

Literacy

Writing - we practice writing across the curriculum and have a specific writing session on Thursday mornings. This term we'll continue to focus on joining our sentences using 'and' and 'but' and using adjectives.

Spelling - this term some children will be given spelling books to practise their words each week and have a spelling test each week.

Reading - every day we have a phonics lesson and I aim to hear each child read once every week.

Handwriting - we are learning to write all the letters correctly. We practise in the morning before and during the register.

Library - We visit the library on Tuesdays so bring your book and you can swap it for a new one.

HOMEWORK

- Talk about your ideas for Writing with an adult. You will be given Talk Homework every Tuesday, and you'll do the writing on Thursday.
- Practise your individual words to read or spell.
- Read to an adult as often as possible, and talk about what you're reading.
- You can access activelearnprimary.co.uk and educationcity.com to practise maths and English. Your log ins and passwords are inside your yellow reading diary.

Maths

This term we'll continue to practise: telling the time; addition and subtraction (practical and using a number line and a 1—square); recognising odds and evens; counting in 2s, 5s, 10s. ; finding one halves and quarters; days of the week and times of the year.

Year 1

Term 2 - Spring

Dates for your Diary:

Wed 28th Feb: Book Day - dress up as your favourite character!

Mon 5th March - Fri 9th March: Parent Consultations - sign up for an appointment

Wed 21st March: Curriculum Event
Writing

Fri 23rd March: Sport Relief

R.E.

Our Big Question this term is 'Should everyone follow Jesus?' We will learn about Jesus as a leader and who other religions consider leaders. We will learn the Easter Story.

P.E.

Monday Morning - Games

Friday Morning - Dance/Gymnastics

Topic: Fire

History - this term we will learn about the Great Fire of London including learning about the Samuel Pepys and King Charles 2nd. We will learn about how buildings and the fire service have changed since those times.

Science - This term we will learn about the human body and animals. We'll find out about our different body parts and learn about animals bodies too.

D.T. and Art - We will work on making models of houses in the style of houses during the time of the Great Fire of London. We will also explore colour looking at the artists: Mondrian, Klee, Pollock.

Music

We are hoping to take part in a concert with music inspired by Julia Donaldson in April so will be practising those songs.

P.S.H.E. and P4C

We are continuing to explore our human rights and learning about our school values.