



Curriculum Newsletter Year 1

Term: Autumn 1

An Overview of the Theme

This half-term, our theme in Year 1 is All about me and my local area.

We are all Wonders!

English

Your child will be writing; retells of familiar stories and innovating their own!
They will:

- Apply their phonics knowledge to form sentences that they can read themselves.
- Orally rehearse sentences.
- Form letters and numbers accurately
- Use 'and' to extend sentences
- Use adjectives to describe characters
- Understand the difference between nouns and adjectives.

Mathematics

Your child will be learning about place value, addition, and subtraction

- know how to count to 10 confidently
- know how to write numbers to 10
- know how to compare numbers
- know how to add 1 digit to 1-digit numbers using objects
- know how to subtract a 1-digit number from a 1-digit number

Visits and Visitors

There will be a date to follow for our end of topic celebration. We will be doing presentations all about our local area.

We will also be completing a local area walk around Bestwood Country Park - a date to confirm this visit will be sent out to you soon.

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 contact the class teacher.

Thank you.
Mrs Rankin

Reminders

PE - Tuesdays

Please name items in the PE kit to help us help your child become more independent. Thank you.

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 practise reading and writing the high frequency words with your child alongside reading.

Homework

Your child will bring home a knowledge organiser at the start of each half term.

Please spend some time reviewing the knowledge and key words with your child. There are also different projects to choose from which link to the topic.