

Year 1 Term 1.1



Homework

Homework:

Homework is set every Friday and needs to be handed in by the following Monday at the very latest.

Reading:

Your child gets a Guided Reading book and a class library book once a week. They need to bring both books in their school book bags or plastic book bags to school in order to take a new book home. Please encourage your child to read daily for 10 minutes with the support of an adult.

Literacy:

During this half term, the children will be learning to write simple sentences. They will be encouraged to talk and describe events from a given story. The children will be encouraged to use descriptive language to describe characters and different settings. There will be an ongoing focus on cursive handwriting and the use of capital letters and full stops. The book that we are studying is called Traction Man.



PE:

- We have PE sessions every Tuesday, so it is vital that your child comes into school wearing their PE kit. Your child's P.E kit should contain:
- P.E.- a plain white t-shirt
(not football shirts or any other sporting t-shirt)
 - Black shorts/jogging bottoms (close fitting leggings may be worn by girls).



Humanities:

Our enquiry question is 'Are iPads more fun than my grandparents' old toys and games?' During the lessons, to help us answer our question, we will be focusing on:

- Making comparisons between toys and games
 - Past and present toys
 - Development of the internet



Numeracy:

This half term, the children will learn about place value. They will sort objects into groups in different ways. They will learn how to confidently count forwards and backwards from any given number up to 20. They will relate one more to one less and understand that they are the opposite. They explore the relative size of numbers. Children will be encouraged to use mathematical language every day in a range of situations.