

Year 1 Newsletter

Friday 19th October 2017

Well done to all of year one for a very successful first term. We have been very busy learning and creating.

This week in English, we have been using our knowledge of full stops, capital letters, fingers spaces and adjectives to explain what we have enjoyed this term in school. We have written a short information piece about me showcasing our use of punctuation and adjectives.

In Maths, we have been solving word problems relating to addition and subtraction for example; if I have 12 children and 6 apples, how many more will I need? We have explored the number line method by adding two numbers together and calculating the answer.

In topic, we have been creating autumn leaf pictures using different autumnal colours. We have used our fingers to create a pointillism piece of artwork. We have created a small book about me which included facts that we have learnt this year like how many bones we have or how our heart works.

How can you help at home?

Next term we will be starting our new topic of Our World. We will be covering the local areas around our school such as Paddock Wood, Langley and Bearsted. If you are out and about with your child over the half term break, point out local amenities such as shops, parks and local schools. The children will be using this information to compare areas and draw maps during the next term.

Home Learning this week is:

Spellings will be weekly, this weeks spellings are: children, could, asked, down, people

After half term, we will be starting weekly Math challenges. Please be aware that homework books will need to be handed in on a Thursday in order for the new homework to be stuck in ready for the weekend.

Please remember

We will be returning to school on Monday 6th November. P.E will be on a Tuesday morning for both classes and on Thursday for Enterprise and Friday for Jubilee.

Other dates for your diary:

6th November: School disco

Enterprise week: 15th – 21st November

Thought for the week

Have a lovely half term and a well earned rest, thank you for all of your hard work this term.

Well done Year 1 on all of your hard work and determination this term.
Have a wonderful half term, we will see you on Monday 6th November

Congratulations!