



The Curriculum Newsletter Year 1

Term: Summer 2

An Overview of the Theme

This half-term, we are continuing with the theme 'The Great Outdoors' is continuing. We will have a focus around the oceans and seas and learning about David Attenborough!

How can we protect our oceans and seas?

English

Your child will be writing; retelling a story, writing a fact file about animals, information leaflet and even a speech!

- Apply their phonics knowledge to form sentences that they can read themselves.
- Orally rehearse sentences.
- Form letters and numbers accurately using handwriting lines.
- Use 'and, but and so' to extend sentences
- Use a variety of punctuation.
- Understand the difference between a noun and adjectives.
- Using 'I' to write in the first person
- Time openers

Mathematics

Your child will be learning about telling the time and money.

- Know how to multiply and divide numbers using objects and pictures to help.
- Tell the time to the hour and half hour.
- Identify the different value of coins and to add amounts.

Visits and Visitors

- WC 12- June- Phonics screening checks.
- Beach day- Friday 14- July. More information to follow.
- Join us for our topic celebration on Friday 21- May.

How Can You Help?

We value the support of all parents and carers. If you feel that you can help in any way with the work, we are covering then please let us know or if you would like any further information regarding this term's curriculum, please do not hesitate to contact school.

We also welcome parent helpers who can help listen to children reading. If this is something you are interested in, please let me know.

Thank you.
Miss Pithers

Reminders

PE

ALL children must bring their PE kit to school for our PE session on a **Tuesday**.

The PE kit is:

A white or blue t-shirt or polo shirt.



Black or navy plain shorts, leggings, or jogging bottoms.

Daily Reading

Please write in your child's diary each time you read or support in anyway at home. Please read daily with your child. They will receive a stamp on their bookmark, when they reach 50, they will win a book from our vending machine!

Important Homework updates:

Half termly: Home projects based on our topic.

Weekly: 1. Knowledge organiser knowledge- Please spend some time reviewing the knowledge and key words with your child.
2. Handwriting practice in red book.

Daily: Reading with your child, testing them on the sounds in their reading diary and the High frequency words in your child's pack. These will be changed when your child recognises all the words in that set.