



Monday 8th January 2024

Dear Year 1 Families,

Re: Spring 1 Curriculum Information

Happy New Year and welcome back to the first half of the Spring Term 2024! We hope you all had a restful holiday and were able to spend some quality time with family and friends. Curriculum information for this half term has been uploaded to the [Year 1 Classes section](#) of our school website. Links to the staff list, timetable, curriculum leaflet, knowledge organiser, homework projects, home learning portal, spelling list and core book list can be found here.

The areas of learning for Year 1 this half term are:

Geography - England

Science - Animals and the Human Body

Art & Design - Simple Printmaking

RE - Faith Communities

PE - Gymnastics & Fitness

Computing - Moving a Robot

The children will continue to have a music lesson with Mr Stevens each week where they will be focusing on singing and performance as well as a Spanish lesson with Ms Bujalance. The children will visit the Southbank and travel by boat on the River Thames as part of their fieldwork in geography.

Key Year 1 Dates for you diary:

- Friday 19th January: Reading Breakfast at 8.30am
- Thursday 25th January: Phonics Screening Check (PSC) Information Session at 3.30pm
- Wednesday 31st January: Come Dine With Me at 12.00pm (please book a place via the school office in advance if you wish to attend)
- Thursday 29th February: Maths Key Concepts Information Session at 3.30pm
- Thursday 7th March: Science Come Learn With Me at 9.00am
- Friday 26th April: Learning Celebration Assembly at 10.00am

Other parent/carers workshops this term (please contact the school office if you wish to attend):

- Supporting with Attendance Workshop - Thursday 18th January at 9.00am
- Managing Child Anxiety Workshop - Thursday 25th January at 9.00am
- Understanding Neurodiversity - Thursday 22nd February at 9.00am

If you have any questions regarding your child's learning, please speak to their class teacher in the first instance or contact Ms Conlon or Ms Ichim, Assistant Headteachers for KS1 via the school office.

Kind regards,

Katie Beecroft
Headteacher