



St. Andrew's C.E Primary School

Class Newsletter

Class YEAR /

Welcome back after Easter! This term we will be learning all about-The Great Fire of London, Seasonal changes and programming Beebot. We have many wonderful things planned for this term – we will be having our Sport's Day, a year group assembly and hopefully a summer trip. We will keep you informed of dates and details of these as soon as we know more.



Things to Remember

Each day your child needs to bring to school:

- Reading book and record book
- Water bottles, labelled and containing water only please
- Coat
- Friday- maths and spellings and complete Oxford Owl reading book.

Dates for your diary

KSI Sports Day-18th June 9.30am

Year 1 class assembly- 29th June 2.45

PTA disco- 21st May

Transition Morning for new classes- 15th July

Summer fair- 26th June (after school)

School photos 24th June

Reading

Please sign your child's reading record book when they have read at home. If you have any comments these can be added too. Please remember that each child will be set an online book on Oxford Owl to read each week. This book links to their phonics and guided reading that they have worked on at school. Please encourage your child to read this book and complete the online quiz each week. If you have forgot your child's log in then please ask.

Thank you to all parents who take time to share their child's reading book with them. We cannot stress enough the importance of continued regular practise in helping children to become fluent, confident readers.

Library Day is on Wednesday (IWh) Thursday (IWa) Please make sure your child returns their book every week. If you loose your book, please pay £5 to the office.

Phonics

At the end of Year 1, your child will be tested on Phonics with the National Phonics Screening Test taking place week beginning June 8th. The results will be sent out with their reports. Phonics remains a high priority and as we continue with our daily phonic sessions in groups, we would really appreciate your help and assistance practising phonic skills at home. Please continue to practise with the materials we previously sent home and complete the online check using the link below.

We recommend the following useful website:

www.phonicsplay.co.uk.

Here is a link to a past phonics paper-

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/media/5d09f4e940f0b620071b65c6/2019_phonics_pupils_materials_standard.pdf

Homework

We will continue to set spellings and maths homework every Friday, to be completed and returned by Friday at the latest. Thank you for supporting us with this as it enables us to mark your child's work before we send it back home. Spelling shed encourages and supports our set weekly spellings. Please ask if you need reminding of your child's log in details.

Reminders

Please make sure that your child's PE kit is left in school for the full half term. Mrs Whitaker's class P.E is on Thursday and Miss Wallace's class is on Tuesday.

We are currently short of spare uniform, PE kit and underwear especially socks. If you have any spare items we would be very grateful for contributions.



Topics This Term



Subject	Summer 1	Summer 2
Maths	Multiples of 2,5 and 10. Division Fractions Position and direction	Place value up to 100 Money Time
English	Narrative Non-fiction Newspaper reports Writing questions	Descriptive writing Writing/planning stories Speech and thought bubbles Newspaper reports
Science	Seasonal Changes	Plants
ICT	Beebot	We are celebrating
RE/PSHE	Creation- How should we care for others and the world? Keeping safe British values	What does it mean to belong to a faith community? Ourselves- growing and changing.
Hist/Geog		British Isles
Art/D&T		Sculpture and craft
PE/Games	Games-throwing and catching	Athletics Sports day

Useful Sites:

<https://beebot.terrapinlogo.com/>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/paint-the-squares>

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk>

www.phonicsplay.co.uk

Thank you for your continued support.
Mrs Whitaker and Miss Wallace