be recording our investigations about the properties of materials that float and sink. Please remember to build a boat at home that children can bring in for their floating and sinking experiment.

### History:

As historians, we will be exploring how people in the past tried to fly. We will be Learning about the Wright Brothers and Amelia Earhart.



### D.T:

As engineers, we will be designing our kites. Why don't you have a go at making your own kites at home?



**Next week, PE and Music will be on Tuesday. Please come in wearing your PE kit.**

## 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.
- **P.E. day is on Monday.** Please wear black bottoms and a white t-shirt.
- **Bug Club and Mathletics** is still mandatory for 5 or 10 minutes daily, 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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