



WHAT'S ON

Y1

AUTUMN 1
2026

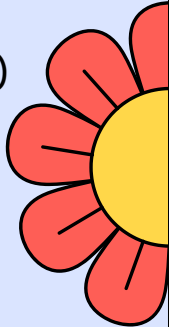
Welcome back to school- here is an overview for this term. Please feel free to contact me or any of the Y1 team at the door at home time or through class dojo if you have any questions!

Mrs Kirkham

Our Class : Year 1

We have a fantastic team of support in the classroom.

Mrs Kirkham (Class teacher)
Miss Higham (Teaching Assistant)
Mrs Wyn (Teacher covering Thursday am)



English

We are learning about stories language, information texts, labels, lists, captions and poetry. Throughout these units the children will be given lots of opportunities to work on their writing skills, learning to recognise when capital letters and full stops are required.

Maths

This term we will be focusing on number, part-whole relationships and how we can group numbers together. There will be lots of opportunities for the children to use practical equipment to secure this knowledge

Science

This term we are looking at the 'seasons', this unit will be ongoing throughout the year. We will also learn about animals including humans.

PSHE

Families and Friendships
Safe Relationships

Roles of different people; families; feeling cared for. Recognising privacy; staying safe; seeking permission

RE

This term Mrs Wyn will be teaching religious education - her specialist area. We will be covering-Why are some things special? Special times: How and why do we celebrate? With a focus on God and Christianity.

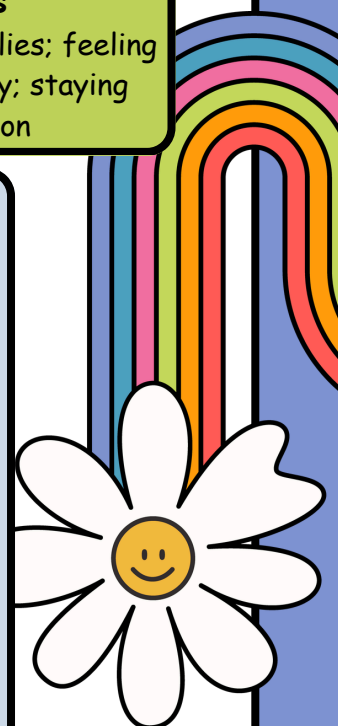
PE

Wednesday and Thursday
PE kit -
New uniform - doubles as PE kit
Old uniform -A white top
Black shorts or joggers
Black or White Trainers
School Jumper

No earring/jewellery please!

Music

In music the children will be learning about **rhythm**, they will take part in class performances and playing the glockenspiel.



Art

We are focusing on self portraits this term. Paying attention to pencil lines, position of facial feature and styles of shading.

Design & Technology

We will be looking at Mechanisms- Sliders and Levers. We will be , designing, making and evaluating our own designs.

Geography

Local Area - we will be focusing on our school and surrounding roads. We will be looking at maps and how they are an ariel view.

History

Toys - What toys did our grandparents play with? I'll be looking for volunteers to come in and talk to the children about the past!

Computing

We will be focusing on - Computing systems and networks - IT around us. Creating Media - Digital Painting

Homework

Spellings will be given out on a Friday and will be tested the following Thursday. Purple books need to be in school for the Thursday.

Home Reading - diary to be in school everyday!

Please record everyday when your child reads a home reader, library book or a books from home. They can read in a variety of ways - to a human, shared, to a pet, signs, magazines, posters, lists, recipes.....

As you know we run the 'Responsible Reader Rewards' the children love to receive their badges for reading - so please support us in this quest.

We want to encourage a love of reading - it opens so many doors to the imagination and will help children to feel grounded.

#goodmentalhealth

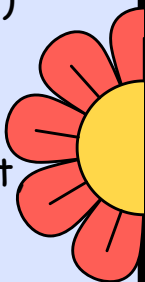
M: • Home readers to be returned to school

T: • Forest school (clothes needed)

W: • PE

T: • PE , spelling test

F:



Upcoming dates:

Visitor - Preston Bus visit Week beg: 21th September

Halloween Disco - Wednesday 21st October

Half term - Finish Thursday 22nd October

Goldilocks & Three Bears Panto Trip - Monday 23rd November

INSET DAY - Monday 30th November

KS1 Nativity - Tuesday 8th December 9:30am

KS! Nativity - Wednesday 9th December 2pm

Xmas dinner/Christmas Jumper Day Thursday 10th December

Xmas Bingo - Wednesday 16th December 3:30pm

Party Day - Thursday 17th December

Toy Day (Year 1) Finish at 2pm Friday 18th December

