

Welcome to Class 1

Class teacher: Ms King

HLTA: Ms Desai

Behaviour

We continue to use the Good to be Green behaviour system.

We also follow our principles which set out clearly how we as both adults and children should conduct ourselves within the school.

Powell Principles

1. To be always be kind and helpful to others.
2. To treat others and ourselves with respect.
3. To treat all property with resepect.
4. To put all our effort into our learning.
5. To respond to an instruction straight away.
6. To be honest with ourselves and toward others.



School Uniform should be navy blue sweatshirt; navy blue trousers or skirt; plain black shoes.
During the summer shorts and blue checked summer dresses can be worn. Please label children's clothing as it can misplaced across a school day.



We have P.E. on Monday and Thursday. Children should come to school in their P.E. kit on those days.
All P.E. kits should be labelled.

P.E. kit should include trainers, plimsolls, black shorts, red t- shirt and in the winter black tracksuit

No earrings or jewellery to be worn

Phonics and Reading



We currently follow the Read, Write, Inc phonics scheme. Children will read decodable books that match their ability.

Children will have reading books that match their ability sent home.

We also use the Daily Supported reading Programme. Which is a structured reading programme that allows whole word recognition and the development of comprehension skills.



Curriculum

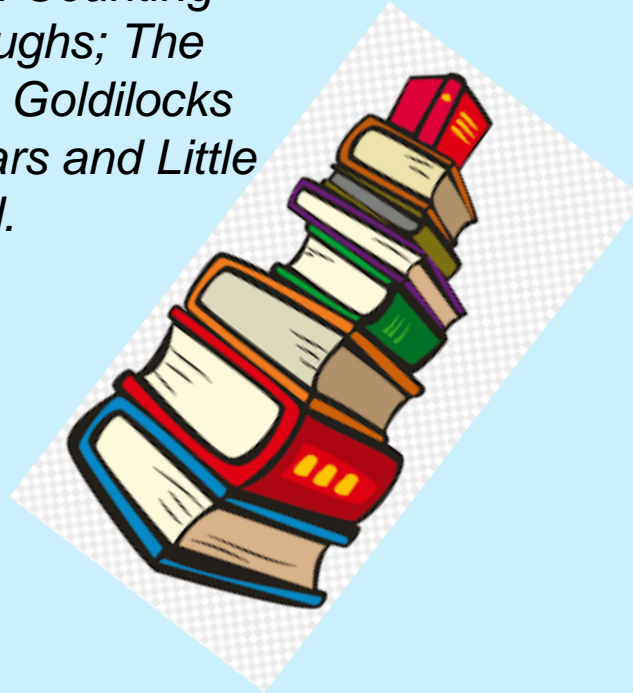


What we will be learning In writing



In Writing we will be learning to create simple sentences; write in a list; create labels; create a sound poem; write a description; create a wanted poster; retell a story; write a letter; recite and perform a poems and rhymes.

The books we will study will be *Billys Bucket; The Stick; List Poems; Caribbean Counting Poems; Susan Laughs; The Gingerbread Man; Goldilocks and the Three Bears and Little Red Riding Hood.*

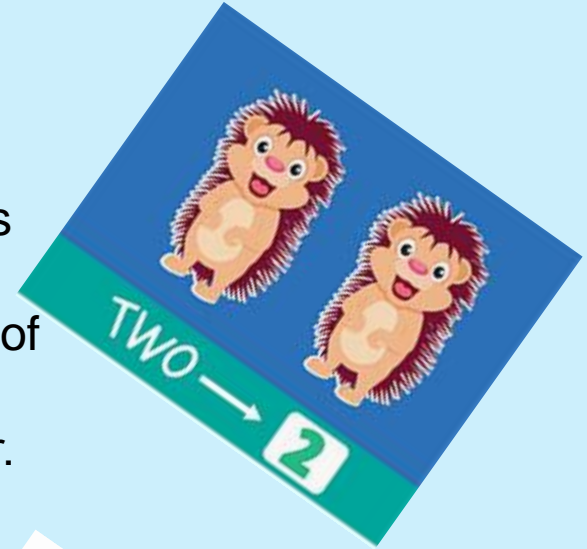


The Grammar we will learn will be sentence punctuation; common nouns; adjectives; Plurals; s and es suffix; progressive verbs; past and present tense and exclamations.

What we will be learning

Maths

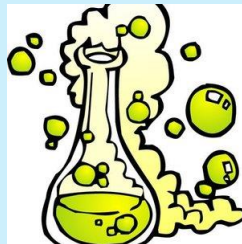
We will learn to count to 20 and to 100; number bonds to 10; counting on or back by 1 to and from 100; the simple properties of 2-d and 3-d shapes; simple lines of symmetry; using coins to make a value of 10p; the o'clock time; days of the week and months of the year.



Science

In Science we will be learning about Plants and Seasonal Changes.

We will identify different plants; know the basic structure of a plant; observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how the length of day varies across the year.



Art and DT

We will use a variety of media to create our own artwork.

We will make our own smoothie using seasonal fruits and vegetables.

What we will be learning

Music

We will learn about beat, pitch and tempo.



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Harvest Festival.
Why Christians give gifts at Christmas.



History

In History we will learn about how toys have changed over time.



Geography

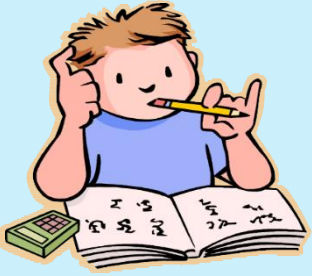
In Geography we will learn about our school, the local area and apply our knowledge to drawing maps.



PSHE

We will learn about setting aspirational goals and building strong, positive relationships.

Homework



Weekly

- ✓ Spellings sent on a Friday
- ✓ Bookbags out on a Friday.
- ✓ Children will have a levelled book they should read three times with parent.
- ✓ Children will have a reading for pleasure book they should read with the parent on three times.
- ✓ Math will be set on Friday on Google Classroom.
- ✓ Home learning is expected to be completed by the following Friday.

P.E

- P.E kits should be worn to school on a Monday and Thursday.
- P.E kit should consist of: trainers, black/navy shorts, red t-shirt and in winter black tracksuit.
- No earrings or watches to be worn on these days.



School Uniform & Water Bottles

Please ensure your child is wearing the correct school uniform including black school shoes (not trainers) on Monday, Thursday and Friday.

Please ensure your child has a refillable water bottle in school each day .



How can you help?

- Read to and with your child every day.
- Ensure your child attends school in good health, regularly and punctually
- Arrange holidays for children during school holidays
- Give encouragement and praise for to your child for their effort in learning.
- Attend and participate in consultation evenings to discuss your child's progress and achievements.
- Ensure homework is completed on time.
- Speak to the class teacher about concerns you may have.
- Please put your child's name on school uniform and PE kit.
- Any medication for children must follow the procedure of speaking to the school first and permission being given for its use.