



Primary 1A Term 1 Newsletter

Welcome to Primary 1a

It is our final term of Primary 1! The year has flown in! The children really enjoyed our Zoo trip and our Nature Nurture Play session.

Literacy

The children are learning letters and sounds through the Jolly Phonics programme, working on our digraphs and consolidation of previous sounds. In writing we are using our common words and sounds to create simple sentences with punctuation. As part of our topic, the children will create a show box scene which they will share with the class to build on their talking and listening.

Numeracy

The children have started the term by consolidating their understanding of numbers. We are working addition and subtraction, with a focus on strategies for subtraction. In Maths, we are focusing on time - recognising and showing o'clock times on analogue and digital clocks. We will also be looking at calendars. We will look at money focusing on identifying coins to £2 and using coins up to 10p.

Learning in other areas of the curriculum.

Following our trip to the Zoo children will be learning about habitats and food chains in our Living and Non Living Things topic. Also we will be learning about Electricity focusing on safety around electricity and the differences between battery and mains powered items. Continuing our science focus the children will investigate toys from the past and present exploring the force behind what makes them move. We continue to develop our learning through play approach and adapt to the interests of the child.

Health & Wellbeing

The children have been introduced to the learning powers and are exploring how they use these in their learning. We will be continuing to focus in on our emotions and using the Zones of Regulation, along with the strategies to help regulate our emotions.

Other Information

- This term Miss Ball will be taking the children for PE on a Friday morning.
- Our other PE day will remain as a Thursday.
- Mrs JC will be in for 1 hour on a Thursday morning.
- Please remember to wear appropriate clothing for PE as this will be happening outdoors.

Thank you for your continuing support and we can't wait to see what our last term together brings!

Miss Wallace ☺