



Love, Learn and
Grow

INFORMATION FOR PARENTS Summer Term

Class 1	Teachers: Mrs Booth	Support staff: Mrs Kambalis & Miss Coombes
----------------	-------------------------------	--

English	Reading Children will continue to work through the phonics scheme (Read, Write, Inc.) The children will complete their Phonics Screening Check this term, so please ensure you are watching the home learning videos to help support your child. All children will also partake in English daily to continue their reading progress and fluency. We will revisit sounds and red words so they can read them by sight. Writing We will explore the texts below and write for a range of purposes to support our writing of both fiction and non-fiction. Traditional Tales: <i>Jack and the Beanstalk</i> Recount: <i>Class trip</i> Acrostic Poems Classic Fiction: <i>Paddington, the original story of the bear from Peru</i> Non-chronological report: <i>Seaside</i> Writing Focus As writers we will name the letters of the alphabet and name the letters of the alphabet in order. Add prefixes and suffixes: We will use the spelling rule for adding –s or –es as the plural marker for nouns and the third person singular marker for verbs.
Maths	As mathematicians, we will start the term with multiplication and division. The children will learn to count in 2's, 5's and 10's and will make equal groups by sharing. We will then move on to fractions focusing on a half and a quarter. Children will continue to work on place value, but will be challenged to work with numbers up to 100. The children will also complete units of work on position/direction, money and time.

Science	As scientists, we will look at living things and their habitats and plants. They will learn about where animals live and why- and about food chains.
RE	<i>To the Ends of the Earth</i> - We will learn about spreading the Good News and what happened at the Ascension and Pentecost. <i>Dialogue and Encounter</i> – World Faiths
History	As historians we will learn about holidays at the seaside. We will find out about holidays today and compare them to holidays during the Victorian era. We will also look at how transport and entertainment has changed.
Geography	As geographers we will explore coasts, with a focus on tourism and why people live near the sea. We will also look at how the landscape has changed about of the waves, wind and humans.
Art and Design/ Design and Technology	The children will be introduced to and will understand who Florence Koehler is. They will research different types of jewellery, expressing likes and dislikes, before designing and creating their own. In the final half term, the children will complete cooking and nutrition. They will make a vegetable soup.
Computing	In computing the children will be learning about technology around us and research.
PE	The children will be learning a variety of skills in athletics this term. They will also learn how to play tennis and master their football skills.
Music	As musicians we will be exploring ‘Oh I do like to be beside the seaside’ through tuned and untuned percussion.
PSHE	In PSHE we are learning about belonging to a community and caring for the community and in the final half term money and work.
Additional Information PE Day – Monday Morning Forest School – Friday Afternoon Reading Books Please remember to sign your child’s reading record when you hear your child read and ensure they are in their bags, along with their books, everyday so adults in school can hear them read too. Homework Spellings lists will be sent home at the beginning of every half term and the weekly lists stuck in books on a Friday . Children are expected to learn their spellings and write them into sentences to practise their handwriting and punctuation. Please ensure these are returned to school every Friday.	

The homework grid is on our Class Page on our website and will also be sent home at the beginning of each half term. We ask that your child completes as least **two** of the tasks by the date set on the grid.

