

Reading

RWI Book Bag Books are sent home on Mondays. Our RWI class book will be sent home on Fridays. The aim is for the children to read these books fluently using a storytelling voice. The children bring home a library book to share with you on Fridays too.

Spellings and Homework

Homework and spellings are set on Fridays. Homework should be returned on Tuesdays and our spelling quiz takes place on Fridays.

Mental Maths

Please practise number bonds to 10 and 20 at home. We are continuing to learn our number patterns for counting in 2s, 5s and 10s alongside recognising numbers to 100 so this is another area where you can support at home.

Summer Class Challenges

We have two class challenges for summer: to always use neat cursive handwriting and to remember full stops and capital letters in our sentences. Please encourage this at home if you can.

Outdoor Play

Year 1 will be using our outdoor play area daily. Please can we ask that all children have a sun hat and a water bottle each day. Please remember to apply sun cream when needed before school.

PE and Forest Schools

Our PE days are outdoor PE on Thursdays, indoor PE twice monthly on Tuesdays. We will be going to our Forest School so please remember to send in Wellington boots.

The children have made an excellent start back to school. They are so enthusiastic about their learning. Thank you for all of your support at home, it is always appreciated.

Year 1

Summer 2021

Learning Information



Class teacher: Mrs Rogers

**Class Teaching Assistants:
Mrs Matthews and Mr Rowe**

PGCE Student: Miss Albutt

English

We will continue to teach daily phonics using Read Write Inc to develop our reading and writing skills. In English we will be looking at the Katie Morag stories by Mairi Hedderwick.

After half term our learning will be based on non-fiction books and traditional tales with a Royal theme.



Mathematics

We will be developing our understanding of multiplication and division and fractions. We will be deepening our knowledge of place value within 100. We will also be learning about positional language, money and time.



Science

Our focus this half term will be seasonal change. We will be learning about how weather and daylight changes in each season. After half term, we will learn about plants. We will be applying our knowledge to identify plants and trees.



Computing

We will continue to learn about keeping safe online. We will also learn how to log on and off a computer and develop our typing skills. After half term, we will look at how we use technology outside school.



Geography

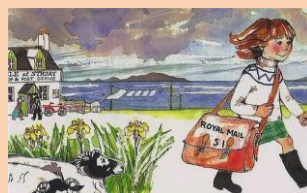
We will be learning about the Isle of Coll, real life inspiration for the Isle of Struay in the Katie Morag books. We will learn about the human and physical features on this Island. We will also link this to weather and seasonal change.



Year 1 - Summer 2021

Summer 1 Topic Theme

Island Life



Summer 2 Topic Theme

Royal Life



History

After half term, we will be learning about changes within living memory. We will focus on our Royal Family and their contribution to British life.



Art and DT

Using the Katie Morag stories as inspiration, the children will look at painting techniques to produce work related to our topic. After half term we will be focusing on portraits and Picasso.



P.E

We will learn about target games and dance. After half term, we will focus on athletics and gymnastics.



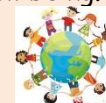
Music

Our themes are Your Imagination and Reflect, Rewind and replay. We will play percussion instruments and learn a new song.



Relationships and Sex Education

Our themes will be Relationships and Health Education before half term. After half term, we will look at Health Education and mental well being.



R.E.

We will learn who is Muslim and how they live. Later in the term we will discuss how we should care for others.



