

<u>Welcome to Class 1 Year 1 Hedgehogs!</u>

We hope that you all enjoyed the Easter break and that the bunny treated everyone to some yummy chocolate! Let's get off to a roaring summer term as we learn about dinosaurs through stories. Wishing you all a wonderful summer term filled with lots of sunshine.

What will you need?

A labelled water bottle

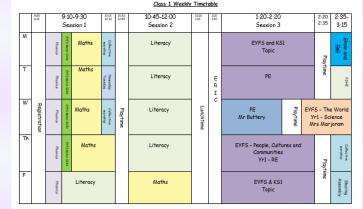
- Indoor and outdoor labelled PE Kit for PE on a Tuesday and Wednesday. PE kits will go home each Wednesday to be washed and should be returned the following Monday.
- Wellington Boots
- Hats for sunny weather and when necessary the children are to come to school with sun cream on.

Important Dates

- Flamingo Land 25-04-23
- Phunky Foods 18-04-23

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

Class 1 Weekly Summer Timetable



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 "A Bucket Full of Roars". 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.

<u>Super Start and Fabulous finish</u> - To launch the new topic of 'A Bucket Full of Roars' we will all enjoy a visit to Flamingo Land! We will all explode with excitement as we end our topic and enter the land of the dinosaurs, seeing volcanoes erupting!

Year 1&2's Learning Tree

Topic: A bucket full of Roars!

Science

Living things and their Habitats Looking at different habitats that animals live in. Exploring the differences between things that are living, dead and things that have never been alive.

Art & Design Technology:

- *Designing and building an exploding volcano.
- *Creating our own edible fossils. *Looking at the famous sculptor Andy Goldsworthy and his famous work. Creating our own sculptures.

Religious Education

What do Christians say made the world?

English

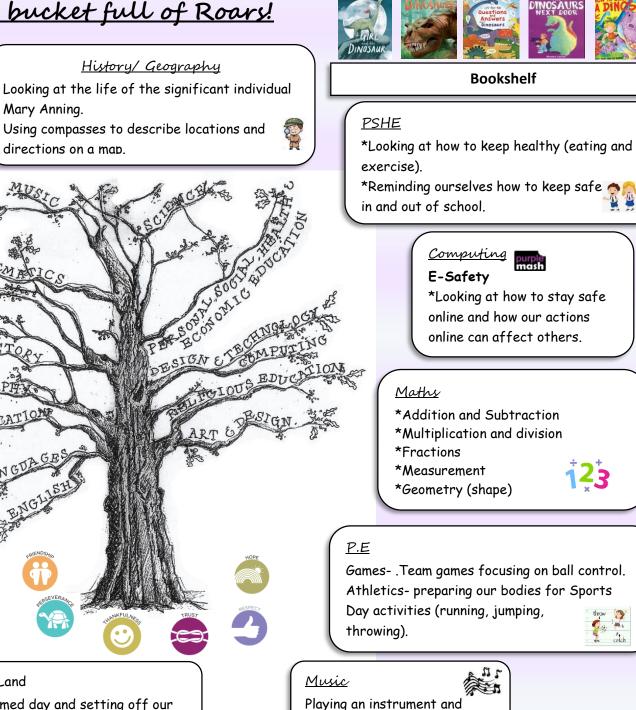
Recount- Writing about the adventures of Mary Anning and her discoveries. Non-Fiction Fact File- Designing and writing about a made up dinosaur.

Instructions - How to make fossils

Super Start-Trip to Flamingo Land

Fabulous Finish- A Bucket Full of Fun. Dinosaur themed day and setting off our

volcanoes



singing stomp songs.