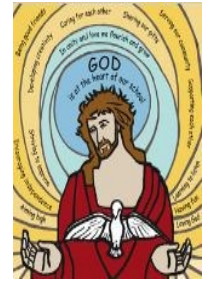


# Year 1 Newsletter

## 2nd September 2022



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What a fantastic start to Class 1! I am so impressed with how well the children have settled in to the new routines of the classroom. It already feels like they have been in the class for a long time already with how well they adapted to the change from EYFS to National Curriculum.

Each Friday you will get a weekly newsletter telling you what the children have been up, any upcoming events and with that weeks homework on it.



I'm really hoping that this will be a very happy, exciting and successful year for your children and yourselves. If at any point you have any questions or queries about the Year 1 curriculum you can either catch me on the door in the morning or after school, or send me a message via Class Dojo or to my email which is listed above.

### Homework

Homework is sent out on a Friday. The homework we send is linked to something that we have been doing in school, or to something that is upcoming. I try to make the homework as fun, practical and engaging as I can for the children. Homework should be completed and returned by the following Wednesday, either in to school or posted on to Class Dojo.

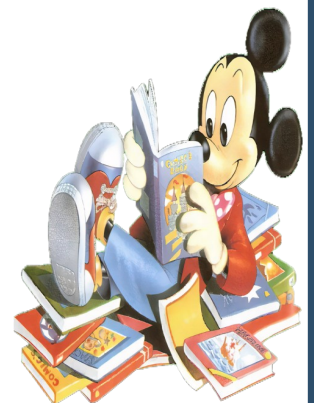
As well as the weekly homework your child will also bring home spellings (these will start next week) on a Friday.

They will have a week to practice these at home before we have a go at spelling them in school. They will then get a new set of words to practice.



### Reading

Tonight, your child will have brought home their reading book. It would be great if your child could read every night, however we do realise that this may not be possible, so we recommend reading at least 3 times a week with them. When you have read with your child please remember to write it down in their reading record. For every day they read your child can earn points (1 point for each days reading). This will enable them to earn certificates to celebrate their reading achievements.



## Class Dojo

We have been given a new Class Dojo page this year. Thank you to everyone who has been able to transfer over to the new Class 1 2022/23 page already. Tonight I have

sent home new login details for the new class. Please can you log in to the new page over the weekend. I am currently posting on both the new page and the old EYFS page to ensure that everybody gets to see the class messages and updates, but from Monday 12th September (or sooner if everyone transfers over before then), messages and updates will only be posted on the new Dojo page. Currently Dojo points are only being awarded on the new page.

If you have any problems with logging in to the new page please let me know and we can have a look at it together. I'm not the most technical of people but I will do my best to try and sort it out for you.



## Story Time With Jesus

Each week we will send home a little video of a Bible story for your child to watch. This is to help the children to develop their knowledge of different stories from scripture. There is usually a little activity for them to respond to the Bible story with. This can be returned to school each week for them to share with the rest of the class.

## Star of the Week

**NICOLAS**

for some super work in Science this week describing what a cycle was.

Well Done!



## Homework

This week we did some work on the 4 seasons in Science. Your homework task this week is to use the materials provided and create a seasons wheel. When decorating each season think carefully about what you would see happening in each season.

We also have a story time with Jesus where we get to hear a Bible story.

