



Year 1 Newsletter

Friday 5th April 2019

Dear Parents,
We had a successful trip to the Science Museum and the children had a great time. School closes on Friday 5th April and re-opens on Tuesday 23rd April 2019.

Lip balm and Vaseline are disrupting learning we have noticed, please do not let children bring them into school.

Thank you for support this term
Have a wonderful break.

Pupils' achievement for last week:

Bees – Sikandar and Jayden

Butterflies Annika and Princy

Caterpillars – Dhanya and Micaela

Ladybirds – Nitya and Angelina



English:

Our theme for the new term will be **SUPERHEROES**. The book we will be using is **Traction Man** by **MINI GREY**.



They would have to describe their Superhero and give a reason why their chosen character is their superhero.

Things to do at home to help with English.

Read and discuss the story with your children. Get them say who their favourite superhero is and why. Get them to use some of these adjectives, **brave, bold, fast, daring, magic, tough, smart, strong, powerful, helpful, courageous and clever** to describe their superhero.



PLEASE help them learn the spellings in bold, at the bottom, as they will be tested. Some children are not learning their spelling and it shows in their writing.

plant, path, bath, hour, our, move prove, improve sure & our

Value of the Month is Honesty



Maths:

We will be learning the days of the week and months of the year.

Things to do at home:

Get them to learn the days of the week and months of the year. They need to know how many days in a week and that some months have 30 days and some have 31 except February.

2019

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Book bag

Book bags with reading book and reading record should be brought to school daily.



PE kit

PE kits must be brought in on Monday and left until the end of the week. Make sure all items are labelled please.

Science: Materials

The children will be grouping a range of everyday objects according to the materials they are made from and say if these materials are natural or manmade.

Geography:

We will be looking at simple picture maps and using the Key to identify features and they will be drawing a map of the classroom.

RE: -

They will be learning some facts about the Jewish religion and the Jewish festival Hanukkah.

Art:

To research who the artist Andy Warhol was and discuss his types of painting.

Attendance w/e/29/03/19

Whole school attendance: 94.5%%

Bees: 95.4%

Butterflies: 94.2%

Caterpillars: 93.3%

Ladybirds: 94%

Congratulations to Bees class with the highest attendance in Yr 1.

The National expectation is that attendance should exceed 96.5%.