

Class 1 Spring Newsletter 2024

Welcome!

Happy New Year and welcome back to all our Class 1 families. We hope you all enjoyed the festive break and are ready for an exciting new term.

Topic

This term our whole school topic is "Monsters". In Class 1 we will be reading the story of 'The Gruffalo', thinking about what makes a 'monster', making our own monster stories and characters. We will also be learning about animals and taking part in the RSPB Big School Birdwatch. We will be learning more about special events such as Easter and the Chinese New Year during our R.E. and citizenship sessions. Whilst in maths we will be learning about money and plan to visit the village shop later in the term.

Clothing

Whilst the weather is still cold and we like to spend lots of time outside please ensure that children come to school with a suitable coat, plus hats and gloves when appropriate. Please double check all items are labelled with your child's name, especially cardigans, jumpers and hoodies as these are often taken on and off throughout the day.

Spare clothing

Please send all reception, year one and year two children in with a bag of spare clothes in case it is needed. These bags can stay on your child's peg and do not need to be taken home unless used.

Book bags

Please ensure your child brings their book bag in every day. We will put any letters, homework and any other items for home in their book bags.

Water bottles

Please ensure your child comes into school with a named water bottle at the start of the week. Children can then fill their own bottle every day with our help then it will come home with them on Friday.

P.E. kits

P.E. will continue to be every Wednesday and Friday. Please send your child into school wearing their P.E. kit on these days, they will stay in their P.E. kit all day. For nursery children, please ensure that they have suitable clothing and footwear.

Class 1 Spring Newsletter 2024

Adventure Learning

Our Adventure Learning sessions will be on a Tuesday. On this day please could children arrive in non-uniform including comfortable footwear, along with waterproofs and wellies in a bag. These sessions are really beneficial to the children so we appreciate all children coming in ready to be outdoors so we can make the most of the days.

Best wishes,

Jill Thompson, Lindsay Little and Gayle Crollman