

## General Information about Year 1

### PE

1R will have outdoor PE on Wednesday and indoor PE on Thursday. 1M will have outdoor PE on Tuesday and indoor PE on Friday. Please make sure that on these days earrings are removed before school and that PE kits are in school. Outdoor PE kit consists of green jogging bottoms, white t-shirt with the school logo on and a green PE sweatshirt. Indoor PE is a pair of green shorts and white PE t-shirt. If your child wears tights to school please also make sure that there is a pair of socks in their P.E bag. Children will need trainers for outdoor P.E not pumps.

### Reading books

Your child will be heard read each week and their books changed. There will be set days your child reads and that will be the day they bring home their new book. Children will also bring home a new library book each week.

### Homework

Over the course of the half term your child will receive a MyMaths login and on occasions homework will be set using MyMaths. Homework will be set on a Friday and will be needed to hand in by the following Wednesday to ensure that it is marked and new homework prepared in time.

### Spellings

This half term we will start setting weekly spellings for your child to learn. Spelling will be set in phonics groups and will focus on sounds that have been taught that week. There will also be two tricky words each week for your child to learn. Spellings will be tested on Thursday and new spelling handed out. Please ensure spelling books are in school every Thursday.

### Wetter weather.

Please could you make sure that your child is sent into school with a named coat although the days are warm at the moment it can be wet and drizzly and the children will still be going out to play unless the rain is heavy.

### Collection at the end of the day.

The playground at the end of the day is a very busy place and it can sometimes be difficult to spot where you are standing to collect your child. Please try to stand in a similar place each day so that we get used to your positions and dismiss your child to you. The children will not leave Mrs Mayer or Mrs Robb until we can see you.

Please check your child's bag daily for letters, and books.

# Weather

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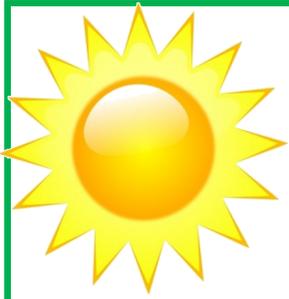


## Year 1 Autumn Term

Welcome to Year 1 2017-2018

The Year 1 team this year is:  
1R—Mrs Robb & Mrs Jackson  
1M—Mrs Mayer & Mrs Tunney

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### Numeracy

This half term we will be focusing on place value, addition and subtraction and 3D shapes. Throughout maths we will be developing reasoning skills and problem solving.

### Literacy

In literacy this half term the children will be looking at recount writing, contemporary fiction and poetry. Throughout literacy we will be concentrating on using finger spaces, full stops and capital letters. We will also be leaning how to use conjunctions **and** and **because** correctly.



### Art/DT

In Art, this half term we will be looking at 'Renoir Umbrellas'.

In DT this half term, will be looking at moving pictures focusing on levers and sliders.

### Computing

In computing we are following the Purple Mash scheme of work that allows children to build on a range of skills both on and off the internet.

### Science

In science we are focusing on materials and their uses. We will be identifying and naming materials and describing their properties.

### P.E

Indoor PE will be completing follow up activities from the visit from the British Olympian, focusing on developing our fitness and balancing skills.

Outdoor PE is multi skills with a focus on balance, positioning and direction.



### Music

Over this half term we will be exploring sounds by learning songs, using body percussion and moving onto using instruments to create stormy music.

### R.E

We will be looking at stories about Jesus and other religious leaders, in particular, within the Islamic faith.

### Geography

We will be looking at daily weather patterns as part of our Geography work and using equipment such as rain gauges, thermometers and weather vanes. We will also be looking at extreme weathers and producing our weather forecasts.

### Phonics

The children will take part in a 30 minute daily phonics session learning new sounds and how we write them. Handwriting sessions will also be linked to the graphemes children have been learning.

### PSHE

We will be thinking about right and wrong, particularly focussing on fairness, co-operating and sharing and kind and unkind behaviours.