

Year 1 Autumn Term - 2023

Homework

I need to bring my book bag to school every day.
Reading books will be changed every week.

Spellings will be sent home and you are expected to practise these.

The school website

The school website will help you learn more about year 1
<http://www.birkbyinf.com/>

We are here to help so please come and see your teacher at the end of the school day if you have any questions.

Our topic this half term is : Ourselves

In English our focus texts will be 'Stuck', 'Oi Frog' and 'From Head To Toe' We will share the texts, discuss new vocabulary and writing some simple sentences. We will be looking at rhyming words and writing a simple rhyming sentence. We will concentrate on pencil grip and letter formation.

In art we will be to use different techniques to make patterns, textures, lines and shapes.

In science we will be naming and identifying different body parts. We will be looking at the five senses; sight, smell, hearing, touch and taste. We will be investigating our senses.

In RE we will be thinking about "Which books are special to religious believers?" We will be learning about special books including the Bible and Qur'an.

In Computing we will be learning how to log on to the laptops, how to use the track pad (mouse) and how to use a drawing app.

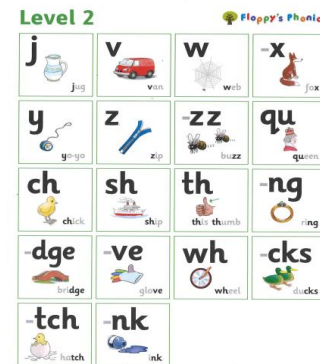
Our PE topics are dance and locomotion – running.

PSHCE- We will discuss the importance of friendships.

In our geography work, we will be learning about different seasons and observing weather over the half term.

In Phonics I will be...

Continuing my phonic work blending letters to read words and sounding out words to write them. I will be focussing on the level 2 sounds and helpful words.



Helpful words

he	no	go
the	you	into
all	was	her
we	to	I
me		

These are the **phonic sounds** we will cover this half term:

Week 1 - Revision zz qu ch

Week 2 - Revision sh th ng

Week 3 – Revision dge ve wh

Week 4- Revision cks tch nk

Week 5 - Revision ai ee igh

Week 6 – Revision ai ee igh

Week 7 – Revision oa oo (cook) oo(spoon)

Week 8 – Revision ar or ur

In Numeracy I will be covering the following topics



Week 1 **Number & place value**-counting & representing numbers

Week 2 **Number & place value**-counting forwards & backwards finding 1 more & 1 less

Week 3 **Number & place value**- Compare objects/groups using language such as equal/more/greater/less/fewer. Compare numbers using language such as equal/more/greater/less/fewer

Week 4 **Number & place value** order objects/groups using language such as equal/more/greater/less/fewer. Compare numbers using language such as equal/more/greater/less/fewer

Week 5 **Addition-Part whole model** Introduce parts and wholes & the part-whole model

Week 6 **Addition -Fact families**

Week 7 **Addition Number Facts For 6,7,8,9**

Week 8 **Addition facts for 10**