



Year Group Newsletter

Friday 10th September 2021

YEAR ONE
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NEWSLETTER

This week/next week we are learning about.....

A very warm welcome to year 1 and our 1st newsletter of the new school term! The children have settled into their new classes so well and we are very proud of them. We have been learning lots of new rules and routines and the children have impressed us with their fantastic attitude to learning how to behave and conduct themselves 'The Coppice Way' with a smile on their faces!

- English - We will begin our topic of 'Elmer' reading and writing about the stories of Elmer the Elephant by David McKee.
- Phonics - Starting our new 'Sounds Write' approach to reading and spelling, reviewing sounds we know and applying our blending and segmenting skills.
- Maths - ordering and comparing numbers.
- Science - To name objects and the material they are made from.
- Computing - Online safety
- PSHE - (Jigsaw lesson). Understanding my rights and responsibilities as a member of my class
- Art - self portraits.
- Geography - learning about the countries that make up the UK.
- PE - Dance movements
- Forest Rangers - Learning safety rules and boundaries.
- Music - Responding and listening to music (The Nutcracker).

Star of the Week

1T - Leo

1B - Keito

1D - Amelia

Homework

On Wednesday we will be giving every child a new reading pack and the pack there will have a sheet of paper for you to write on. Please write your child's name on the sheet and return it to school on Monday so we can read your comments and

Important Dates For Your Diary

Meet the Teacher - Thursday 16th September 2021 at 5:30pm

This is a half an hour presentation of important information all about year 1. You will find out about our curriculum, how we transfer from the Early Year Foundation Stage to the National Curriculum, daily routines and expectations. You will also have the opportunity to ask any general questions related to Year 1.

Please ensure that your child comes into school in their PE kit on their PE day and also the outdoor kit on forest ranger days. They need wellies to be kept in school. This will start next week (week beginning 13/9/21).

1T - Tuesday (Forest Rangers) and Wednesday (PE)

1D - Monday (Forest Rangers) and Tuesday (PE)

1B - Wednesday (Forest Rangers) and Tuesday (PE)

Reminders/messages

- Children need all equipment clearly named (coats, water bottles, jumpers).
- Bring a coat everyday.
- We will be grateful of contributions to the supermarket roleplay such as tins, empty packets and bottles. Please bring in on Monday.
- If your child has been chosen for Star of The Week they get to take home the class mascot 'George the monkey'. Please bring him back on Monday and the child will get an opportunity to share what they did over the weekend. They can bring in 1 or 2 photos if they would like to.

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