

Year 1 and 2 Newsletter Autumn 1 2019



Termly Curriculum Map	
English	'Dear Teacher' by Amy Husband. Stories with familiar settings and instructions.
Maths	Sequencing, place value, addition, subtraction, money, time, understanding 2 times tables.
Science	'Amazing Me'- Animals including humans.
Humanities	The plague and the Great Fire of London.
Art/D& T	Working with chalk and charcoal.
Computing	Basic skills: logging on & off, saving documents.
Music	'Hands, Feet, Heart'- pulse, rhythm and pitch.
PE	Co-ordination (footwork) and static balance.
PSHCE	Drug education-medicines and being healthy.
RE	"Belonging"- What does it mean to belong?
Dates for Your Diary	

Wed 4th September: First day back!

Friday 27th September: Macmillan Coffee Morning 10-11am

Thu 3rd October: Harvest assembly (in school)

Mon 7th October: PTFA film night (more info to follow...)

Wed 9th October: Parent/Carer Phonics Event 6-7pm

Mon 14th & Thu 17th October: Parent consultations

Wed 23rd, Thurs 24th & Fri 25th: 9-9.35am Phonics demo

Wed 23rd October: Parent/Carer maths workshop 6-7pm

Fri 25th October: PTFA recycling day & last day of half term.

Spread your wings and fly

Safeguarding News

It has come to our attention that many of our children are playing games and apps, not appropriate for their age, e.g. 'Roblox,' (age 10+). See below for a fantastic website, giving advice on games and apps that your children might be playing, so you can make an informed decision as to whether or not they are appropriate for your children to use:

https://www.internetmatters.org/

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advice/apps-guide/

Learning Journals need to be in school every day.

Please be aware that we do not allow children to play with 'trading' cards e.g. Pokemon card, Match Attax in school.

Please ensure these remain at home.

Please provide your child with a re-usable water bottle.

UV levels have the potential to remain high this half-term.

Please continue to send your child in with a sun hat.

Recommended Reads

"How are you feeling today?"

By Molly Potter

This fully-illustrated book helps children understand and recognise their emotions and provides various coping strategies to help them through whatever they're dealing with.

Covering a range of positive and negative emotions, this book is an invaluable resource for young children as they start to feel emotions they are unfamiliar with.

Useful Information

PE Days:

Robins: Mon; Kingfishers: Wed; Little Owls: Fri

Please could children have PE kits on pegs throughout the term.

Swimming Days:

Robins: Wed; Kingfishers: Mon; Little Owls: Mon

We are always on the look out for more helpers to support our swimming lessons, Please let us know if you can help!

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