

Year 1 Newsletter – Autumn 1



Welcome to Year 1. We are really excited to get to know all the children over the coming weeks and are looking forwards to a great time in Year 1.

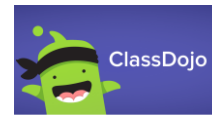
In Year 1 you will find Mrs Falkingham, Mrs Reynard, Mrs Goddard, Mrs Wood and Mrs Smales.



We have been busy reading with all children in school and we will be sending them home with a reading book that will continue to support them with their reading development. Please make sure you read your child's reading book three times to support them in developing their fluency. Children will have 2 reading books, 1 which they are able to use their phonics skills to decode and one which uses wider reading skills and is a 'Reading for Pleasure' book chosen by your child. Books will be changed on a Friday. Please bring your child's reading book to school each day.



Homework throughout school will be done through EdShed. Log in details are in your child's reading record. We will set activities each week to support our phonics, spelling and maths work in school. Please note that Stage One is equivalent to Year 1.



Please make sure that you regularly check Class Dojo. Class Dojo is an easy way for us to send reminders to home and for you to let us know any important information, such as your child being collected by someone different at the end of the day.



Mrs Falkingham's PE days - Outdoor PE Monday

Indoor PE Friday

Mrs Reynard's PE days - Outdoor PE Thursday

Indoor PE Friday



Over this half term please support your child in practicing writing their first and last name.

Here are some other activities for home.

Hit the button - A great game for practising maths facts

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>

This website has a phonics sound wall which is great if you are unsure of the sound we are learning, there are also some games too.

<https://learn.readwithphonics.com/school/phonics-games/phonics-soundwall>

Phonics Bloom - Some great games to play whilst we recap the phonics sounds from reception.

<https://www.phonicsbloom.com/>