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# Welcome to Year 1

Miss Hutchings  
Ms Hendrick

# Transition from EYFS

We aim to deliver a smooth transition for the children.

Any gaps in learning from EYFS (and any due to COVID) will be filled through the Year 1 curriculum.

Mornings will consist of English and Maths lessons but we will go with the pace of the children.

Afternoons will be foundation subjects, a short break and ending the day with story time. We will use outdoor learning in both Year 1 classes and continuous provision in Miss Hutchings class.

# The Curriculum

The main topics this year:

Autumn Term - All About Me  
Spring Term - Arctic Adventures  
Summer Term - Seaside

# Reading

- Phonics (the reading and recognition of sounds) is mainly, yet not exclusively, taught through Letters and Sounds which will start in the next couple of weeks following a baseline assessment of all the children.
- Year 1 Phonics Screening Check in June 2021
- Guided Reading daily in small groups (Oxford Big Cats)
- Home reading and reading diary (Oxford Reading Tree, sometimes a Read, Write Inc book). Please bring in your book each week - they will be changed on a Friday.

# Spelling

- Spellings will be sent home to learn for a weekly test on a Friday.
- We recommend the Look, Cover, Write, Check method - look at the word, say it out loud, cover it and write it down. Finally check the word.

# Maths

Maths focuses on fluency, reasoning and problem solving. We keep these lessons practical wherever possible using lots of equipment.

There will be lots of practise of counting in 2s, 5s and 10s. Also becoming confident with number bonds to 10 and 20.

We try to make it fun!

# Assessment

- Levels have gone and are replaced with 'working towards, working at and working at greater depth'
- This language will be used at Parents Evening and on end of year reports.

# What your child needs

- Red Book Bag - for letters/reading books etc
- Uniform (jumper needed at all times)
- PE Kit - Please bring joggers as we will be outside as much as possible. PE kits to be brought in on Monday and taken home to wash weekly.
- Coat - we will be using the outdoor learning areas so a waterproof is essential.
- Water Bottle - named