



YEAR 1

Autumn Term September—October 2024

Reminders

PE - Year 1 must come to school in their P.E kit on a **Tuesday** and **Thursday**.

Reading at home—Books will be changed on a **Friday only**. We expect parents to hear their children read **at least 3 times a week**.

Please record in your child's reading record when you have heard them read at home.

Books are also still available to read online on the Oxford Owl e-Library where you can find a selection of Read Write Inc phonic books that match your child's current book level <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page>

Please ensure all clothing is named (including shoes, water bottles, bags etc).

Whinchats class teacher—

Miss Bean

Stonechats class teacher -

Miss Leatherbarrow

Mrs Russell-Smith

Year 1 News

Welcome to Year 1! It has been so lovely to welcome the children to school. We have been pleased to see so many smiling faces greeting us in the morning already.

We have had an exciting start to Year 1 by using 'The Colour Monster' to create some beautiful art work and teaching the children about the importance of sharing their emotions. The children have settled fantastically into Year 1 and we are very proud of all their hard work so far.

We have been thinking hard about the school's Rainbow Promise and what it means to us as well as finding out how to be good Owl Learners.

This half term the children will be looking at the topic of 'Once Upon a Time', exploring traditional tales and recognising common themes in these stories. Why not read some fairy tales with your child over the next few weeks?

We are thoroughly looking forward to spending the next year with all of Year 1 children and parents.

If you ever need to contact one of us or have a query, please feel free to speak to us at the door or arrange a meeting with us via the office.

Many thanks,

Year 1 Team





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Week	Numeracy	Literacy
Week One	Getting to know you activities	Getting to know you activities
Week Two	The Colour Monster	The Colour Monster
Week Three	Number -Place value	Exploring Fairy tales—Little Red Riding Hood
Week Four	Number -Place value	Exploring Fairy tales—Jack and the Beanstalk
Week Five	Number -Place value	Exploring Fairy tales—Snow White and the 7 Dwarves
Week Six	Number -Place value	Exploring Fairy tales—Hansel and Gretel
Week Seven	Number—Place Value	Exploring Fairy Tales—The Three Little Pigs
Week Eight	Number—Addition and subtraction	Autumn Poetry

Curriculum

Our topic this half term is 'Once Upon a Time' and afternoons are cross curricular covering Art, DT, Science and Geography.

In R.E will be learning about the Christian story of Creation.

In PSHE we will be looking at our health and wellbeing.

In music we will be using Sing Up to introduce beat and in P.E we will be using the Real P.E scheme to look at coordination and balance.