



Meet the Team

Year 1 information
evening

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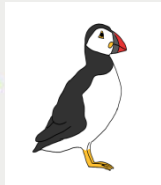
Staff



Flamingos
Mrs Collacott
Miss Mason



Penguins
Mr Smith



Puffins
Miss
Pomphrey

Other adults

Miss Diallo
Miss Gribble
Mrs Eskici

Monday afternoons:

Mrs Cleary
Mrs Roberts
Ms Pulley



Morning and afternoon routine

Morning activities

Early work

Phonics

Maths

English

Music - one morning per week

Assembly

Afternoon activities

Topic work including art, design, geography and history

Science

Computing

PE

RE

Library

Values



Assessment

In Year One, we will continually assess through the children's work, photos, as well as some more formal tasks.

In June, we complete the Phonics screening check.

- The children have to sound out and say 40 words.
- 20 are real words e.g. fan
- 20 are alien words e.g. blick

We will be sending home real and alien words home in the Spring to sound out and practice.



Reading records

Please bring reading records, with the books inside, every day.

Please record in the book, when you hear your child read.



PE

Twice a week - indoor and outdoor

Our PE kit is as follows:

- White t-shirt
- Blue/black shorts
- Black/blue joggers
- Black/blue jumper
- Trainers/ Plimsolls

- Please ensure that long hair is tied back on PE days.

-Please remove earrings on PE days or send in plasters or tape to cover them up for children's safety

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We don't allow school jumpers to be worn as part of the PE kit in case they get wet!



Homework

In Year One...

- Reading
- Spellings- Look, Say, Cover, Write, Check.
- My Maths- usually once every half term
- Topic based homework- once every half term.

However the most important thing after a long day at school is to let the children play. This helps them to consolidate their learning.



Extra curricular activities

Clubs available:

Gardening

Marathon club

Dance

Multiskills

Gymnastics

Cheerleading

Reading/book club

Art

Football fun



Trips and visits

PE competitions at local high schools

A local walk

Raptor Centre

Trip to the fishmongers

Visit to MK museum



School Pet

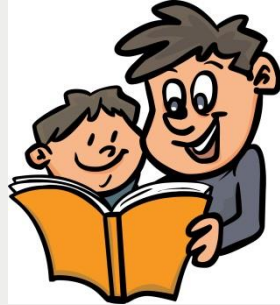
At Castle Newnham, we have a Giant African Snail for a school pet.

If your child would like to take care of Elvis for the weekend, please inform the class teacher.

He is very easy to care for.



How you can help at home



Reading every evening
- just a couple of pages.

Ask questions about the book for example what might happen, what just happened, which words tell you that the character is happy.

Visit my maths - play the games together



How you can help in school

