



Meet the Teacher

Year 1

Welcome to Year 1

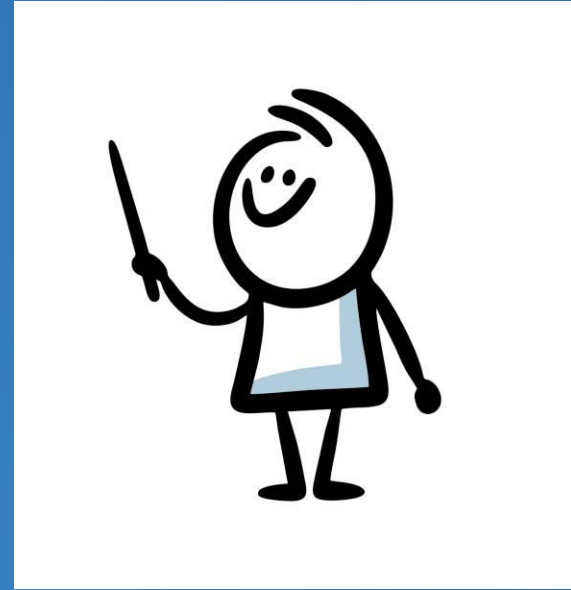




Year Group: 1

Class teacher: Mrs Boyd
Support staff: Miss Jones

Other staff (KS1 intervention room): Miss Bojana
and Miss Beth





Our School Values

Ready
Respectful
Safe



The Matthew Arnold Way

Our three key values are: ***READY, RESPECTFUL & SAFE***

We have discussed with our children what these words mean, how they can use these words to help them in school and what their behaviour may look like when they are ready, respectful and safe.

- Ready: to learn, to play, to aspire to the future, to make progress, to improve, to be positive
- Respectful: of each other, of ourselves, of our surroundings, of our differences, of each other's feelings, of everyone's rights
- Safe: at school, at home, in the playground, in the classroom, **online**, in our learning, in our play



Attendance

Every school day counts—regular attendance builds strong learning habits



Medical
Appointments



Holidays

Days off school add up to lost learning

175 NON SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR

175 days to spend on family time, visits, holidays, shopping, household jobs and other appointments



Don't be late!



Attendance Matters



Our Curriculum

Curriculum information

Specific information about our foundation subject curriculum areas can be found on our website.



Foundation Subjects

	Autumn	Spring	Summer
English	<i>Old Bear Rapunzel</i>	<i>Hermelin Where the Wild Things Are</i>	<i>The Secret of Black Rock The Last Wolf</i>
Maths	Number - number and place value Number - addition and subtraction	Number - multiplication and division – fractions Measurement	Geometry - properties of shapes - position and direction
Science	Everyday Materials Seasonal Change – Autumn - Winter	Animals including Humans	Seasonal Changes – Spring and Summer Plants
Geography	Fieldwork Knowing my Area well/school grounds	A Small area of UK - London	Small Contrasting Non-European Area – Jamaica
History	Childhood Over Time How has childhood changed over time?	Improving Health Who made the most significant contribution to improving health?	Space Travel Why was the moon landing so important?
Art and Design	Drawing Mark making <i>Sarah Morris</i>	Painting <i>Mondrian</i>	Sculpture Natural Object/Mountain sculpture <i>Andy Goldsworthy/ Ugo Rondinone</i>
Design Technology	Mechanisms Sliders and Levers Moving Picture	Cooking and Nutrition To create a healthy pizza	Structures Shelters
Computing	Technology Around Us	Digital Painting	Moving a Robot
P.E	PE Fundamentals - Ball Skills Fitness - Gymnastics	Invasion Games – Dance Sending and Receiving – Net and Wall	Strike and Fielding- Target Games Athletics – Team Building
PSHE	Relationships	Physical Health and Well Being	Living in the Wider World
Music	Hey You Rhythm in the Way we Walk and The Banana Rap	In the Groove Round and Round	Your Imagination



Important information

Our P.E days are: Tuesdays
and Thursdays



We change reading books on:
Mondays and Thursdays





Important information

At the end of year 1 pupils will take the phonics screening test. They have daily phonics lessons and children with gaps will take part in fast track phonics sessions. We will do lots of practise tests throughout the year to prepare them for the screening test.



Trips and visits

This year, your child will get the opportunity to take part in a number of trips and visits.

This term we have Zoolab coming in to visit us, a session with food for thought making our own pitta pizzas and a trip to The Storybarn in Calderstones Park.

