

September 2023

Welcome back, I hope you have all had an amazing summer! We have lots of exciting things planned for the year ahead and I can't wait for us to get started.

Reading days will stay the same as last year and children should bring their book bags into school on their reading day.

P.E is on a Monday and Thursday. Children are allowed to come to school in their P.E. These must be plain; no logos are allowed. Children should not wear any jewellery for school.

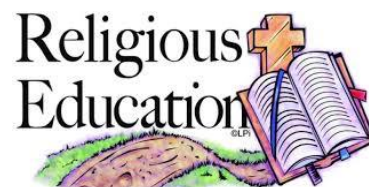
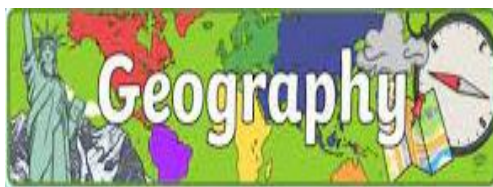


We have started the year by recapping skills taught in Year 1. Next, we will be focusing on place value before moving onto addition and subtraction nearer the end of the half term.

Within place value, we focus on numbers to 100, tens and ones, ordering and comparing and counting in 2s, 3s, 5s and 10s.

This week, we started our first topic of 'Adventure Stories'. The children will focus on description, speech marks, alliteration, conjunctions and exclamation marks. We all work towards writing an adventure narrative including some of these features.

Following on from 'Adventure Stories', we will move onto the topic of 'Recounts'. The children will write a personal recount about something they have done.



This half term we are focusing on 'Planet Earth'. We will look carefully at the oceans and continents of the world as well as including some singing as we learn the seven continents and five oceans. I am sure the children will share their beautiful singing with you at home.

We have started with our topic of 'Beginning' this term. Our next topics will then be 'Judaism' and 'Signs and Symbols'.



On a Monday, Mrs Reid teaches Science to the children. Their first topic is 'Materials'.