

Year 1 Spring Term Curriculum Newsletter

Learning Project – How do we travel?



Dear Parents/Carers,

Happy New Year! We hope you had a wonderful break and thank you all for the kind cards and gifts. It has been lovely to see all the children again and to see them getting straight back into routine and working hard. This term we have lots of things to look forward to, making cars, a trip to Alexandra Palace and the infant show! Please remember to continue to read our bug club books and the real and alien words that get sent home. Every little bit will help your child in their reading. Thank you for your continued support.

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Science	Maths	English - writing	
Everyday materials Seasonal Changes (<i>ongoing</i>)	Time Number and Place Value Addition and Subtraction – strategies within ten.	Number and Place Value – Composition of Numbers Measurement – coins Measurement – length Time	Narrative: Stories with repetition Poetry – list. Instructions Narrative
English - Grammar	English - Phonics	PSHE	RE
Joining words and clauses using “and”. Sequencing sentences to form short narratives.	Teach Phase 5 phonics	Being different Equality - Ethnicity Keeping well and clean First Aid	BQ5: What does it mean to be good? BQ4: How are Christmas and Easter celebrated?
Computing	PE	History	Geography
IT Communicating – email, sound, keyboard, tool bar, create art, search engines IT Communicating – email, sound, keyboard, tool bar, create art, search engines	Dance: The seasons Games: Bat and ball skills Dance: Performance - Infant Show Games: Skipping skills and healthy activity circuits	The first flight	How we travel? Local Area.
Art & Design	Design & Technology	Music	
Digital Media	Construction – wheels & axles Sheet Materials – pop up cards	Intro to Xylophones Reinforce pulse/rhythm distinction through song, dance and games Relate rhythms from familiar songs to pictorial notation Play simple accompaniments to songs	
Trips/Curriculum Days/Meetings	Links with Children's Rights	PE Days & Homework Days	Key Dates for this Term
Friday 13 th February – car making workshop Tuesday 10 th March KS1 maths meeting at 9am Tuesday 17 th March Infant Dress Rehearsal Wednesday 18 th March Infant show at 2pm Thursday 19 th March Infant show at 2pm Friday 20th March Infant show at 2pm Tuesday 24th March – trip to Alexandra Palace	Article 2 – all children have rights Article 12 – children have the right to give their opinions and adults should listen Article 24 – children have the right to the best health care possible	PE: Tuesdays and Wednesdays Homework: set on a Thursday	9/1/26 Equality Afternoon 20/1/26 Parent meeting – Online Safety 9am 30/1/26 Parent meeting – Character Education via Zoom 9.30am 2/2/26 Annual House Challenge 23/2/26 Read Together in class 8.45am to 9.15am 25/2/26 Parent meeting on Zoom – SEND in mainstream schools 5/3/26 World Book Day 6/3/26 The Holly Park Book Swap 9/3/26 First Aid lessons begin 10/3/26 KS1 Book Look at 3.45pm 23/3/26 Holly Park Well-being Week & wheel to school 25/3/26 Y1-Y6 Consultations 4pm – 6.30pm 26/3/26 Y1-Y6 Consultations 4pm – 6.30pm 27/3/26 End of term at 1.30pm