



Year 1 Newsletter

Welcome back!

Welcome back Year One! We hope you can't wait to learn all about space this half term!

Learning

This half term all of our learning will be based on Space. As well as working hard to develop the children's literacy and numeracy skills we will be learning the following:

Computing – we will be looking at how to save, edit and print work, as well as typing text, using spaces and punctuation.

History – we will be learning about Neil Armstrong and the Space Race. We will be making an information book about all we have learnt.

Science – we will be investigating and recording the different properties of materials.

Attendance and Punctuality

Thank you to those parents that are bringing children to school on time. Please ensure children are in the line before the bell goes at 9am.

Book Bags

Please make sure your child brings their book bag to school every day so that they can change their books and we can check their reading records.

Uniform

Thank you to all of you that have made sure your child has started

the school year looking very smart and following our school's uniform expectations. Please make sure your child wears their uniform every day, and all of the uniform has their **name** clearly on one of the labels. If not we will be unable to locate misplaced items for you.

P.E. Days

1HD – Tuesday and Wednesday

1FB – Tuesday

Please make sure your child brings their kit to school every Monday morning and all included items **have their name on the labels**. Please make sure their kit contains black or navy shorts/jogging bottoms, a plain white t-shirt and trainers or plimsolls.

Homework

Please remember the children will receive one piece of literacy and one piece of maths homework each Friday to be returned by the following Thursday.

Children will also have a spelling test each week on Friday and must learn their spellings beforehand.

Our topic homework for this half term is to make a model of a space rocket. This can be presented in anyway the children choose.



This work will be due in on **Monday 19 March 2018**.



Dates for your diary

Thursday 1 March – World Book Day (children to come to school dressed up as a book character)

Wednesday 13 March and Thursday 14 March – parents evenings

Tuesday 20 March – trip to the planetarium at the Royal Observatory, Greenwich 9am – 3pm

Friday 23 March – Sport Relief

Tuesday 27 March – KS1 Spring Performance – parents welcome 2.15pm