

## YEAR 1!

Your class teachers for the Autumn Term are:  
*Ms Patel-Ali & Miss Hannah & Miss Wasik*

Our teaching assistants are:  
*Miss Vandra and Mrs Sanji*

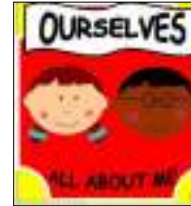
### Year 1 pupils...

We would like you to continue to:

- Always try your best.
- Be kind and considerate to everyone.
- Bring your book bag to school every day.
- Do your homework - hand it in every Monday.
- Read everyday to an adult for 10 minutes and read you RWInc book.
- Make sure you wear the correct uniform with the appropriate footwear.
- Bring your appropriate PE Kit every Monday.

*I will be learning...*

**TOPIC** - My World and Ourselves



#### AUTUMN 1

The children will have the opportunity to explore our local area and identify the physical and human features. The children will be writing recounts, postcards and letters.

Both classes will visit the Soanes Centre each half term to investigate seasonal changes throughout the year. Children will also be visiting the Museum of Childhood to learn past and present toys.

#### AUTUMN 2

As part of their Science learning, children will be investigating different materials that they can use to design and make their own puppets.



**ENGLISH** The children will be continuing to follow the Read Write Inc programme. We will also be reading Hansel and Gretel as part of our learning during Black History Month.



**NUMERACY** The children will be continuing to learn about numbers. They will also be focusing on calculation and solving word problems.



**COMPUTING** Children's sessions will be linked in with the topics for the term. They will be learning how to explore and navigate the internet safely.

**P.E.** Our PE Days will be on Tuesday & Thursday. Our outdoor P.E sessions will focus on performing skilled jumps and indoor sessions will focus on Gymnastics.

**R.E.** This term children will be exploring different religious holy books and how they are special to us.



**SCIENCE** Children will be learning about Ourselves and focusing on their families and toys that they like to play with.

# Dear Parents & Carers...

We want children to make as much progress as possible in the Autumn Term. You can support this by:

- *Ensuring that they have the correct uniform and that all their clothing is labelled with their name.*



- *Encouraging your child's growing independence by letting them come into the classroom and hang up their belongings by themselves.*

- *Listening to them read, and asking them questions about the text.*



- *Practising numeracy skills such as number bonds, telling the time, money and addition and subtraction methods.*

- *Working with your child to complete their maths homework each week.*



- *If you have any questions or if you or your child have any worries, please come and let us know - no matter how small.*

**We are always happy to listen, so please just pop in and ask!**

## What you will need in Year 1...



### SCHOOL SHOES

Plimsolls or lace-ups. Trainers can be worn, as long as they are completely black.

### P.E. KIT

Shorts, T-shirt, plimsolls or trainers in a small bag - drawstring if possible.



MARY the  
COOK

MRS KEMP

Please **remember** to label everything with your name - especially sweatshirts, PE kits and coats!



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