

Year 1 Parent Leaflet

Summer 1



Miss Brown and Miss Cunnane have had a fantastic spring term, with all the children enjoying their learning! We are excited about our new topics.

Please remember, we are here to answer any questions or concerns that you may have. We are available at the end of the school once we have dismissed the children.

Curriculum Overview

English— This half term, we will be reading 'The Odd Egg', 'Beegu' and 'Dinosaurs and All That Rubbish'. We are working on using the prefix 'un', as well as continuing to use adjectives to describe and conjunctions to link words and phrases. We are also working on applying our phonics, and knowledge of common exception words in writing.

Maths— In Maths, we will be looking at counting in 2s, 5s and 10s. We will also be looking at multiplication and division.

History— In History, we are learning about local heroes including George Stephenson, Emmeline Pankhurst and L.S. Lowry.

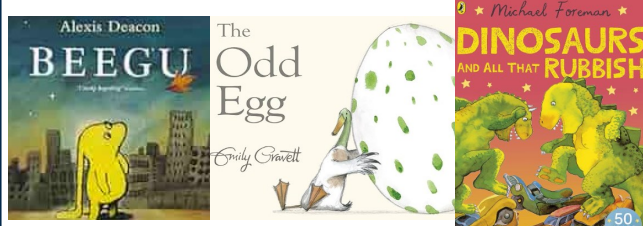
Science— In Science, we will be learning about the local area, and looking at plants and animals in the environment.

RE and PSHE— In RE, we will be looking at a range of different religions. In PSHE we will be looking at ourselves and relationships with others.

Art and Music— In music, we will be exploring instruments to create a seaside story. In Art, we will be looking at Andy Goldsworthy and creating our own sculptures.



Star Books



Important Dates

- 4th May— Bank holiday
- 7th May— Class 4 assembly
- 19th May— Blackpool Zoo trip
- 21st May— Class 3 assembly
- 22nd May— End of term



Useful Links

Hit the button is a great way to support your child in maths. There are lots of fun games to access including number bonds and doubles. Use the QR code to access lots of fun games.



Weekly Reminders

Please remember to send your child to school in their PE kit on a **Friday**.

All children will need pumps in school.

Homework will be set every **Thursday** and needs handing in on a **Wednesday**. **Children should be using the sound books given at parents evening.**

Label **EVERYTHING**— coats, shirts, tie!

All children should be reading at home **4 times a week**. This needs to be recorded in their reading diary.

How to help your child at home



Fun Games and Songs

Seven Continents songs — <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X6BE4VcYngQ>

Five Oceans songs- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X6BE4VcYngQ>

Months of the Year song- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Fe9bnYRzFvk>

United Kingdom song— <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RvDIZoQLgIE>

Counting in Spanish— <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G27hp1G00wI>



My Happy Mind

We are proud to be a My Happy Mind School, this programme encourages children to learn about their brain and teaches them strategies to deal with a range of emotions.

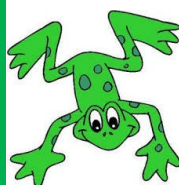
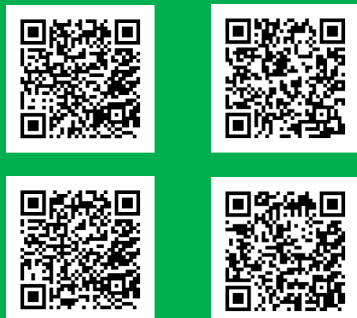
Parents can also download the free app to learn more information.

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Use these QR codes to access more RWInc resources including holding and writing a sentence. **Use these videos then repeat the sentence, then write the sentence independently.**

Please use the RWI resources given at parents evening to practice all set 2 and 3 sounds.



Year 1 Common Exception words

the	his	go	ask
a	has	so	friend
do	I	by	school
to	you	my	put
today	your	here	push
of	they	there	pull
said	be	where	full
says	he	love	house
are	me	come	our
were	she	some	
was	we	one	
is	no	once	

Children in Year 1 are expected to be able to read and write these words by the end of the year. Please practise as part of your weekly spellings. The video below is a song we learn in class to help us spell these words.

