

Welcome to Year 1





Welcome to the Year 1 Team!

1SD

Mrs Stevens and Mrs D

1KM

Ms Moore

1KL

Miss Lockyer

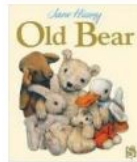
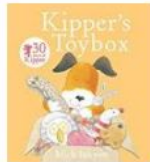
**TA's that work across all three classes
Mrs Matthews, Mrs Catt, Mrs Read, Mrs
Thompson and Mrs Lawford**



Curriculum in Year 1

Autumn Term 1

Can toys come to life?



Autumn Term 2

About me and my body
Funny bones

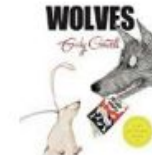


Christmas around the world



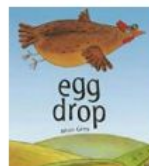
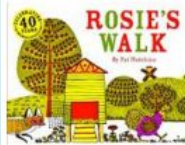
Spring Term 3

Fabulous Fairytales



Spring Term 4

What came first, the chicken or the egg?



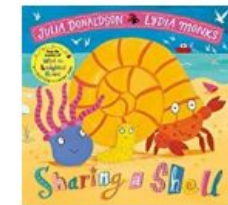
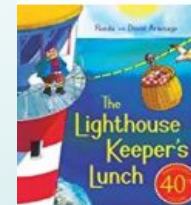
Summer Term 5

A trip around the world



Summer Term 6

Danger at sea!



Example Timetable

	8:45 - 9:00	9:00 - 9:20	9:20 - 9:25	9:25 - 9:55	9:55 - 10:25	10:25 - 10:45	10:45 - 12:00	12:00 - 12:15	12.10 - 1.00	1:00 - 1:15	1:15 - 2:45	2:45 - 3:20		
Mon 06.09	Register Wash hands Morning activity	Whole School Assembly	Circle time	Maths	Little Wandle Phonics	Play 10:25-10:40	Literacy	Reading T group TA group	Lunch	Nelson Handwriting / Letter formation	Foundation Subject	Play 2:30-2:45	Story time	
Tues 07.09	Register Wash hands Morning activity	Year group Assembly	Circle time	Maths	Little Wandle Phonics	Play 10:25-10:40	Literacy	Reading T group TA group	Lunch	Nelson Handwriting / Letter formation	IKM P.E 1:40 - 2:25 1** and 1** Foundation Subject	Play 2:30-2:45	Show and Tell	
Wed 08.09	Register Wash hands Morning activity	IKM ICT 1SD Dance IKL Music PPA		IKM Music 1SD ICT IKL Dance PPA		IKM Dance 1SD Music IKL ICT PPA		Reading T group TA group	Lunch	Nelson Handwriting / Letter formation	Science	Play 2:30-2:45	Story time	
Thur 09.09	Register Wash hands Morning activity	Singing Assembly	Circle time	Maths	Little Wandle Phonics	Play 10:25-10:40	Literacy	Reading T group TA group	Lunch	Nelson Handwriting / Letter formation	P.E 1SD 1:40 - 2:25 IKL 2:25 - 3:10 IKL Foundation Subject	Play 2:30-2:45	Story time	
Fri 10.09	Register Wash hands Morning activity	Celebration Assembly	Circle time	Maths	Little Wandle Phonics	Play 10:25-10:40	Literacy	Reading T group TA group	Lunch	Nelson Handwriting / Letter formation	R.E 1:30 - 2:00	Golden time 2:00 - 2:30	Play 2:30-2:45	Story time



PE, ICT and Music

Please send your children into school in their PE kit on the following days.

1KM – PE – Tuesday and Wednesday

1SD – PE – Wednesday and Thursday



Reading at home



- Children learn 4000 to 12000 words a year through reading.
- Please read with your child at home as often as possible and make it fun . If you are sharing a book at , please write a quick comment in the reading diary or just initial it.
- Please encourage reading as much as possible- this can be cereal packets, house names, street signs, magazines etc.
- Children will read regularly at school and will bring home a book to read to you and a book to share with you.
- If there isn't a teachers comment recorded in their reading diary it doesn't mean they haven't been reading! There are lots of different reading opportunities each day. It may be we have enjoyed a book or poem as a class or read as part



Home learning

As well as reading, which we cannot stress enough the importance of, we will be using Google Classrooms as a home learning platform. Homework will be set on Wednesday of each week on Google Classroom. Once the homework is set, you will be notified on your Google Classroom stream. This will hold a range of activities for children to do at home to support what they have been learning in school.

In addition to this, we are continuing with Bug Club and Purple Mash.

Each child will have a Bug Club login so they can continue with their phonics and reading at home. They will also continue to have a Purple Mash login, so they can access









Helping in the classroom

- Please let us know if you would like to come in to help in the classroom. We really need volunteers to help read with children across the Year group. We will ask you attend a “how to teach reading” session.
- You will need to be DBS checked before you can start. Please register your interest with the office



Growth Mindset

Learning powers at Grovelands

<p>Term 1-ENGAGEMENT (song: <i>Hall of Fame</i>) Being engaged with Barney owl</p>  <p>I know what good listening looks like, I come to school ready to learn, I can concentrate on my learning until I finish.</p>	<p>Term 2-COOPERATION (song: <i>Count on me Bruno Mars</i>) Being cooperative with Honey bee</p>  <p>I can cooperate with my learning partner, I listen to other people's ideas, I can take turn and work positively with everyone.</p>
<p>Term 3-CHALLENGE (Song: <i>Eye of the tiger</i>) Seeking out a Challenge with Sherlock Bones the beagle</p>  <p>I know that if I find my learning easy, I'm not learning anything new. I know it's ok to make mistakes because it helps me learn, I have a positive attitude to my learning.</p>	<p>Term 4- RESOURCEFUL (Song: <i>Get by with a little help from my friends</i>) Being resourceful with Banana the chimp</p>  <p>I can plan steps in a task, I know what to do if I need some help with my learning, I can discuss my finished work and talk about making improvements, I know what to do when things are too easy or too hard because I can choose my learning zone.</p>
<p>Term 5-DETERMINED (Song: <i>Don't stop this feeling</i>) Being determined with Gerald the giraffe</p>  <p>I can keep trying when things are hard from me, I don't let others distract my learning, I can settle down to a task and finish it.</p>	<p>Term 6- CREATIVITY (Song: <i>Don't stop this feeling</i>) Being Creative with Flame the dragon</p>  <p>I can use my imagination to create ideas, I try different ways to do things, I can try out my own ideas and make changes if needed, I can make links with other areas of my learning.</p>



Phonic Screening

- In June the children will undertake a phonic screening
- The phonic screen tests the children's knowledge of segmenting and blending
- They will be shown 40 real and nonsense words and be asked to read them
- We will hold another meeting later on in the school year regarding the



School Dinners



Children can choose to have either a hot meal each day (a vegetarian option is always provided) or bring in a packed lunch. Please include a drink IN the packed lunch in addition to the water bottle for the classroom.

If your child is having a hot meal, please tell



Please remember...

- To bring a named water bottle every day with water in
- To bring in a sun hat if it is sunny
- To send in a coat unless a particularly dry spell, we won't make them wear them but they have them on their pegs if the weather changes during the day.
- A bookbag to keep their reading diaries and reading books in. No

The Year Ahead

- Please come and talk to us about any worries you have and likewise we will liaise with you about any concerns we have.
- We are all keen for your children to be happy at school and to have a lot of fun learning, playing and working together over the year ahead.
- We are excited about the topics and learning experiences we have planned and are confident your children are going to have a great time in Year 1.

