



Welcome to Class 1 EYFS Hedgehogs!



Welcome Back!

We hope that you have all had a wonderful half term break and have enjoyed lots of adventures at home. We have an amazing topic planned as we reach for the stars! Let the fun begin...

What will you need?

- A labelled water bottle
- Dressed ready for PE on a Tuesday and Wednesday (EYFS). Year 1 will require their PE kits to be kept in school. (They will go home each Wednesday to be washed and should be returned the following Monday.)
- Wellington Boots
- Show and Tell - Monday



Important Dates



- Parents' Evening 21st and 22nd February
- World Book Day 2nd March
- Yoyo - It's Your Easter 14th March
- Woodland Adventure 21st March
- EYFS Phunky Foods 23rd March

Any additional event dates we will make you aware of via email.

Class 1 Spring Timetable

Class 1 Weekly Timetable: Spring 2

	8:50 9:00	9:10-9:30 Session 1	9:35 9:45	9:50 10:00	10:45-12:00 Session 2	12:00 1:00	1:20-2:20 Session 3	2:20 2:35	2:35- 3:15
M	Phonics	Maths	Collective worship	Phonics	Literacy	HTC	EYFS and KS1 Topic	Phonics	Spelling and Punctuation
T	Phonics	Maths	Monday worship	Phonics	Literacy	HTC	PE	Phonics	KSCE
W	Registration	Maths	Collective worship	Phonics	Literacy	Lunchtime	EYFS - The World Yr1 - Science Mrs Marjoram	Phonics	PE Mr Buttery
Th	Phonics	Maths	Phonics	Phonics	Literacy	Phonics	EYFS - People, Cultures and Communities Yr1 - RE	Phonics	Collective worship
F	Phonics	Literacy	Phonics	Phonics	Maths	Phonics	EYFS & KS1 Topic	Phonics	Spelling and Punctuation

How can you help at home?

- ❖ **Reading-** Please read with your child for at least 5 minutes every day. After reading, please record this in your child's planner. This could just be a well done and the page number.
- ❖ **Phonics-** A phonics task will be given once a week linking to the sounds/words we are focusing on in class or a news book activity. Also, an additional list will be provided for Year 1 children, with a list of 6 spellings linking to the phonics work. Each Friday the children will have a mini spelling quiz in class. Phonics and spelling homework will be given every Friday and should be returned the following Thursday.
- ❖ **Homework books-** This half term, there will be a grid of tasks linking to our topic theme "Starry Night". Each week, your child should try to do one task from the grid and return it to school by the following Thursday to be marked. **Compulsory activities are highlighted in purple and should be handed in on the date specified.**
- ❖ **Times Table Rockstars or Numbots-** Please encourage your child to continue to go on Numbots in EYFS and use Timestable Rockstars in Year 1. The children can refer to their planner to find their password.

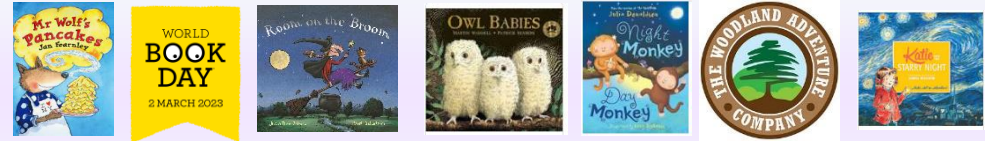


Topic: Starry Night



Communication, Language & Literacy

- Lists** – Ingredients – star biscuits and space cookies
- Labelling** – Rockets and Aliens
- Festivals** – Easter Egg Maps
- Invitations** – Alien Tea Party
- Sentences** – Story – Owl Babies Q Pootle



BOOKSHELF

Physical Development



Gross and Fine Motor Skills

- Dance – Sequences, high, low movements
- Athletics – Running, throwing and jumping

Astronauts – Heart Health

Understanding the World

- People and Communities** – Easter
 - The Natural World** – Seasonal change - Life Cycles, Weather and recycling
 - Past and Present** - Astronauts
- Purple Mash - Space Aliens



Personal, Social & Emotional Development

'The Family Book' (Todd Parr)



All families are different

Expressive Arts & Design

- Colours** – Light and Dark – Day and Night
- Mediums** – Watercolours – Van Gogh – Starry Night
- Forest Schools** – Space Rockets
- Music** – Our World



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Why is Easter special?

Super Start - Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star Dance

Fabulous Finish - Blast off! Children are to make super star rockets and enjoy a tasty rocket treat!

12345 Mathematics

Number – Number stories – recognising numbers, counting, subitizing, estimation, more, less, adding, taking away, sharing, doubling, time and money.

We will look at Number 7 and Number 8.