



Year 1 Newsletter

Term 2

Autumn 2019

What will we be learning about?

Dear Mums, Dads and Carers,

Welcome back, we hope that you all had a lovely half term!

This term our topic will be *Splendid Skies*. We will be learning about many things such as: the Moon landing, air transport, space and .

Our other units of study this term will be:

- Science - Weather
- English - Room on the Broom, weather poems, Aliens Love Santa Claus, Non-fiction, Christmas Story.
- Maths - 2D and 3D shapes, Counting in 10s, 10s and 1s.
- RE - How and why do we celebrate special and sacred times.
- Art/DT - Collage, painting, Christmas crafts.

Year 1 team

Reading, Handwriting, Numbers

Reading is an essential part of the curriculum and if practised regularly allows the children to make progress in all areas of their learning. We will be checking the children's contact books every day, so please ensure the children have these with them each day.

In Year 1 we work on using cursive handwriting in all our lessons. We have special handwriting lessons and are practising each letter individually as well as in word writing. You can access the programme Letter Join online in order to support your child with learning cursive handwriting.

We will also be working on making sure our number writing is correct this term to help the children record their maths learning.

Important Dates

Christmas Fair	3/12/19
Breakfast club open week	09/12/19-12/12/19
Family Trust Nativity Show	6/12/19
Nativity	09/12/19
Santa Visit	12/12/19
Last day of term	17/12/19

PE

PE sessions will be on **Mondays** and **Tuesday** each week. Please have full kit in school at all times and remove earrings on the day if children cannot do this for themselves.

