



SUMMER



Year 1 Curriculum Newsletter

Maths

We're excited to continue our weekly Maths for Life sessions. This term our topics will be Position and Direction. During our Maths lessons, we will be deepening our understanding of multiplication, division, grouping and sharing. We will learn to recognise and find halves and quarters.



English

Our English lessons will be linked around story books to engage the children. Key skills to help them improve their writing will be taught, including using capital letters and full stops, conjunctions and suffixes. We will also be looking at techniques to order books we have read.



Science

In Science we will be learning about plants. Children will learn how to name common garden plants and wildflowers. They will learn about the different parts of plants and what they need to grow.





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English

We will begin by reading Beegu and developing our story writing skills. We will then read a wonderful chapter book called The Missing Bookshop, when we will be writing informal and formal letters and diaries. We will continue to work on our sentence construction and applying our writing skills learned during the Spring term. We will end Year 2 with Roald Dahl's The Magic Finger.

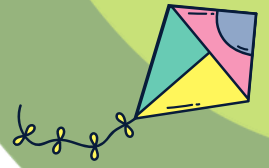
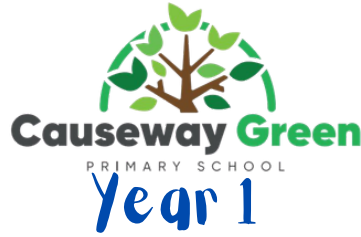


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PE

We will be starting the term with Athletics where we will be developing our skills in running, jumping and throwing in preparation for Sport's Day. In Summer 2 we will be participating in team games developing our defending, attacking and applying simple tactics.

PE will be on Mondays and Tuesdays



RE

This term, we will be beginning to learn about Islam. We will focus on what Muslims can learn from the stories of the Prophet. We will also look at holy places and where and how people worship.



PSHE & RSE

During the Summer term, the children will take part in the Jigsaw units 'Relationships' and 'Changing Me'. Further information will be shared closer to the time.



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History

In History children will be learning all about The Great Fire of London. Children will investigate The Great Fire of London using different sources.



Geography

Our Geography topic will be looking at what it is like to live in Shanghai. We will identify physical features using aerial photographs. Children will compare the features with the local area.



Computing

In Summer 1 we will be learning about photography using Ipads. In Summer 2 we will be beginning to learn about data handling by going on a minibeast hunt and recording our findings.



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Art

In Art children will look at royal portraits and create their own portraits using different materials and collage techniques.



Music

In music we will be learning all about sequences. We will be learning to play sequences on chime bars.




Design & Technology

In DT children will be looking at free standing structures. We will be making windmills using a range of materials.



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Additional Information




What can you do at home to help?

Homework -Please help your child complete their weekly Pobble task or Maths.co.uk activity and Family Maths Activities.

Practise weekly spellings, Year 1 Common Exception Words and handwriting (focussing on correct formation and size).

Ensure your child is reading at least 3 times a week and record this in their reading records. To help them further you could ask them questions about what they are reading.

Stunning start - Science workshop:
Planting seeds
Fantastic finish - Quiz

