



Class One newsletter Summer Term 2

Dear families

Welcome back to Summer 2.

I hope that you've all had a wonderful break and that the children are ready for a fun-filled, action packed last half-term as Year 1 pupils. Where has this year gone?

In English, we will base most of our work on the book *The Lonely Beast* by Chris Judge. We will re-write the story our own way and will end by creating a persuasive poster, advertising the Beast's beautiful garden and will learn about letter writing

In Maths, we will focus on: position, direction, clockwise and anti-clockwise and numbers from 50 to 100 and beyond, looking at counting up and down, the place value (tens and ones) with each number. We will also work with money, adding and subtracting amounts, finding change and swapping coins for equivalents. Finally, we will work with time, looking at morning, afternoon, evening and night as well as o'clock and half-past.

Our Science and Geography are quite closely linked. We will spend lots of time observing and recording the weather and will discover (using maps and Atlases) where the hot and cold places in the world are and how daylight hours change according to the seasons.

We will spend a lot of time preparing ourselves for Year 2. We will write to the Year 2 teacher and will interview the current Year 2 pupils. There will be several transition days at the end of the year.

To celebrate an outstanding year in class one, we will visit Woldies lavender farm and park on June 20th. A wonderful way to end the year.

PE is still on Tuesday and Wednesday, so please have your child PE ready-earrings/hair/outdoor kit.

Any questions, please just ask.

Ms McCulloch