

1.1 Class Teachers  
Mrs Szymaniak  
Mon-Wed  
Mrs Owen  
Thurs-Fri

# Year One Newsletter

## Autumn 1 update 2017

1.2 Class Teacher  
Mrs Foad

Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you for your support thus far this year. Please find below some reminders and updates:

### Homework

All homework is sent home in a homework folder which should be brought to school every day.

Daily reading - 15 minutes every day using the home reading book your child chooses in class. Home reading books must be kept in your child's book bag and brought into school daily. A guided reading record sheet for you to make any comments on your child's reading has been provided. **While staff do read the comments made, please note that it is not feasible for staff to write a response. Also please note that while every effort is made to change your child's book, there may be the odd occasion where due to a timetable change or staff absence, this is not possible. Thank you for your understanding.**

Numeracy - Homework will be set every Friday for you to reinforce any concepts your child has covered during the week. Some activities are of a practical nature and as a result will need parental involvement. Numeracy homework will be looked at every Thursday.

Spellings – Your child's spelling book must be brought into school every Friday in order to record your child's test result and for a new set of words to be given. The children are tested on their words every Friday.

### Art

Please could we ask you to send in an apron or old shirt with your child's name on it that can be kept at school for use during Art.

### Library

The children have the opportunity to change their library book every fortnight on a Thursday afternoon.

### Science Museum Trip

Please do send in any voluntary contributions if you have not already done so. Please note that we aim to leave at 8:45am on 12<sup>th</sup> October so please ensure your child is in early that day (doors will open at 8:35am).

We are pleased that Mrs Foad is recovering well and in the interim we welcome Ms Russell to the Year One team. Mr Andrew is sending a separate letter to parents regarding this.

Many thanks,

The Year One Team