

YEAR 1



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Coming up next week...16.05.22

Maths

In Maths this week, we will be learning about fractions. We will be thinking about what half and quarter means and exploring this through shape.

English

In English this week, we will be revisiting non-fiction, and writing our own fact files all about Queen Victoria

Reading

This week we will be listening to the children read 1:1.

Please make sure your child brings their book and reading record to school everyday, so we are able to work with them.

Phonics

This week we will be thinking about:

GPC's - i igh i-e ie ar oy ir th ch ai a-e or ee ow oa o-e sh th er oo ew ue u-e ng er u a

Focus GPC - i a ow u

Tricky Words - two eye thought through friend

Topic

In PSHE we will be thinking about what it means to cooperate with others to achieve a task.

In computing we will continue to work on our coding.

In Science we will be continuing to think about plants.

This week in Music, we will be thinking about beat and rhythm and following them in a song.

We will also use different body percussion and instruments to play each part.

In PE we will continue to think about our learning through our athletics and fielding and striking units.

In Art we will be making a Victorian quilt picture.

We are really looking forward to our Victorian Day on the 20th. On this day we will be experiencing what it was like to be in a Victorian classroom, making Victorian crafts and learning about Victorian toys and homes.

Additional notes and reminders

Book Bag Request

Please could you ensure that your child's name is clearly displayed on the back of their book bag.

Many of the names have rubbed off over the year and need to be replaced.

Please could we also ask that you support your child to choose **one** keyring to attach to their bag. Thank you in advance for your support.

Summer Wear

As the weather is getting warmer please make sure your child brings in a named hat and a light jacket in case of showers.

ADVANCE WARNING:

On Friday 20th May we will be having Victorian Day and the children will be able to come to school in Victorian costumes.

Please do not feel the need to purchase a special costume; old, cut off school trousers and an old t-shirt will suffice. You could also look on the website in the photo gallery for costume ideas from past Victorian themed days. If you have any questions about what to provide, please speak to a member of the Year 1 team.



Homework

Please look at the alien and real word sheet and practise reading each word aloud.

When reading an alien word the children can pronounce the trigraphs and digraphs in any way they have learnt. For example the digraph 'ea' could be pronounced as it is in the words bread or beat. Please show your teachers that you have had a look at your words by ticking or circling them.

As well as practising the phonics words please continue to read 4 times a week.

Class email addresses:

Badgers: badgers@mead.surrey.sch.uk

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Please note that as the week progresses it is sometimes necessary to change what is planned to meet the learning needs of the children and therefore changes to the above may occur.