

Year 1 Newsletter

Friday 4th October 2024

Dear Parent / Carer,

In Phonics, we have recapped the Phase 4 longer words and words containing the new Phase 5 sounds we learnt last week: ay, ou, oy and ea. We have recapped the tricky words all, are, I, of, one, here and today.

In Maths this week, we have been comparing sets of numbers to say which has the most, the least, fewer, a greater amount or an equal amount. We have also ordered and sequenced numbers, including the use of ordinal numbers: 1st, 2nd, 3rd. Next week, we will be locating and comparing digits on a number line.



In Geography, we used a questionnaire to collect information about how children feel about our school playground. We summarised the results of the survey and will use this information to create a design to improve our playground next week.

In Science we have been finding out about which part of the body is associated with each sense. This week we explored our sense of touch. We discussed that our skin helps us to feel and our fingertips are sensitive to touch. We used our sense of touch to identify different textures.

Important Dates:

Year 1 Open Evening- Tuesday 15th October- 6pm.

The purpose of this meeting is to explain about the Year 1 curriculum and how English and Maths is taught in Year 1. The open evening will have a focus on Phonics and how to help support your child with their reading and writing at home. For you to receive information on how your child will progress throughout this year we encourage you to attend if possible.

Many Thanks

Miss Hepworth and Miss Nicholson