

Year 1 Newsletter

Summer Term 2



Dear Parents / Carers:

Welcome back! We hope you have had a lovely half term break. We are now in our final term of the year and we will be preparing the children for their transition to Year 2 in September. We have an exciting term planned ahead and our topic question for this half term is '*Why do games have rules?*'

Home Learning:

Home learning activities will be loaded on to Microsoft Teams every Friday.

These activities consist of spellings related to a particular sound that the children can learn, and write into sentences.

Each week the children will continue to receive a story book with their reading record on Monday to be read at home each day and we ask that their book and reading record be returned on Friday. The story books must be returned on time so that we can ensure all children are able to receive a new story book the following week.

We would like to encourage children to have discussions about the books they are reading to support their comprehension skills. Parents and carers should leave a comment each week in the reading records about how their child read or comment on any interesting comments their child made about the book.

Additional Websites

Please continue to practise your child's RWI sounds and encourage them to read sentences and simple paragraphs independently.

You will also find further information and learning opportunities from the following sites:

RWI: <https://www.ruthmiskin.com/en/find-out-more/parents/>

Bug Club: <https://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk/login?c=0>

Numbots: <https://play.numbots.com/#/intro>

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Dates for this term's educational visit

Brampton Primary School is working in conjunction with Newham Libraries to promote the annual Summer Reading Challenge.

Year 1 will be visiting the East Ham Library:

England Monday 3rd July 2:00 -3:00pm

Scotland Tuesday 4th July 2:00 -3:00pm

Wales Thursday 6th July 2:00 -3:00pm

Northern Ireland 7th July 2:00 -3:00pm

PE Days

England Class

- Wednesday and Friday

Northern Ireland Class

- Tuesday and Wednesday

Scotland Class

- Tuesday and Wednesday

Wales Class

- Wednesday and Friday

Please ensure that your child comes to school dressed in their full PE kit on PE days.

As the weather becomes warmer please ensure that your child is dressed in appropriate clothes and shoes for PE lessons and that they bring a bottle of water to school every day.



Year 1 Curriculum – Summer 2

English: The children will be looking at writing rules for a game, writing instructions on how to play a new game, writing a fact file on a famous sport star and using persuasive writing, where the children have to convince people to take up a new sport.

Maths: We will be looking at addition and subtraction word problems, time, length, volume and capacity, mass, position and space.

Science: Our topic is 'Materials' the children will be exploring a range of materials and finding out what materials are best to mend a torn umbrella.

History: The children will learn about toys and games that were played in the past, for example, when their parents and grandparents were children, and compare them to modern-day toys.

Art and Design: We will be making 3D structures and models.

PSHE: Changing Me: The children will be starting to understand the life cycles of animals and humans. They will also discuss how their body has changed since they were a baby.

RE: The children will be thinking about 'What does it mean to be a Sikh?' They will learn about current beliefs, practices and lifestyles by studying holy days, artefacts and festivals.

Computing: Creating media – Digital writing

PE: Athletics.

Music: Exploring rhythm, pitch, dynamics and tempo.