

GENERAL

Whilst the weather is beginning to become brighter, it is important that your children are dressed appropriately for school. Please bring a waterproof coat. If your child wishes to bring wellies into school, please make sure they bring a spare pair of shoes for the classroom.

MATHS - This half-term we will continue to look at numbers to 40 before moving onto numbers to 100! We will also begin exploring multiplication and division. We will then move onto fractions and focus on the vocabulary half and quarters.

Computing - We will be looking at questioning. We will be creating pictograms and constructing a binary tree to answer questions..

Geography - We are looking at the Polar Regions. We will be exploring the North and South Pole and learning about the Arctic and Antarctica. We will be looking the climate, landscape and animals within each region, before comparing the Polar Regions to our lives in Bridlington.

Science - This half term we will be looking at animals (vertebrates). We will be identifying and naming a variety of common animals. We will also be exploring animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores.

DT- We will be exploring fruits and vegetables, identifying where plants grow and which parts we eat. We will be designing and making our own smoothies using the fruits and vegetables explored in previous lessons.

Music - We will be beginning to look and explore jazz music. We will be listening to different pieces of jazz music and look at improvising.

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TOPIC

Our Topic this half term is plants. This is a theme which is also covered within other areas of the Curriculum. We will be spending time in the Jubilee Garden planting seeds and observing them as they grow.

LITERACY- Children will continue to follow the RWI programme. We will also continue to be reading daily in class and using familiar stories to engage with and enjoy together. We will be learning key vocabulary from these books.

PSHE: This half term our topic is relationships. We will be looking at our families and what makes a good friend. We will also be exploring how to solve friendship problems and how to help others when they feel hurt or upset.

RE - We will be looking at our wonderful world and why the world is special. We will explore what creation is and where sacred stories come from. We will also be looking at the parable of the Good Samaritan.

HOMEWORK

Reading is a key focus for children in Year One and we would appreciate it if you could read once a day with your child. Please make sure your child brings their reading book and record into school each day so they can also read at school. Your child's reading book will change every 3-5 days.

Children are rewarded a dojo point every time they read at home and their reading record is signed.

Children will have now been given a Log in for Purple Mash. Your child can access this at home as they wish.

Occasionally, children may also bring home activities to do, linked to other areas of learning.

All children should have a speed sounds book at home, to help them remember their sounds.

PE - This half term First Steps will be teaching dance during indoor PE.

In outdoor PE we will be doing games: Locomotion Agility.

OUR PE DAY IS WEDNESDAY.

Please ensure your child wears the correct PE kit. Earrings should be removed.

Other Activities – Tennis club will continue to run until Wednesday 21st May.

Monday 28th April - Anxiety workshop for parents EMHP 1.15-3.15

Wednesday 7th May - Ballet at Bridlington Spa

Friday 23rd May - Non-uniform