



Year 1 Newsletter Spring 2



Welcome back and I hope you all had a lovely week off! Please continue to use Class Dojo if you have any queries. The class visual timetable which was sent home in spring 1, will remain the same for this half term.

Kind regards, Miss Beveridge



English

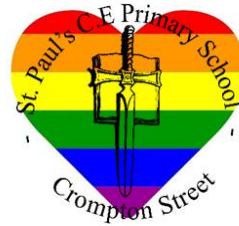
In English, we are going to be looking at 'Man on the Moon' by Simon Bartram. We will create postcards to send to Earth! Over the half term we will be recapping our phonics knowledge so far and practising alternative ways of writing familiar phonemes (sounds) e.g. ai-rain, ay-bay, a-e - make, ey - grey.

Maths

In Maths, we are continuing to focus on addition and subtraction and the meaning of their symbols (+ - =). We will be beginning to present and interpret data in block diagrams, in addition to understanding the months and days in a year.

P.E.

Year 1 will have P.E. on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. They can wear their PE kit to school on these days: black/grey joggers, red t-shirt and black trainers. Children should wear their normal school jumper or fleece for outdoor sessions.



R.E.

In R.E. we will be learning about Easter and celebrating new life. We will also discuss who Christians say made the world, whilst looking at the meaning of creation.

Science

This half term, we will be focusing on physics and why it goes dark in the winter. We will be looking at the seasonal changes to help us with this.

Reading Books

Reading as regularly as possible to an adult can really help your child's progress. We would like to see your child read a minimum of FIVE times a week, which will be checked every Monday. Once they have read, an adult should log on Boom Reader.



Homework is set every Friday and should be returned by Wednesday. Please encourage your child to complete their homework to a high standard.

History

Year 1 will be learning about The Great Fire of London, and how it changed London. We will look at the causes and consequences of the fire using different sources and evidence, and compare these sources.

