

Year 1 Term 1 Curriculum Newsletter

Dear Year 1 parents...

We hope you have had a lovely summer and are now ready to start the new school year, so welcome to Year 1!

We are looking forward to getting to know you and working together so that we have a very exciting and productive year. We hope that you enjoy the new challenges and approaches to learning that Year 1 has to offer!

Please remember this term..

PE is on a Monday (outdoors) and Wednesday.

Bring your reading book and planner to school everyday. Please also sign the planners to show that the children have read their books daily at home. Homework is set on a Friday and is due back on Thursday. Please have library books in school on Mondays, ready to be changed.

As Coningsby Mathematicians we will begin our learning on numbers, counting and sequences. We will be looking at the language of time e.g. yesterday, today, tomorrow, days of the week, now, next etc.

Does everyone in the stories live happily ever after?



As Coningsby Scientists we will be learning to identify and name a variety of everyday materials. We will be thinking of ways to describe these materials and learning about their different properties. We will then carry out some experiments to see which materials are best to build a house out of.

As Coningsby Authors we will be focusing our work around three stories - Little Red Riding Hood, Hansel and Gretel and The Three little pigs. We will be doing lots of brilliant writing using these stories as a starting point.

Our topic lessons this term will have links with the stories we are looking at in English. We will be drawing a map of Red riding hoods walk. We will also research 'The Brothers Grimm'.

As Coningsby Believers we will explore our church school value for this term - Friendship. We will also be looking at Christianity and what Christians believe about God.

In Art and DT this term, we will be doing lots of art and craft relating to our 3 stories. We will be making our very own houses as well as designing and making a ginger bread people.