

Welcome to Year 1



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What subjects do we cover?

- English
- Maths
- Science
- Phonics Supersonic Phonic Friends
- Reading
- Geography
- History
- Music
- PSHE
- Computing
- Physical Education

- Design technology
- Art and Design
- Spanish

Each half term will have a focus

Dragon Value. This half term is

Responsibility, linked to animals in our

Science work.

What your child will be learning this year?

School Trin: Local Area Traffic Survey	xit Point: Create a small habitat for their hosen Poem creature/Bog baby	School Value: Responsibility	The A	The Arts: Perform Harvest songs/	
	Books linked to the wider cur	EXERTYWHERE BEST ANELS	Music Weekly singing assemb Context: Harvest LI - Performing Skills Si simple songs from mer Accompany a song with LI - Be aware of correct singing. LI - Sing with different	inging mory. LI - th actions. ct posture for	Design & Technology Context: Playground mode U - Explore playground equipment. U - Design a piece of playground equipment. U - Evaluate the piece of equipment made and suggest improvements.
Computing (Purple Mash) Context: Online Safety & Exploring Purple Mash LI - Find their saved work in the Online Work area of P LI - Find messages that their teacher has left for them Mash. LI - Search Purple Mash to find resources. Context: Grouping & Sorting LI - Sort various items offline using a variety of criteria Context: Pictograms LI - To understand that data can be represented in pic	urple Mash. on Purple U - Identify and name a variety carnivores, herbivores and om LI - Describe and compare the animals (fish, amphibians, rep pets)	y of common animals that are	Spanish (Language Angels) Context: Numbers 1-12 LI - Name and recognise numerals up to 12		
LI - To use a pictogram to record the results of an expe	eriment. Religious Education (Living Di	Religious Education (Living Difference IV) Awaiting new planning for September 2022		Physical Education Context Ball Skills U – To send a ball accurately U – To receive a ball accurately U – To learn basic attacking tactics U – To learn basic attacking tactics U – To learn basic defensive tactics	
Geography (Location/The Natural World) Context: Local Environment LI — To use simple compass directions to build knowled location. LI — To use simple field work and observational skills to Geography of a location.	LI: To explore tone	Self Portrait Context: Bog Baby		PSHE Context: Relationships Amazing Me (Similarities and Differences) LI-To recognise ways in which I am the same or different to other LI-To recognise how behaviour and choices affects those around me Mental Health and Well Being Hello Yellow Day Marvellous Me	
Maths, English & Reading: See Medium Term Planning	Subjects not covered this unit: History				

Autumn 1 - Rustle, Bustle and Squeak

Autumn 2 - Let's Hear It For The Toys

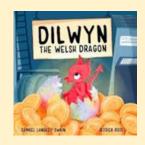
Spring 1 - Let's Go Fly A Kite!

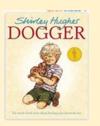
Spring 2 - To The Rescue!

Summer 1 - Oh The Places You'll Go!

Summer 2 - To Infinity and Beyond







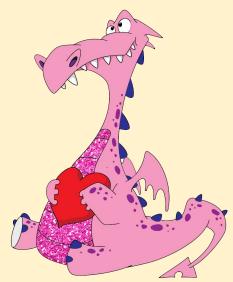






How we support your child's wider personal development

- Dragon skills lessons
- Autumn 2 after school clubs will start letter will be going out to explain
- Zuko sport term a year (every other half term)
- Assemblies
- PSHE Lessons
- School trips



School Trips and Wow days

Autumn 1

Local Park

Autumn 2

- Toy Shop
- City Museum (to be confirmed)

Spring 1

- U.K Day

Spring 2

- The Historic Dockyard
- Visitors in to school, Guide Dogs, Firefighters...

Summer 1

- Explorer Day

Summer 2

- To be confirmed (Planetarium)

Key Dates

- Local area visit to be confirmed
- Year 1 Phonics morning. Wednesday 12th October
- Parents Evening. Monday 7th November and Wednesday 9th November
- Toy shop or city museum trip to be confirmed
- Historic Dockyard Trip 2nd March
- Phonics Screening Check June
- Transition meeting 13th June

Each half term, you will receive a Home Learning grid.

This will contain 6 activities linked to our topic. Please complete as many of these activities as possible over the half term. The children will have an opportunity to share their work with their class.



Reading

<u>Please</u> read with your child. This includes allowing them to read to you and you reading a book to them outside of their reading ability. When you do read your child's school book with them then please make a note of it in their reading record so they can get their raffle ticket for the Reading Rocket!

Ideally children should be changing their school book 3 times a week (dependent of length of book). Re-reading books is a great way to develop their fluency. Remember to ask lots of questions about a book as you go.



Supersonic Phonic Friends

Phonics

This is our new Phonic Scheme, it aims to build children's speaking and listening skills in their own right as well as to prepare children for learning to read by developing their phonic knowledge and skills. It is a fully systematic, synthetic programme for teaching phonic skills.

Reading

The reading books will be working alongside the phonics scheme and will no longer be a colour band system, instead they will move to different groups within Basics 2- Higher 5. Until they are confident with recognising and using their phonic skills they will then move to a colour band system. Please trust your child's teacher to choose the book (s) that will help your child the most.





English

Reading books helps develop children vocabulary which we will then see them using in their writing.

Encourage your child to do some writing. For example, write the shopping list, make a birthday or Christmas list.

Support your child in learning Common Exception Words (Year 1). This could start with finding a given word on the CEW board. Then copy the word (look, cover, write check) before moving onto saying a word and child writes how they think it spelt then check.







<u>Maths</u>

We want to build children's maths fluency and confidence. This takes time and practise. Children need to know number bonds within 10 and 20.

There are some fantastic online games which children can play and learn their maths skills. For example, ICT games and BBC bitesize have free online games.

Class Teachers may set 2Dos on Purple Mash for your child to complete at home.

Your Purple Mash and Num Bots login will continue to work this year.



Have a look...