



Spring Term



A message about Spring 1

- Welcome to the second term of Year 1!
- In Writing, the children will learn how to write a personal recount, a letter and a poem on a particular theme.
- In Reading, we will study 'Peter Rabbit', 'Look Up', 'Here We Are' and 'Chocolate Cake'. The children will have small group reading sessions 3 times a week as well as 2 daily phonics sessions.
- In Maths, the children will learn about numbers to 20, including the place value of tens and ones. They will also learn how to add and subtract numbers within 20.
- Our topic is 'A Day in the Life'; the children will learn about the local area, focussing on human features and they will create their own maps. They will also learn about the differences between schools today and in the past and the impact that Rosa Parks and Ruby Bridges have had on life today.

Homework

- Each week, children will be given phonics homework and maths homework.
- Children will bring a reading book home. Please read with your child at least 3 times a week and record this in their reading record.
- Half termly homework will be set including English, Maths and Topic. Please choose one piece a week.
- Homework books will be given out on Friday and should be returned by the following Wednesday.

Weekly time table

- Children can wear their PE kit to school on PE days.

These are:

Stingray Class- Monday & Wednesday

Coral Class- Tuesday & Wednesday

Oyster Class- Wednesday & Thursday

- Please ensure your child brings a named water bottle into school each day.
- Please ensure your child's items of clothes are named.

Uniform

- Dark grey school trousers or skirt or grey pinafore dress or skirt.
- White polo shirt.
- Navy V-neck jumper or cardigan.
- Plain dark or white socks or tights.
- Plain black school shoes or trainers.
- Stud earrings only please-no hoops.
- Plain blue, navy, black or white hair accessories.
- **PE kit:** white t-shirt
- Black shorts or tracksuit bottoms
- Navy blue school sweatshirt (worn over the top if necessary)
- Black plimsolls or plain black or white trainers



THE TALE OF PETER RABBIT



BEATRIX POTTER



OVERALL WINNER



Chocolate Cake

Number

Place value

(within 20)

Number

Addition and subtraction

(within 20)